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Cash Surplus - - - -	168,26 5.6
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - -	7,458.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	102,055.43
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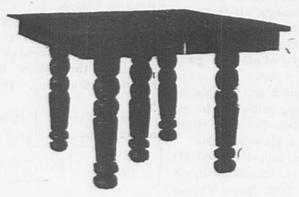
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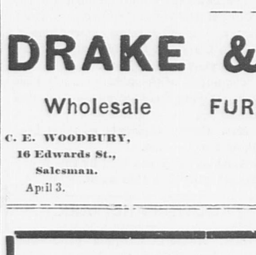


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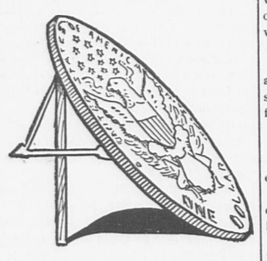
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In a fellowless firmament
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Where highways never ran—
But let me live by the side of the road
And be a friend to man.

Let me live in a house by the side of the road
Where the race of men go by—
The men who are good and the men who are bad,
As good and as bad as I.
I would not sit in the scorner's seat,
Or hurl the cynic's ban,
Let me live in a house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man.

I see from my house by the side of the road,
By the side of the highway of life,
The men who press with the ardor of hope,
The men who are faint with the strife,
But I turn not away from their smiles nor their tears,
Both parts of an infinite plan—
Let me live in my house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man.

Miscellany.

Old Man Swanlee's Daughter.

Two men were riding tired horses down an ill-defined trail through North Carolina woods. The one was a New Yorker—keen, alert, dark-haired and chronically one day behind with his shaving. His companion, who rode with difficulty his rough-gaited Kentucky mare, was obtrusively British. Everything, from his deer-stalker cap to his yellow pigskin gaiters with their buttons down the shin, betrayed him for a recent importation from the islands beyond the sea. They were not friends—scarcely acquaintances. They had foregathered some few miles back at cross-roads, and finding that they were heading in the same direction, had jogged along in company.

For the past hour the multitude of trails had bothered them much, and there had been a good deal of toss-up in their choice, and at last neither had any further ideas to offer about the route, and there was no question, but what they were most satisfactorily lost. The last blue of the sky was turning to a cooler purple, and a couple of tree-toads were already commencing the overture to their nightly opera.

"Say," remarked the American, "have you ever ridden down a strange trail of this sort after nightfall?"

"Can't say that I have."

"Then, sir, you've an experience in store which won't be all molasses. You wait till the trees begin to sneak up and hit you on the kneecap, then you'll—Great Col-um-bus! see that?"

"What, these green shrubs?"

"Corn, siree. 'Indian corn' you call it 'way back in the old country. And here we are. A nigger cabin, I guess. 'Tain't good enough for a tarheeler's shanty."

They wheeled round the edge of the corn patch, their horses picking a way cautiously over the outshooting roots of timber and pulled up before a small frame house. As though their arrival had been expected, the rough door swung open, and a man stepped out, and faced them. He was an old man, and heavily bearded. He stood quite four inches above the fathom in his boots, and in the hollow of his left arm he carried a weapon, single-barreled and hammerless.

He pointed to this and introduced it.

"Gentlemen," he said, "this is about the latest—Rawnsley's ten-fire repeating shot gun. The first of you that slips a hand toward the sly pocket of his pants will get a hole let into him that a yoke of steers could drive through. If you want to stay you've got to fight it out."

He of the yellow gaiters laughed.

"What quaint people you Americans are!" he said. "Why the devil you should threaten war in this unexpected fashion I can't imagine."

"Ho! You're a Britisher?"

"English—quite English."

"And your companion—isn't he an excise man, either?"

The Englishman shrugged his shoulders and the New Yorker answered for himself.

"S. T. Vanrennan, real estate agent, Irving Place, New York City. Stick to my own trade, colonel, and shouldn't know what a blockade still was if I was shown one."

For a moment the old man seemed inclined to resent this last remark, but only for a moment. Then Southern hospitality asserted itself.

"Well gentlemen," he said, "how can I serve you?"

"By putting us on the road for Asheville."

"I could not do it. Asheville's good thirty miles beyond this, and the trail's far too bad for strangers to follow in the dark. You must bunk with me, gentlemen, this night."

There was a little more talk, and then the horses were led round to a barn at the back, unsaddled, rubbed down roughly and presented with six corn cobs apiece; after which the two adjourned to the cabin, supped off heavy corn-bread, strong-flavored bacon and raw, biting smoky corn whisky. After the meal the Yankee, pleading tiredness, retired to the far room and slept. The Briton, who was traveling in the mountains to pick up character, was glad enough to sit up with his host and talk beside the smelly kerosene lamp over granulated tobacco and corn-cob pipes.

Their conversation was on the whole desultory. Only twice was it interrupted. On these occasions footsteps made themselves heard on the hard red ground outside, and then, after a pause, a silver half dollar rolled in under the door. The old man pocketed the coin, lifted the latch, and reaching a hand out into the darkness brought in a quart bottle which he proceeded to fill from a keg that wafted through the hut a strong smell of smoky spirit. Afterward he thrust out the bottle into the night, and the heavy footsteps recommenced and died out in diminuendo.

On the first occasion the old man commented to his guest: "Say, sir, you're what they call in the mountains a tenderfoot, but, from the face of you, you seem straight. Please remember you've seen no hing."

"I'm under the tie of bread and salt," said the Englishman, "you needn't fear me," and fell to talking about the game in the woods.

When the Englishman awoke next morning he found that his traveling companion had already departed.

"I didn't press him to stay," said old man, "but I hope you will honor me with a longer visit. My name is Colonel Swanlee, which you may have seen mentioned in accounts of the war, and once I had a forty-room house here and close on 200 niggers working on a fine estate. The house and the niggers are gone, and the estate has run back for the most part into forest. You know the war ruined most of us southern gentlemen, and our lands were bought up by porkpackers and successful drummers and Yankee trash generally. I've been luckier than some. I haven't sold a rod of ground. I've been spared seeing a filthy railroad plow through my land, and I've some other mercies to be thankful for. That northerner was right when he hinted at my having a blockade still round here. I do run one. I know it's against the law, but the law — as laid down by the Yankee—ruined me. Consequently I've, but small respect for it, specially as now it's sized to suit all shades of color. Come, sir; you said last night you were in no hurry to get on. Will you stay awhile and rough it with me?"

The invitation was genuine, and the Englishman remained, and because the life was fresh and interesting to him, and because Old Man Swanlee was loath to let him go, he stayed on till the weeks grew to over a month. There was much to occupy his time; any one with a taste for scenery may gratify it to the full in the wooded mountains and valleys of the Alleghany country. Sometimes he took his horse and rode along the rough trails far afield—over the Great Smokies, and looked down on Tennessee. Sometimes he roamed through the second-growth forest which had sprung up in tropical luxuriance over the once-cleared land, occasionally shooting a wild turkey or a hawk or a flying squirrel, or whipping in two a small rattlesnake, but for the most part finding full enjoyment in admiring this gallery of pictures which Nature by herself had painted.

Once, indeed, he visited the distillery in its weird hiding-place under the water fall and glanced curiously over the crude appliances with which the fiery corn whisky was produced. But that was only once, and, indeed, the still was seldom referred to. In the evening, when they sat together under the wooden piazza, the Englishman and his host either rocked and smoked in silence, looking into the warm southern night, and listening to its myriad insect noises, or else the old man would talk and unfold pictures of past southern splendor in the halcyon days "befo' the wa'." They seemed to be living then in an atmosphere of nearly half a century before, and at times the Englishman had hard work to bring himself back to the true realities.

But at last there came a breaking up of the pastoral, and it arrived in barbarous shape. The place was raided by the revenue men.

The visitor was away bee-hunting in the woods when they arrived, but hastened back when the sound of heavy firing came down to him over the timber. He gained the hut, perhaps luckily, too late for interference, but the history of what had occurred was written out before him in ruddy lettering. Three officers of the excise lay twisted and dead on the red soil, shot down by that terrible ten-fire repeater, which carried its charge like a heavy ball for the short distance. Farther out was Vanrennan, doubled up over a stump like a half-filled meal sack. Flitting in and about the trees, still farther down the trail, were four saddled horses leisurely grazing.

There was no sign of Old Man Swanlee.

Had he run for the woods or—

The newcomer rushed across the clearing and into the cabin. The Carolina planter, the Confederate colonel the blockade distiller, was stretched out on the floor, with blood oozing into pools around him. The Englishman shouldered and bent down for examination. An ear shredded through by one bullet, temple grazed by another, left elbow shattered by a third; none of these were mortal; none could cause this prostration. Ah! there was a worse wound—in the groins; that meant death.

Under the impromptu surgery the old man woke up.

"That blasted Yankee Vanrennan! says I shot his father at Seven Pines when I was skirmishing for Lee outside Richmond. Very likely; I know the orders were to take no prisoners. It was all in the way of business. And then, by way of dirty vengeance, he brings the excise about my ears. No southern gentleman would have done that — none, but a mongrel Dutch Yankee. However, he's got his gruel, and so have the revenue men; and I'm dying and—Hello! who are you?"

Old Man Swanlee gripped his gun again and started up full of fight.

"Oh, it's you, sir, is it? I ask your pardon, I'm sure," he said, bowing with old-fashioned courtesy, "but this little domestic trouble must be my excuse. Those fellows have pumped lead into me till I've been a trifle thrust off my balance. Thanks, if you would assist me on the floor again and bring the corner of that box under my head."

He rested a minute to collect his thoughts, and then went on afresh.

"Now, Mr. (I've forgotten your name,) circumstances compel me to ask you an immense favor. I've had good comrades and I've had staunch friends, but some were shot in the war and some have died since, and the rest are scattered I know not where. There isn't a soul within riding distance to whom I can entrust my little girl."

"Your daughter is this that you're speaking about?"

"That's so. I haven't mentioned her before. I don't let her have any truck with the lot down here, and didn't intend to until the place was ready to receive her as she should be received—as my mother was received when she come upon this estate. Yes, sir, that's what I've been toiling and slaving for all these years, barely spending a dollar in cash, except a few an acre for taxes, holding on to the land with a miser's grip, while the forest stamped the snake fences out of sight, brewing a vile spirit for the mountaineers around. No, sir, I've not sold moonlight whiskey because I liked it, or hugged my balance at the banks merely to put myself back on the ancestral dunghill. I've done my crowing. But, sir, when my little girl was born in Richmond, during the siege, my wife made me promise before she died, that, come what might, I'd see the child mistress of the house we'd been driven from here. My wife was a very proud woman, sir; her family claimed descent from Pocahontas."

"But," objected the listener, "I don't see how this could be. Since slavery has been abolished—"

"One can't get the lazy brutes of negroes to work? Quite so. But I'd a scheme, sir, to remedy that. It would have been frightful gall to the Yankees, but it would have paid here all the same. I should have imported Chinese labor, and with that and a strong hand things would have been much the same as they were in the old days. But that scheme must be abandoned now. A man without previous experience such as myself, would never know how to manage such cattle. Would you kindly reach me that bottle out of the locker? I'm getting very faint. Thanks. I seldom patronize my own brew, but, what ever its demerits, it has strength. However, I haven't got much time left, and I must come to the point. America was no place for a Southern girl after the war. With the niggers stirred up as they were, there was no telling what might happen to her. So I sent the child to a convent in Paris, and there she's remained ever since. But she's finished her education and she's coming home right now—coming home to her inheritance. Yes, sir, the estate will be hers in an hour or so's time, and with it a matter of $50,000 that have come out of moonlight whiskey. Now, sir, will you give a dying man a hand?"

"I will do anything that lies in my power."

"Then find my daughter," came the astonishing reply, "and marry her."

Horror-struck, the Englishman started to his feet. Did not this man realize he was a murderer, still red-handed?

"My God!" said Old Man Swanlee, "you are not going to refuse me?" He stretched out a bony hand and caught at the other's gaiter. "Heavens, man! think what you are saying. Think what this means to me!"

The other turned away his head in despair.

"It is not much. I'm asking. She's beautiful. I had her photograph sent me only the other day. She's highly educated; she's well-born; she's rich. What more can a young man want in a wife?"

"But," broke in the Englishman, desperately, "I am not free. I met a young girl in Paris a while back and crossed with her here in the boat from Harve. Before we landed in New York she had promised to become my wife. I never could marry anyone else. I—er—in short, I love her."

The old man's knotted hands wrestled with one another tremulously. "I see," he said at last with a heavy sigh. "I should like it to have been, but what you say is final. Still, sir, you must do something else for me, if you will."

"Anything that lies within my power," exclaimed the other. "Believe me, anything."

"Then find out my daughter and act as her guardian. Give her my dying command to obey you in everything, and she will do it. See that she has her rights; guard her from adventurers; watch that she marries a good husband, a man that is worthy of her, one that will treat her well."

The old man's voice had died down almost to a whisper.

His companion stood over him. "I will do all you ask," he said earnestly. "But you had better tell me now where I shall find Miss Swanlee."

"Thanks; you are very good. But I ought to have told you she is not bearing that name now. To avoid complications which arose after the war I made her take another, which she will carry till she comes back here. She was christened Miriam, after her mother, and—"

The old man's voice dropped.

"Yes, yes, said the Englishman impatiently; "but what is the surname?"

"Lee."

"What, Miriam Frances Lee."

"Just God! That is the girl to whom I am engaged!"

The Englishman reeled against the table, staring wildly at his host. Old Man Swanlee had ceased to live, but the angle of the hut propped him against falling. On his grim old face there was a curious look of satisfaction.
—C. J. Cutliffe Hyne.

People Who Fuss and Fidget.

Some people never cease to be at ease. They are always fussing, fidgeting, worrying or borrowing trouble. They actually feel uncomfortable if they do not find something to worry about.

People of this kind always have small, narrow minds. Worrying is a sure indication of weakness. It is a confession that we are not equal to our daily tasks, and that we have not the ability to cultivate and care for the little plot of ground that has been entrusted to us. We worry because we are not self-centered, and because we have not learned to walk with the poise and dignity becoming the children of a great Father.

No large, generous soul was ever a worrier. Calmness, serenity, poise and power to move through life rhythmically, without jar or fret, are characteristic of greatness and true nobility.

The largest attendance that ever witnessed a basket ball game at the Quincy Y. M. C. A. was present Saturday evening at the game which settled the Y. M. C. A. league championship. Melrose and Boston were a tie for the honor, and selected Quincy as neutral ground. It was a very closely contested game and Melrose won by the score of 19 to 16. Two twenty minute halves were played.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.* The Kind You Have Always Bought

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, March 31, 1906.

Never in the history of the United States Senate has senatorial dignity been so assailed as during the past year. The theory that the Senate was created as the conservative balance of the legislative department of our government and was above and beyond the criticism or dissapproval of the people has been rudely shaken of late. Journalists following the lead of courts and Editorial writers are filling the magazines with attacks individual and collective against the integrity and honor of the Senate. Since the beginning of the scandal in which Senators Mitchell and Burton of Oregon and Kansas were involved, the "Treason of the Senate" has been the theme for magazines throughout the country and if one half of what has been written could be proved many of the most prominent Senators would go out under a blacker cloud then followed Senator Mitchell. Compared with the accusations against Platt and Depew of New York the charges against Senators Mitchell and Burton are for peccadillos. Where their misdemeanors brought them a few thousands theirs, according to the magazines, have robbed workingmen, children and widows of millions. But Depew and Platt are not the only ones against whom these serious charges have been brought.

Senators Aldrich, Lodge, Gorman and others have or will come in for their share of "exposure." The effect of all this unpleasant notoriety is very disquieting to many Senators. Senator Depew is sick and sequestered in New York. Once the good comrade of all successful men and the most desired of dinner guests he is now without wife or boon companions. A devoted niece takes care of him while Mrs. Depew who it is thought to escape the scandal is spending the winter in Paris. Senator Platt is wrecked in health and spends his time journeying from sanitarium to cure but finding as little rest as the wondering Jew. Those Senators who keep their seats in the Senate and who have come before the public as participants in the Senatorial treason are either defiant or carefully trying to hedge. Senator Lodge who has fallen under several hammers of the press and is scheduled for magazine denunciation offered an amendment to the Dolliver-Hepburn bill this week which may have the effect of softening the heart of the public toward him. His amendment provides for the inclusion of pipe lines in the operations of the proposed railway rate law authorizing the Interstate Commerce Commission to fix the rates of carriers. For many years the independent oil operators have been control the pipe lines but the influence of the Standard Oil has of course been thrown against it and has been so powerful that no progress has thus far been made. If this amendment is pushed it will cause a great flurry in the Senate and the public which has a sharp and cultivated eye for trust representation in the Senate by this time will have an opportunity of seeing just who are the agents of the Standard Oil in Congress.

Many of the greater newspapers of the country are not standing with the magazines in their censure of the Senate and believe with Andrew Carnegie that the Senate is still the fortress of the Government. But according to the magazines this is not the question at issue. The Senate, they say, has ideals and traditions that are above reproach but it is with individual Senators who go to make up the body that they deal. When these are the paid agents of Railroad, Meat, Insurance, Oil, or other Trusts, and are representing not the people, not the nation or their state but the interests of these corporations in Congress they are fit subjects for exposure and censure, and the magazines have succeeded no doubt in giving many an unpleasant hour to Aldrich, the Czar of the Senate, Gorman, Keane, Lodge, Elkins, and several other wealthy representatives of oppressive and tyrannous corporate interest.

Seven direct charges against former Consul General McWade of Canton, China, and eighty-two charges against former Consul General Goodnow at Shanghai are offered by Secretary Root of the State department as an argument that we should have a regular inspection service of our Consulates. The charges against McWade include such subjects as "gross drunkenness, the employment of a felon, issuance of fraudulant Chinese certificates; extending the protection of the consulate to Chinamen as American citizens; persecution of an American for the purpose of revenge and corruption in office." The eighty-two charges against Goodnow are sufficient to cover nearly every crime on the calendar, excepting murder, and would put a hardened criminal to shame. Assistant Secretary of State Peirce has been making the investigation which resulted in the recall of these two men and which will have the effect of making several others step down. Mr. Peirce visited the consulates at Cairo, Alexandria, Port Said, Suez, Aden, Colombo, Singapore, Hong Kong, Canton, Fuchau, Shanghai, Hankau, Chefoo and Vladivostock. His findings of the conditions of affairs at Canton and Shanghai reveal the worst state of affairs but he discovers at other ports drunkards, thieves and other low characters representing the United States. At Fuchau he discovered the Consul to be "past the age for vigorous work," and as he says, "Closely affiliated with missionary interests. The confidential report issued by Mr. Peirce makes interesting reading as revealing beyond question the great necessity of consular reform, a reform which will begin at the beginning and make appointments for merit and qualification alone, instead of by influence and "pull" as has been the custom heretofore.

Senator Knox's speech in the Senate this week on the railway rate bill was devoted principally to maintaining the position that while Congress may regulate railway rates through an administrative Commission the parties, claiming their rights have been violated by the rulings of the Commission, have the right to a hearing in the Federal courts and to a review of the Commissioner's orders. The omission of any provisions in the Hepburn Bill to provide for such a court review, in his opinion, renders it unconstitutional. He argued that the law should provide a method for testing the lawfulness of rates prescribed by the commission. "It is the heritage" he said "of every English speaking man or association of men to have his rights determined in court.

Adams.

A Cafe Known by its Linen.

On the continent of Europe the table napkin is charged to you, put down in cold pencil on the check brought by the waiter—2 cents in our money, whatever it may happen to be in centimes or pfennings.

This, at first blush (says the Philadelphia Inquirer,) appears to be brutal. Many a wail of indignation has gone up from American travellers abroad because of the injustice of it; but, when all is said and done, in most all big cities, though it is not itemized, the napkin is paid for, just the same, the price of the dinner deciding its quality and frequently its presence.

For example, one goes to the highest-priced hotel in the city and the napkin borders on the splendid. About the size of an infant tablecloth it flaunts itself. Of damask, emblazoned with the monogram of the hotel in letters of gleaming whiteness, it serves to dazzle.

Aside from which, it is laid courteously across the lap by an obsequious waiter, whose dress suit matches it in grandeur, if not in color. The glisten-damask of the tablecloth does match.

Go to a hotel a trifle less expensive, and the linen is of a lower quality, not quiet so extravagant as to width and expansiveness, a shade less glistening, the monogram neither so elaborate nor so large.

Go to a third-rate hotel, and the linen is impossible.

It is the same with the restaurants. The price you pay decides the quality of the linen, its crispness, its shine. Pay less and the gloss is gone. Likewise, occasionally, the napkin.

Patronize a cheap restaurant, and the napkins are piled up beside you on the table. They are for you to take your choice, but there is little choice. They are all alike, badly ironed, bulgy of hem and unbeautiful. No obsequious waiter. No flourish of laying it carefully over your gown. Courtesy and beauty are to be paid for; else you go without.

Go to a still cheaper restaurant. The napkins shrink. In some places to such a degree that you can hardly notice it at all.

At the restaurant of the marble table you find a napkin of exceeding smallness. A cheaper place yet, and as likely as not you come upon the paper napkin, which may be considered worse than no napkin at all.

Still cheaper, descending to the wooden table, where men sit in their shirt sleeves and smoke, and the napkin disappears entirely, as if, along with civilization and its twin sister, cleanliness, it had never come into existence.

Use for Old Shoes.

Janitors collect the shoes cast away by tenants and sell them to auction rooms, where they are sorted into piles marked "Men," "Women," "Children."

Several poor people made fair bids, but the auctioneer did not seem eager to sell. Finally, a red faced man pushed his way through the crowd and offered ten cents apiece for the whole lot. His bid was successful.

"I was killing time with talk waiting for that fellow," said the auctioneer afterward. He always pays high for these shoes, and he does not want them for wearing, either. He wants them to beat them out for the leather in them. He gets what material there is, puts it through a process and makes stamped imitation leather novelties, such as picture frames, bags, pocketbooks, penknife holders, and even chair backs and seats. He finds a ready sale for these novelties and gets a good price for them."—Shoe Retailer.

Why His Father Loves Him.

Little Georgie is the apple of his father's eye and it would seem that he deserves to be. A little while ago a rough-looking individual came to the house where little Georgie lives, and grasped him by the collar.

"If you don't tell me where your father keeps his money," growled this exemplary person, "I'll knock yer 'ead orf yer shoulders, an' arfter that I'll eat yer!"

"Oh, please don't do that sir," whimpered Georgie. You'll find all the money we've got in an old waistcoat in the kitchen."

Two minutes later a bruised and battered wreck was heaved through the front door of little Georgie's dwelling place, and sat for awhile in the gutter and blinked.

"That kid's too smart—unnatural smart," it muttered. "Never said a word about 'is ole man bein' inside the week't."—Answers.

Imitation Jewelry.

"Never have I known such a craze for imitation jewelry as now," was the remark of the manager of one of the big department stores, and it only needs a glance to see that in a store where the crowds are greatest the imitation jewelry lies.

"We can't supply the demand," went on the manager, "and I know it is the case not alone with us, but even more so with those firms who make a specialty of selling it alone.

"Jewelers who have for years been in the business have told me that their trade has suffered greatly from this cause. Such art and skill have entered into its manufacture that in many cases it can't be told from the real, and very frequently women who can afford better things purchase the cheaper sort when some article is seen to be but a passing fad. That many of the wealthy women in society have duplicates of their handsome jewelry we all know."—New York Sun.

—The railroads of the country receive nearly a million dollars a week for carring the United States mails, the exact sum in 1905 being $45,279,940.04.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 1906.

Coal Strike.

The coal strike is on, but it is hoped by citizens generally that its duration will be short; but the prospects are not very encouraging as there is too much money made out of it.

The coal operaters are happy because they are lining their pockets—selling the large quantity of coal that had accumulated at good prices, which they could not have done if it had not been for the strike. The coal miners are contented, being supplied with cash by the Union without doing any work. The coal dealers are smiling, as they are getting fifty cents to one dollar a ton more for the large quantity of coal they have on hand. Probably a profit of $1000 or more.

But how about the poor families; are they enjoying it? Not much. It is very hard for them. But they cannot say much. They are the ones that encourage strikes and they are the ones that usually suffer the most. The rich can have all they want, as they have the money to pay for it although it often galls them to pay the big prices asked.

High School Honors.

At the close of school yesterday head master Harper of the High school announced the first five honors of the class of 1906.

The valedictorian honor was awarded Lucien Hamilton Thayer of Wollaston, a son of the late Edmund G. Thayer who was the architect of the present High school building.

The other honors awarded were as follows:

Second,—Dorothy Fay, daughter of City Treasurer Henry G. Fay of Wollaston.

Third, — Mary Alice Reinhalter, daughter of Mrs. Hannah Reinhalter of West Quincy.

Fourth, Rina Pierina Clarinda Bizzozero, aughterd of Ernest Bizzozero of West Quincy.

Fifth, Eugene Saunders, son of Walter C. Saunders of Wollaston.

This is the first time for several years that the valedictorian has been a boy.

The honors this year were divided between Wollaston and West Quincy. The first, second and fifth going to Wollaston pupils, while the third and fourth go to West Quincy.

Another thing worthy of mention is that one of the honors went to a daughter of a gentleman born in Italy.

There are five more honors to be awarded, for which there are a number of possible winners.

Hon. Albert A. Brackett.

Hon. Albert A. Brackett, the ex-selectman of Milton and ex-senator of this district, died Wednesday evening at his residence on Granite place, East Milton, after a week's illness, in his 56th year. He was whole-hearted, generous and popular with a large circle of friends, and a self-made man.

Mr. Brackett was born in Quincy, and educated in the public schools of the town. Leaving the High school at the age of fifteen years he entered the National Mount Wollaston bank as clerk. He was subsequently employed as clerk in the wholesale leather house of E. B. Pratt & Co. in Boston. He was connected with this house about [illegible] of the time as partner.

In 1878 he started in business for himself, opening a wholesale leather house at 90 High street, Boston, and later was the first tenant in the building at 64 South street.

Since 1874 Mr. Brackett has been a resident of Milton. He married Miss Lavinia H. Bunton of that town, a daughter of the late Jesse Bunton. They had a son who recently died, and one daughter, Mrs. W. D. Parsons, who lives nearby. Mrs. Brackett is a member of the board of overseers of the poor of the town, and prominent in the work of the King's Daughters and the local Congregational church. Because of the substantial assistance given about two years ago the church was very prettily remodelled.

In the eighties Mr. Brackett entered public life. For several years he was elected a member of the board of selectmen and served as chairman. Then he was elected as a Republican to the House of Representatives and in 1902 and 1903 represented this senatorial district in the Senate.

Through the efforts of Mr. Brackett East Milton secured many of her improvements, and a very pretty neighborhood was built up by him known as Belcher circle.

Mr. Brackett was a past master of Rural lodge of Masons of Quincy, being master from November, 1882, to November, 1884. His death is the first break in the list of past masters of the lodge who have served since 1876. He was also a member of Joseph Warren commandery of Knights Templar.

Mr. Brackett's last visit to Boston was on Monday, March 26, when he fell in a faint on the street, and was taken home. Then he suffered with neuralgia, and died of apoplexy.

Mr. Brackett was' the son of the late Charles C. and Sarah (Peabody) Brackett, who resided on Hancock street, Quincy, the site of the present residence of Horace F. Spear. When a boy he carried a Quincy Patriot route and was always proud of it.

Funeral services will be held today at 3 P. M.

Grass Fires.

The season for grass fires is at hand and the fire department is being kept busy extinguishing fires that get beyond control and are threatening buildings.

Wednesday afternoon at 4.05 the central station hose wagon was called on a still alarm to extinguish a grass fire in the rear of the residence of W. B. Rice on Adams street.

At 6.03 Wednesday evening an alarm from Box 28 sammoned the department to a brisk fire in the woods at the foot of Greenleaf street. The recall was promptly sounded. Box 28 is just half way between the Central and Wollaston stations and therefore furnished a good test as to the quickness of these two stations in responding.

The Central Station Hose turned the corner of Greenleaf street with quite a lead. It was neck and neck, however, with the two Hook and Ladder trucks. Both were seen approaching the box from opposite directions and there was some speculation as to which would turn the corner first. Wollaston gained the goal, however, but the driver of the Central station had to pull in his horses at the corner to let Wollaston in, doing it to avoid a collision. The Wollaston hose wagon which came via Newport avenue and Alleyne street was some minutes behind and the steamer was last of all.

The central station hose wagon was called out again at 7.20 Wednesday evening for a fire in the woods off Quincy avenue.

CITY BRIEFS.

Palm Sunday April 8.

Next week will be Holy week.

Full moon next Monday evening.

The City Council will not hold another meeting until Monday, April 16.

Mrs. Robinson left Tuesday night for her home on the Cape.

Mrs. W. L. Chase returned Tuesday from a six weeks' visit at The Rockledge, Nashua, N. H.

The sun now sets after six o'clock, and next week the days will be thirteen hours long.

Pastors and musical directors are requested to forward Easter programs to the Daily Ledger early next week.

The city now has two or three gangs at work making house connections with the sewer.

The estate of William E. Howe on Bigelow street has been connected with the sewer this week.

Miss Edna Wood and Miss Minnie Packard of Wellesley college are home for the two weeks' spring vacation.

A leak was discovered Tuesday, in the service gas main that supplies the occupants of the Dargin-Merrill block.

There is so much going on this month that it is hard for those wishing to give entertainments, to find an open date.

The moving month has arrived and a great many people seem to be on the move. Desirable houses are quickly snapped up.

Combination No. 1 at the Central fire station went out of commission Wednesday for repairs. The old Hose 4 wagon is doing duty in its place.

The deposits of the Quincy Savings bank on March 31 amounted to $3,743,-942.74, and the bank had assets of $4,-022,627.10.

The City Hospital is rejoicing in the receipt of the $5,000 legacy from estate of John J. Day. May there be many duplicates.

The tramp social which was to be given by the Junior Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A., Thursday, April 12, has been postponed until Thursday, April 26, at 6.30 P. M.

If you want to be sure of an Easter bunch of violets, or Easter lilies and cut flowers send in an early order to Patterson, the florist, and you will not be disappointed.

John J. Duggan, local agent for the Columbian National Life Insurance Company, has taken two of the rooms in the Durgin and Merrill block, recently occupied by the Quincy Quarry Co.

The House passed to be engrossed March 30 without debate, the Senate bill to authorize Fallon Brothers to construct a bridge over Town River in the city of Quincy.

On Wednesday the Secretary of the Navy advertised for proposals for constructing by contract two battleships, bids to be publicly opened on Saturday, June 2.

At the East Norfolk C. E. Union meeting Monday evening, in South Braintree an interesting and most helpful address was given by Mr. Parker, the field secretary on the subject, "Results of our work."

The commissioners appointed to apportion the cost of the bridge over the Weymouth Fore River will take their case to the Superior court. There was a hearing on Tuesday before the committee on counties of the Legislature.

Several of our Unitarians are participating in the social teas given on Wednesday afternoons at the rooms of the American Unitarian association, 25 Beacon street, Boston. The pourers next week are Mrs. Thomas Allen and Mrs. Dudley L. Pickman.

Truant Officer C. H. Johnson attended the annual meeting and banquet of the Massachusetts Truant Officers Association at North Chelmsford Truant School for Middlesex County. Mr. Johnson spoke upon the present school laws.

Miss Mary Perkins assisted by Miss Emily C. Wild is giving a cake and candy sale at her home on Washington street this afternoon and evening for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery. People are contributing generously and it is hoped there will also be a large patronage.

Rev. John J. Coan of St. John's church, Rev. John P. Cuffe of the Sacred Heart church, and Rev. Ambrose F. Roche of St. Mary's church were among the many clergymen who attended the welcome to Archbishop O'Connell at the Cathedral in Boston on Wednesday.

F. Everett Winslow, formerly of Quincy, took the leading part this week in the opera "The Maid and the Middy" given in the Brockton theatre under the auspices of the matrons of the Universalist church. Quincy friends were present. It is a great hit.

Five young men of the Quincy High school who have a club known as the Theta Sigma Phi gave a dance at Colonial hall March 30th which was attended by 25 couples and which was a pretty affair. The matrons were Mrs. G. B. Bates and Mrs F. F. Prescott. Music was by Merrill's orchestra. Punch was served.

Mrs. Charles Denison Holmes is giving a luncheon at the Buckminster, Boston on Tuesday, April tenth to Miss Floretta Vining and other women associated with her in patriotic work. Miss Vining has left the Parker house and returned to Hull for the spring and summer season which she expects will be busy for her as she is to manage Vining villa again.

What promises to be one of the best entertainments of the season is the "District School," to be given on Tuesday evening, April 17th, at First church chapel, under the auspices of the Quincy Historical Society. It is to be a typical old time district school. Well known men and women will be among the pupils and a lively session is predicted. Mr. Emery L. Crane has the arrangements in charge.

The Dickens' afternoon held by the Friday club late in January at the home of Mrs. W. E. Alben and enjoyed by a few invited guests, is to be repeated, by request, early in May at the home of Mrs. Theophilus King, Adams street, for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery. The afternoon was the regular routine work done by this club but was thought too good to be enjoyed by a few, hence the request for a repetition.

The Young Men's Christian Association are planning to have on the 19th of April a handicap run open to any one in the city. The route proposed is as follows: Starting at the building on Washington street, run to Hancock, Adams, Newport avenue, Beale, Adams to East Milton station, round hose house into Willard, Copeland, Granite, Hancock, Temple and Washington streets to building. The entrance fee will be 25 cents, and the time to enter is now. Prizes will be awarded.

Ex-Mayor John O. Hall has moved from Hancock street to Upland road.

Vacation of the Quincy schools next week.

Miss Ethel V. Merritt is visiting in Brockton for a few days.

Miss A. A. Ham of Winthrop was entertained by Miss M. Lizzie Furnald over Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Penniman is the guest of her son, George W. Penniman of Brockton.

The season for awnings is now on and the street watering season is near at hand.

Joel F. Sheppard and a classmate at Cornell university, who has been his guest, returned to school Sunday night.

Wednesday, March 21, was the lucky day for the cash buyers at the store of George W. Jones last month.

Alden and Cecil Blanchard, sons of W. E. Blanchard of Presidents hill, are home from Amherst college during the spring vacation.

Mrs. Carolyn B. Mellen of Bay View street, who has been spending a few days at Bristol, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Spear of Washington street, has improved her house in having the roof slated by John G. Thomas of Wollaston.

The Major's staff of the United Boys Brigade of Quincy will run their annual minstrel show soon, and it is expected that somebody will get good knocks.

Another meeting of the School Committee to examine plans for a new school building at Atlantic will be held this evening.

Work on the High school addition is now progressing rapidly. The north or Butler road brick wall being built up above the first story.

Mr. W. Bloxham of Lynchburg, Va., who is supervisor of the work of the International Pump Co., of New York, is at the Greenleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Sedgwick of Goffe street left Monday for Iowa, having been summoned by the illness of Mr. Sedgwick's mother.

William C. Eichorn of Warren street, Roxbury, moved with his family to their summer cottage at Houghs Neck on Saturday.

Mrs. L. N. Ross, who has been absent in Maine for the past two years, renewed old acquaintances in this city the past week.

Miss Mattie Holton, who has been spending the past three weeks at her home on Edwards street returned on Saturday to her school at Rollinsford, N. H.

The total enrollment of the United Boys Brigade in this state at present is 2000 members. And at the first of the year there was an enrollment of 50,000 in the United States.

Lieut. H. L. Brinser was on Wednesday assigned by the Navy department to duty as assistant to inspector of equipment at works of Fore River Ship Building Company at Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fay of Lawrence announce the engagement of their granddaughter Miss Mary Fay MacKernan to Mr. John Hixon Wyeth of Quincy formerly of Sharon.

The lowest noon temperature in Quincy during March was 30 degrees on the 13th and it was above freezing point on all but four days. The highest temperature of the month was 62 degrees on the 27th.

Word has come to Quincy of the illness of typhoid fever of John Whicher. A few years ago Mr. Whicher was very ill of this same fever causing his friends much anxiety and it is hoped the present attack will be a light one.

On Monday, April 9, at 3 P. M., the regular meeting of the Woman's Alliance will meet at the chapel of the Unitarian church. A paper will be given by Rev. Bradley Gilman of Canton on Unitarian Impression of Holy Land.

The indications are that there will be an unusual large class to take the civil service examinations in this city the latter part of the present month. Examinations will be held for firemen, police, janitors, clerks and inspectors.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Spear are homeward bound from California where they with their son and daughter have passed a most delightful winter. All return much benefited by the change of climate and months of rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Miller Ryder, parents of Arthur W. Ryder of this city, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Saturday night at their home in Duxbury. Nine of their ten sons and daughters are living.

Quincy friends of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Dewson will be pleased to hear that Mrs. Dewson has so far recovered her health and strength as to be able to return to her home at the Royal, Beacon street, Boston.

Members of Adams Chapter, D. R., has received invitations from the Dorothy Q chapter to a reception at the home of Mrs. Nellie M. Farmer, 53 Appleton street, Arlington, for Monday afternoon, April 16th, from 2.30 until 5 o'clock.

The ladies are invited to examine the large and attractive stock of Spring millinery just opened by E. B. Collins in Quincy Square, opposite the fountain. Her exhibit is most complete, and will be sold at very reasonable prices.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Morton returned to their home on Spear street, Tuesday afternoon, from their trip to Mexico, which had such a serious termination for Mr. Morton, he being among those injured in a railroad accident in Arizona. Mr. Morton is glad to be at home, and is resting comfortably.

The goal toward which the members of the Granite City club are now turning is Nerses' studio in the Music hall annex block where they are having their pictures taken for the club album. Mr. Nerse takes their picture free of charge. He gives each person one picture for his own use and places a second in an album which he presents to the club.

Bulletin No. 7 of the State census of 1905 relative to commerce, reports that Quincy has 52 vessels engaged in commerce. Only seven cities and town in the state have a larger number, viz: Boston, Barnstable, Fall River, Gloucester, Salem, Nantucket and Falmouth. The gross tonnage of the vessels, however, is only 22 tons, and the total value only $3,640.

Among the appointments made on probation by the Boston School Committee at its meeting Tuesday evening was that of Arthur F. Campbell of the Quincy High school, as junior-master of the South Boston High school, from April 9. Mr. Campbell has been one of the teachers at the Quincy High since Sept. 1896, his salary being $900 per year. The minimum in Boston is $1,476 and the maximum $2,916.

Patriots' day a week from next Thursday.

Gardens, walks and lawns are receiving attention.

Roy Cobb of New York city is a guest of relatives in this city.

The public schools of the city closed yesterday for the spring vacation.

John J. Nolan, Jr., of 10 Linden place, has gone to New York to spend the Easter holidays.

"The Palms" will be sung at Christ church, Sunday, by Fred L. Wheeler, accompanied by Wendall Luce.

Tickets are out for an old time school entertainment to be given on the 17th by the Quincy Historical society.

Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus worked the initiatory degree upon twelve candidates on Thursday night.

Never before has there been such a variety of bloom for Easter as at the greenhouse of William Patterson at Wollaston.

The Junior Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. have postponed their Tramp supper and social, which was to be held April 12 until April 26.

The street railway have put into use a handsome new service car. The car is equipped with the latest devices for loading rails, sleepers, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hillman Eggleton, of Cleveland, Ohio, formerly of Quincy, are visiting a few days in Chicago, Ill., the guests of friends.

Zenas Arnold, Esq., who has been quite ill is so far improved as to be able to enjoy a few hours each day on his piazza when the weather permits.

John G. Bestgen of Quincy and the officials of the Republican State Committee were before the Suffolk grand jury on Thursday relative to the alleged contribution.

Mrs. Arthur W. Hall and children are spending a few weeks in Dorchester with her people while her new house on Upland road is being finished and made ready for occupancy.

Miss Edith Randall, who has been passing a few weeks at Likewood, left this week for Atlantic City where she is registered at hotel Dennis. She is much inproved in health.

A cake and candy sale is to be held this afternoon at the home of Miss Perkins, Washington street, for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery. All interested in this worthy cause should attend.

Many people are disgusted at the wholesale lopping off of the branches of a handsome elm tree at the junction of Canal and Wibird streets, and are wondering if the linemen had permission from the owners.

When the new fence on the Hancock street front of the Dorothy Q. estate is completed it will make a decided improvement. The present rail fence had outlived its usefulness and was in a dilapidated condition.

The 55th annual statement of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company shows a cash fund of $700,929.76 largely invested in loans on collateral and real estate, and in bank stocks and State bonds. The amount at risk is now $33,100,260.00.

Quite a party of Quincy people left Friday, for a trip to Norfolk, Va., Newport News, Old Point Comfort, Baltimore and Washington, including Mrs. F. D. Fellows, Mr. and Mrs. J. Francis Merrill, Miss Alice E. Townsend, Miss Emily Gassett and Walter Bentley and Mr. Earle Boyce. Plays were read and discussed after which a dainty repast was served.

Officer Kelliher had his attention attracted on Sunday evening to an unusual noise in a hen house at the corner of Elmwood avenue and Farrington street. Upon investigation he found two men much the worse for liquor occupying the place where the hens ought to be. Outside of the building was a third man who was completely dead to the world. The two men in the hen house were James McGrath and Edward Brett. The man outside when he sobered up said his name was William Hackett. All belonged on Winter street, Quincy Point, and had been put off a street car. They were given a ride to the police station.

S. F. Copeland leaves today for a trip to Washington.

The concert given by the Barleben string quartet at the Baptist church last week in the entertainment course was pronounced the finest ever given in Wollaston. The quartet gave four of the eight numbers, including two double ones and responded to encores. These were interspersed with vocal and instrumental solos of great merit. It is always a pleasure to hear Mrs. Herbert Y. Follett and the violinist and cellist were equally pleasing. Mrs. Chandler W. Smith was the pianist.

The Wollaston Cooperative bank will hold its annual meeting April 17.

Adams vs. Milton High.

The Adams Academy base ball team had their opening game on Wednesday, with Milton High, well in hand up to the eighth inning and it looked as though their first contest would be a victory, but it proved otherwise.

Adams scored seven runs before Milton caught onto the trick. Then Milton shut them out for five innings and helped themselves to three runs and the score was 7 to 3. Milton nearly tied the score in the eight, and in the ninth turned defeat into victory, by score of 11 to 9.

Base Ball in March.

An exciting and interesting game of ball was played on Saturday between the Railers and the Crescents, two West Quincy teams. Up to the fifth inning it looked as though the Crescents would have it all their own way, the score being 10 to 3, but in that inning the Railers succeeded in bringing in seven runs which tied the score and then it was easy. The score by innings is as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Crescents,	2	3	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	—11
Railers,	1	0	2	0	7	1	2	1		—14

The Crescents desire games with any 14 year old teams in the city. Arrangements can be made with Charles Buckley, 2 California avenue, West Quincy.

The Bigelow Ball Team.

The Bigelow base ball club will open the season on Saturday, April 14, at Merrymount park with the Quincy Social club as rivals. The team this year is made up as follows: Catcher, P. Sullivan; pitcher, Hickey; first base, Oliver or Gill; second base, Larkin; third base, Avery; short stop, Saunders; left field, J. Ford; centre field, Taylor; right field, R. Ford.

The captain is J. Ford, and the scorer Harry Histen.

The Norfolk grand jury, which has been in session all the week, is expected to report today. There are several Quincy cases on the docket.

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WOLLASTON.

The Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 with Mrs. C. S. Tenney, 115 Prospect avenue. Subject, "The Mormon Question." Paper by Mrs. A. W. Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell G. Corthell, of Wollaston, left Friday for Europe.

R. H. Sibley, of Wollaston, is on the Harvard '09 base ball squad.

It is well known that our city is infected with gypsy and brown-tail moths, so every one should be interested in the lecture to be given next Friday evening by the Unity club in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church. Mr. F. A. Bates of Braintree, south shore agent for the Gypsy Moth commission, will lecture on "Enemies to fruit and shade trees." He will tell of the habits and best methods of destroying the pests; the lecture to be illustrated by the stereopticon. It is hoped there will be a large attendance, and all interested are cordially invited to be present.

Miss Iva Briggs, of Wollaston, is home from the Worcester Oread Institute for the spring vacation.

Miss Helen Josselyn, of Wollaston, has returned from Vassar College, and is spending the Easter vacation with her parents at their winter home on Newbury street, Boston.

The Gleaners Circle will meet with Mrs. John B. Cornish, 83 Grand View avenue, Monday evening, April 9th, at 2.30 P. M.

Several of the Merrymounts came out Saturday for base ball practice.

The Wollaston Boys' Brigade met Monday evening in the chapel of the Baptist church.

Miss Mollie G. Brown, of Wollaston, took the part of Celia in the production of "As You Like It" at Radcliffe college last week Friday and Saturday.

The Merrymont club is not very enthusiastic over base ball this year because they are unable to secure Merrymount park but one Saturday in three.

Frank W. Holmes, formerly of South Quincy and now of Wollaston and Brockton, was arraigned in court at Brockton last week for alleged non-support of his wife who now lives in that city. He was fined $20 but appealed.

The fine new house being built on Grand View avenue on the lot adjoining Mr. Arthur Sibley's estate is owned and will be occupied when completed by Mr. Chadbourne.

The last old-fashioned dance for the season was held in Wollaston hall, March 30. The usual large number of people were present in spite of the rain, and the season ended with a very pretty party.

Mrs. Buchanan, who has been the guest of her son John of Winthrop avenue for the past four months, sailed on Mar. 30 on the S. S. Bohemian for her home in England. She will be missed by the many friends she made while in this city.

Dr. Jordon's Sunday school class entertained the other classes of the Wollaston Unitarian Sunday school at a Salamagundi party in the vestry, Games of all sorts were played and a general good time was enjoyed. Fruit punch and cakes were served for refreshment.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Blake are sending their congratulations, because of the arrival of another candidate for the boys' brigade. The baby boy cannot as yet have "both heels on the same line and as near together as the conformation of the man permits.

The monthly meeting of the Garrick dramatic club was held with Miss Elizabeth Hubbard, Brooks street Monday evening. The evening's entertainment was in charge of Miss Hubbard and Mr. Earle Boyce. Plays were read and discussed after which a dainty repast was served.

Notices were sent out this week for a reunion of the classes of 1899-1905 of the Quincy High school. The reunion will be held in High School Hall, Wednesday, April 18. There will be an entertainment at 7.45, followed by a half-hour social promenade and dancing until twelve.

Palm Sunday will be the first day of Holy Week, and daily services will be held at Christ church at 4.30 P. M. Holy communion service on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, and on Good Friday evening Stainers crucifixion will be sung at 8 o'clock. At 3 P. M. Saturday the annual service for baptism of children.

Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, has leased Greenleaf hall for a year, and will hold its first meeting there Thursday night, when the first degree will be worked upon a number of candidates. At the end of the year the council expects to have a permanent home of its own.

The Board of Trade held a very largely attended meeting of representative citizens at their rooms Wednesday evening. A lively and interesting discussion took place on water meters and there was an unanimous sentiment in favor of the city adopting water meters. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

The lodge room of Rural lodge was none too large to accommodate the brethren present Thursday evening. Fifty or more of Wollaston lodge were present in addition to a large number of visitors from other lodges in this vicinity. The third degree was worked, Worshipful Master Henry G. Fay and the officers of Wollaston lodge working the last candidate.

The Mothers' meeting in Bethany chapel on Wednesday afternoon was well attended. The devotional exercises led by Mrs. Charles W. Miller, gave very helpful thoughts on the "Word of God." Miss Hultman charmed all with her solos, and Dr. Abner Packard's paper on "The care of the teeth" brought to the attention much knowledge and advice worth heeding.

The annual May party for children is to be held on Saturday afternoon, April 28th at Quincy Music hall. This is an event always looked forward to by the children for a grand good time is given them and they indulge in candy, ice cream, and May baskets, and also enjoy the entertainment provided for them. The proceeds go for the support of the summer kindergarten schools.

Among the Navy orders issued at Washington on Tuesday was one of local interest. Lieutenant-Commander P. W. Hourigan, from Constellation April 30 to the works of the Fore River Ship & Engine Building Company, Quincy, Mass., for duty in connection with fitting out New Jersey, and to duty as executive officer of that vessel when commissioned.

Mr. and Mrs. Madison Mott Cannon are leaving Quincy next week for Brunswick, Georgia, where Mr. Cannon is superintending work that will occupy his attention for a year or two. Mr. and Mrs. Cannon consider Quincy their home and hope to return here at the completion of the contract. In the meantime Mr. Cannon will be here frequently on business and Mrs. Cannon and baby will doubtless often accompany him.

QUINCY POINT.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Quincy Point church will hold a social in the church vestry, Wednesday evening, April 11.

Mrs. Daniel Scouler of Madison avenue has returned from Bath, Maine.

Work is rapidly progressing on Benjamin Sargent's new home on Willow street.

The committee on painting the Point church met Wednesday evening at the home of Dr. Bushnell.

Mrs. E. H. Bushnell has been called to Albany, Vermont, by the sudden death of her father.

Two new home department classes have been started, in connection with the Quincy Point Sunday-school.

T. B. Pollard has commenced extensive improvements on his house on Edison street. George Bailey and Charles Sherburn are doing the work.

The Huscarls of the King have purchased quite a supply of athletic goods for their own use.

Mrs. James Corprew of Washington street, Quincy Point, is able to be out again, after suffering for four weeks from the effects of a broken ankle.

The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Angus G. MacDonnell, of Madison avenue, took place Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Godfrey of Packard street, has purchased the boarding house on Broadway now occupied by Mrs. Godreau.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Scouler, Jr., will make their home in Philadelphia, Pa., for a while, where Mr. Scouler is getting out plans for the new Subway stations in that city.

The steam trawler Spray, built in Quincy, landed in Boston on Tuesday last 100,000 pounds haddock, 30,000 pounds codfish, 5,000 pounds flounders. Prices were low.

Several members of the Quincy Point Sunday school have the good record of being present at Sunday school every Sunday for the past three months. Aside from this record three young men have attended church at the Sunday morning service, every Sunday for the same length of time.

Miss Elizabeth Robbin of the Perkins' Institute for the blind is spending her vacation with Mrs. W. M. B. Crosby of Cotuit. Miss Robbin was one of Mrs. Crosby's Sunday-school scholars in the Phillip's church in South Boston, and she has made many visits to Mrs. Crosby's former home in Quincy Point.

The funeral of Mrs. Carrie Prescott McLeod, who died on Saturday, was held on Monday afternoon, many relatives and friends being present. There were several beautiful floral tributes. Rev. E. C. Butler officiated and three favorite hymns were sung. The interment was in the family lot at Mt. Wollaston.

Alex Bullock has severed his connections with the Fore River Co. and accepted a position with the General Electric Co., of Lynn. He will be greatly missed by his many friends and acquaintances that he made while in this city. He was a general favorite of all. Being manager of the Quincy Base Ball club, the club greatly regret his departure, but congratulate him on having secured a better situation, and wish him success.

Miss Minnie Prescott of Lynn was with her sister, Mrs. Carrie McLeod during the last week of her illness.

Mrs. H. O. Souther has been confined to her home on Edison street the past week, quite ill with the grip.

Miss E. M. Freeman is visiting friends in Wellesley.

Several grass fires were burning in the fields at the Point Thursday evening.

The officers of the Washington street Congregational church have ordered the fire department to remove the fire alarm striker from the church bell.

ATLANTIC.

Miss Emilie Gassett of Billings street started Friday morning for a week's trip to Washington.

Mrs. William Tower of Cambridge, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Vogler of Botolph street over the week end.

Henry Kolseth of Walker street is in Pittsfield for a week or so.

Mrs. John Ramsdall of Billings street is spending the week at Manchester, N. H.

A choice selection of music has been made for Easter Sunday at Memorial church, Atlantic.

The Misses Harding of Botolph street are entertaining their cousin, Miss Lucetta Reid of Halifax, Nova Scotia.

The Boys' Brigade choir will sing a few select numbers at the Easter sale of the Ladies' Benevolent society at Atlantic next week.

Helen, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cherrington of Clive street, is recovering from a severe attack of tonsilitis.

Rev. M. C. Wright has resigned as pastor of the Atlantic M. E. church. He contemplates a trip to Europe and on his return will settle in the Indiana conference.

Mrs. Charles Hammond (nee Florence Thomas) Lincoln, Neb., who was summoned by telegraph on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. B. F. Thomas of Billings street, arrived Sunday afternoon bringing her little son with her.

Memorial Congregational church of Atlantic has made a musical advance in the purchase of a new organ which adds greatly to the singing, whether in solo or concert work. This step has been premeditated for some time, but the final decision was made within the month.

Agent Loring, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, visited Atlantic Saturday afternoon, and took charge of the children of Hugh Harkins. They were living in a house on Myrtle street, and the father it is said does not support them. Agent Loring found five children, one little girl being sick in bed. It is claimed that the children had not had anything to eat for 24 hours. There was no fire in the house, and the sick girl had no attention except from her little brothers and sisters who were themselves weak from cold and lack of food.

Miss Frances McKeon of Atlantic has accepted a position in the Tax Collector's office at City Hall.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. John Golden of Sagamore street.

Rev. Fr. Flannery of Neponset preached at the Lenten service at the Sacred Heart church.

The yacht Primrose owned by Frank V. Kolb of Atlantic has been sold and is the first boat overboard on the Atlantic shore this season.

John Chase, formerly of Atlantic, was killed by an explosion in Little Rock, Arkansas, this week. The funeral services will be held at his former home in Dorchester, as soon as the body arrives. Mr. Chase was very popular in Atlantic, and was an earnest worker in the M. E. church. His death comes as a severe shock to everyone.

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HOUGHS NECK.

The alarm from Box 13 at 1.02 P. M. Tuesday was for a brisk grass fire at Adams shore. The fire had spread over a large territory. It had got beyond the control of those near at hand and was getting dangerously near the house of Mr. McCarthy, when an alarm was sounded. The new piece of fire apparatus at Houghs Neck responded to its first fire.

The new Houghs Neck piece of fire apparatus went into commission today. A bell and strikes have been placed on the station and the swinging harnesses have been placed in position.

WEST QUINCY.

Frank Dolan of Copeland street has been confined to the house the past week by illness.

Representatives Hultman and Sandberg both voted on roll call in the House on Wednesday against substituting the Davis bill abolishing capital punishment. It was defeated 68 to 132.

Mrs. Calvin G. Fletcher is quite ill at her home on Garfield street.

MILTON.

The Lenten services at the Mission of Our Saviour church have been largely attended and have been of a very interesting nature.

Mrs. Otis Skinner has returned from Vermont where she was called by the death of her father.

The annual fair of the ladies guild of the Mission church will be held April 18.

The Thursday Evening club visit the Sailors Haven at Charlestown next Tuesday evening and give an entertainment.

J. R. Clary and family have returned from a visit to New York.

The pupils of the public schools have been enjoying their spring vacation this week.

Mrs. George Clements who has been ill, is convalescent.

A whist party was held by the Thursday Evening club this week.

DOWNS AND PARK.

Mrs. Annie G. Grignon of Norfolk Downs entertained the Brownie whist club at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crowley and daughter are in town for a few months and will make their home on Beach street.

Mrs. Herbert Barker of Hancock street entertained the ladies of the Cochato club of Braintree, Tuesday afternoon; among the guests were a few representatives from Atlantic. Refreshments were served during the whist game, followed by a supper at which Wagner of Milton catered. There were five tables and of the twenty guests, Mrs. James Churchill of Atlantic took first prize, and Mrs. Oscar Kellar of Braintree won the second. The party was a delightful affair and one of the largest of the season.

Mr. Herbert S. Barker and family of Hancock street started Thursday for New York. From there they will go to Bridgeport for a few days, then back to New York and home, making a two weeks' trip.

Five persons were admitted to membership in the Squantum yacht club at a special meeting Thursday evening, and ten applications for membership were received.

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Miss M. Perkins and Miss E. C. Wilde, will hold a sale of home-made cake and candy at 72 Washington street, on SATURDAY, April 7th, at 3 P. M. Proceeds to be donated to the Day Nursery.
Cake and Candy are solicited.
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Quincy, April 6. 1p-1t

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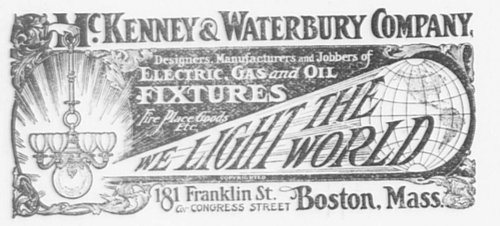
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April 1st, A. D., 1906.

Amount at risk April 1, 1905		$32,837,733 00
Insured the past year		9,831,565 00
Terminated the past year		9,569,038 00

AMOUNT NOW AT RISK, $33,100,260.00

Cash Fund April 1st, 1905	$696,277 40	
Premiums received past year	148,915 39	
Interest and Dividends received on Stocks, less included in last year's account, not then matured	23,384 31	
Interest and Dividends uncollected and not yet matured	9,926 00	
		$878,503 10

From Which Deduct,

Losses paid past year	$53,697 94	
Dividends paid past year	60,630 58	
Agents' Commissions	23,005 11	
State and Town Taxes	3,857 52	
Printing and Stationery	3,271 75	
Salaries of Officers and Clerks	15,960 00	
Pay of Directors	926 00	
All other expenses, Postage, Fuel, etc.	4,347 79	
Suspense Account, shrinkage in assets	11,876 65	
		$177,573 34
Present amount of Cash Fund		$700,929 76

Invested as Follows,

Real Estate owned by Company	$ 20,433 30
Lawrence Duck Co.	17,800 00
Bank Stock	121,229 54
Southeastern Electric Companies	5,000 00
Decatur Water Works Co.	3,250 00
Providence City Bonds	19,050 00
Loaned on Collateral	340,550 00
Commonwealth Trust Co. Stock	37,500 00
Northern Pacific and Great Northern R. R. Bonds	24,033 48
Old Colony R. R. Stock	1,100 00
Massachusetts State Bonds	48,187 50
State Street Safe Deposit and Trust Co.	5,000 00
Michigan Telephone Co.	9,605 00
Cash on Deposit in Commonwealth Trust Co.	5,670 73
Cash on Deposit in National Mt. Wollaston Bank	9 830 26
Cash on Deposit in National Granite Bank	5,000 00
Cash on hand in Office	160 00
Bank Dividends and Accrued Interest	9,926 00
Due from Agents	17,607 14
	$700,932 75
Due from Office	2 99
	$700,929 76

Invested as Follows,

920 Shares Bank Stock	$126,430 00
Real Estate owned by Company	20,000 00
178 Shares Lawrence Duck Co.	15,000 00
52 Shares Pref. / 196 Shares Com. } Southeastern Electric Co's.	5,000 00
13 Shares / 26 Bonds } Decatur Water Works Co.	3,250 00
20 $1000 Providence City Bonds	19,050 00
Loaned on Collateral	253,200 00
Loaned on Real Estate	87,350 00
250 Shares Commonwealth Trust Co.	41,250 00
48 Shares $1000 Bonds Northern Pacific and Great Northern Railway Co.	43,200 00
11 Shares Old Colony R. R. Co.	2,200 00
50 Massachusetts State Bonds (1000 each)	48,125 00
50 Shares State St. Safe Deposit and Trust Co.	8,750 00
8 $1000 Bonds / 32 Shares } Michigan Telephone Co.	8,000 00
Cash on Deposit in Commonwealth Trust Co.	5,670 73
Cash on Deposit in National Mt. Wollaston Bank	9,830 26
Cash on Deposit in National Granite Bank	5,000 00
Cash on hand in Office	160 00
Accrued and Uncollected Interest	9,926 00
Due from Agents	17,607 14
	$728,999 13

Total Liabilities, $250,976.81.

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 1906.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon sets
Saturday, Apr	7, 5.17	6.15	9.45	10.00	4.38 A.M.
Sunday, "	8, 5.16	6.17	10 30	11,00	5.12 "
Monday, "	9, 5.14	6.18	11 15	11.45	rises
Tuesday, "	10, 5.12	6.19	12 00	12.15	8.14 P.M.
Wednesday, "	11 5 11	6.20	12 30	1.00	9.28 "
Thursday, "	12, 5 09	6.21	1.15	1.45	10.39 "
Friday, "	13, 5.07	6.22	2.15	2.45	11.44 "

Full Moon, April 9th, 1.12 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of rhe month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898
Sunday,	44	37	58	55	48
Monday,	42	42	41	54	48
Tuesday,	50	62	57	55	36
Wednesday,	68	50	50	50	45
Thursday,	55	54	45	50	38
Friday,	51	47	40	49	38
Saturday,	—	53	55	48	49

Now the City Council will take a hand in the great question of the day,—the metering of water. A large appropriation for meters is proposed but without any particular plan of installing the same.

The figures go to show that the coal miners have been getting high wages as compared with former years and the operators have been making larger percentages of profit than ever before. Nevertheless the strike has been declared and it is the consumer who must pay the bills while the miner and operator divide the profits.

Through the efforts of the Councilmen from Wards Five and Six, the city will undertake this year the collection of ashes throughout the city. Not every week, perhaps not every month, but they will make a start. With scarcely an exception all the suburban cities of Boston do this work, and new residents cannot understand why Quincy has not. It will not only be a convenience, but there will be fewer unsightly back yards and littered fields.

The annual appropriation order of the city for 1906 has passed practically as reported by the Finance Committee. As stated by the chairman of the committee it is only $540 under the $12 limit allowed by law, including receipts in sight. Most of the departments wanted more, but they realized that it was impossible as it is with the individual to gratify all desires. Several increases have been allowed and there should be a forward movement all along the line.

The indications are that an effort will be made to secure an appropriation for the new school house at Atlantic in advance of a new Coddington. Anyone at all familiar with the two buildings must admit that the greater need is at the Coddington. On the ground of health alone there should be a new Coddington, as the present building is over half a century old, is heated by stoves, has no ventilation system, and is using a basement school room which was condemned a generation ago.

There is every reason to believe that those who have looked for canal legislation at this session of Congress are to be disappointed. The opinion grows that the interminable making of testimony is only a part of a consistent policy of delay and obstruction. The Senate is now popularly known as "The House of detention" and it is likely to justify its name in Canal matter. There has really been no progress in Canal affairs since the vacillations between Panama aud Nicaragua were settled for all time by Mark Hanna and the grave discussions between the lock and sea level types are really a sort of dead lock with the Senate as much at sea as ever as to which is to be chosen. In the meantime sentiment is growing in favor of individual responsibility as opposed to responsibility vested in commissions and even yet stronger approval of doing the work of construction by contract.

Police Ordinance.

One of the important matters before the City Council this week, of which little more than a passing notice was taken, was the order introduced by Councilman Stone to accept certain sections of Chapter 108 of the Revised Laws.

This act relates to the establishing a reserve police force. It provides that a city having a regular force, not exceeding fifteen, shall have a reserve force of not more than five. One member may be added to the reserve force for every additional three permanent men over fifteen.

Appointments to the reserve force are made from the civil service lists and they may be assigned to duty at any time they deem necessary.

If the law is accepted it will be necessary to change the Police ordinance somewhat.

There will probably be no expense to the city by the establisment of such a force, as the men would only draw pay when on duty. It would give the Chief of Police an efficient force to select men from, as it would practically do away with what is now known as special police.

Probate Court.

Judge Pratt allowed the following wills at probate court in Dedham, on Wednesday: Henry Carnell, of Avon; Mary Kingsbury, of Needham; Bridget Dolan, of Randolph; Joanna Lewis, of Walpole; Mari Mason, of Medway; Eliza Robertson, of Walpole; Joanna Morrissey, of Norwood, and Daniel Belcher, of Holbrook. This testator left $500 to the Winthrop Church Society for use of its Sunday school, and $1,000 to the Holbrook public library.

Inventories—Estates of Sarah Shattuck of Norwood, a minor, annual income at $2500, and E. J. Shattuck, Norwood, annual income at $2500.

Administrations granted—On the estates of John Coakley, of Milton; William White, of Franklin; Jeremiah Russell, of Avon; James Slowey, of Randolph; John Terry, of Hyde Park; Georgianna Pratt, of Braintree; Stephen W. Moran, of Brookline; Elizabeth A. Brainard, of Hyde Park; Madeline Williams, of Brookline; Dennis Burke, of Canton; Carrie Clapp, of Avon.

Trusteeships granted—To C. M. Jenness of Boston of certain estate given in trust, under the will of Sarah Plumer of Portsmouth, N. H., bond $50,000; to Howard Colburn of Westwood, of certain estate given in trust under the will of James Shine of Dedham, bond $8,000.

Accounts allowed—On the estate of E. J. Shattuck, of Norwood, executor's first for $588,033.21, and guardian's first for $15,540.16; M. P. Pike, of Randolph, for $2541.46; Prudence Schufeldt, of Norwood, for $1427.86, and Lucy Chickering, of Foxboro, for $1013.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, April 4, 1906.

Our colored brethern did not make the impression they desired upon the committee on ways and means to prevent the acceptance by the state of the invitation to join Virginia in the celebration of the 300th anniversary of the discovery of Jamestown unless Virginia would guarantee that all citizens of Massachusetts, regardless of color, should receive equal treatment if they attended the celebration. But they made a good impression, and they have helped their cause by asserting their rights to treatment as men the same as white people. Members of the committee sympathized with them. It is probable that their strong attitude had something to do with the assurance, given positively to the committee by the official representing the Jamestown celebration managers, that on the grounds there would be no discrimination between whites and blacks in their treatment, though outside of the grounds he could not pretend that the present discriminations of southern people would not have full swing.

This forenoon's debate over the Sunday observance bill was as vigorous as that on the previous stage whereby the bill was substituted for the adverse report of the committee. Mr. Bennett of Boston, speaking especially as the representative of the Back Bay and Sunday golf, opposed the bill as the embodiment of offensive blue laws which ought to have no standing in this century. Mr. Mellen of Worcester renewed his staunch support of the New England Sabbath, while it was left for Mr. McEttrick of Boston, as a lone bachelor in lodgings, lonesome Sunday afternoons and in want of entertainment, to lay down the doctrine that what was good for week days was good for Sunday and that base ball, horse races, golf and the like were all right for Sunday. The House was very close on the roll call on passing the bill to be engrossed, for there were 94 yeas to 88 nays and 13 pairs, thus showing that about all the members were recorded. The Senate's claim to virtue will be well tested.

The proposed state board of registration for osteopaths was defeated in the House, partly because the osteopaths themselves were not united. Some of their strong members are satisfied with the present state board of registration in medicine and do not believe in a separate board for one of the smallest medical bodies when the largest ones unite with only one board.

After 21 years of trial with no material amendment, the Boston board of police seems destined to undergo a radical change. The House has passed the bill to separate the board into two parts, to have a single-head police commission and a three-headed license commission. The governor has been behind the movement and the House republicans have been united in his support. All that the Boston democrats could do amounted to nothing and yesterday they admitted the futility of their opposition and made almost no objection to the passage of the bill to engrossment. Senator Cummings of Norfolk, chairman of the committee on metropolitan affairs which reported the bill, dissents and will speak against the bill. But it does not appear that he will produce any marked change in the republican support of the bill. It is an administration measure and as such has the support of the party.

Representative Joseph Walker of Brookline did what he could to secure a state board of registration for nurses. The committee on public health reported against his petition, and he moved to substitute a bill. But the House felt that the plan would tend to create a favored class, to establish a monopoly, to cut off neighborhood nursing and not to benefit the public. So they gave a large majority against the proposition.

Larger powers have been given to the superintendent of the work for the suppression of the gypsy and brown tail moths, and now the question is whether there will be a larger appropriation. Superintendent Kirkland tells the legislature that the infested territory is six times as large as was supposed when the appropriation of last year was made. It is for the legislature to say what will be done in view of the danger. The authorities have seen the danger of urging the legislature to do anything. All they can do now is to show the danger and let the legislature take the responsibility.

The House is against changing the capital punishment law. The vote did not come directly on the merits of the question, but a vote to submit the question to the people resulted in 68 yeas to 132 nays.

The Senate has given one vote, without debate, in favor of the House bill to change the abutter's objection law so as to prevent blackmail. The bill has been so guarded that the temperance people believe that it is safe for the property-owners now.

The state board of trade is supporting a bill to prevent the watering of stocks by either bond or stock issues, or by the payment of excesive prices by one corporation when it buys up another. It is said that the gas companies in Boston suburbs are being bought up at prices which show that the real purpose is to enable the buyers to conceal enormous dividends.

Rale.

Vaudeville Show.

The vaudeville show given by the Boston Federation of Y. P. R. Us, Thursday evening, in Potter hall, Boston, was a decided success. The smoothness with which the program progressed and the lack of waits were due in large measure to the efficiency of the committee in charge, of which R. C. Baker of Wollaston was the chairman. The Quincy Union's part of the program included an aesthetic dance by Misses Steele, Claflin, Harris, Smith, Rhines, Barker, Walker, Saville and Miss Edna Smith; also a bright monologue by Mr. Emery L. Crane. Wollaston was represented by Mr. George Skalem, the blackfaced comedian, who sang and told stories. A large number of people from Wollaston and Quincy attended the show.

Trolley Freight.

A trolley express car that began running regular trips between Taunton and Providence on Wednesday, marks the opening of a service which within a few months is expected to reach as far as Boston. It is the first actual sign of what the Old Colony Street Railway has had in contemplation for a considerable time, and the car just started is the first to be operated under the general street railway freight and express law on any railway system that is directly concerned with this city.

John J. Malley, wire chief of the Quincy district of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, was thrown from his buggy while crossing the car tracks at Winter and Kilby streets, Hingham, Thursday evening, says the Herald. His skull was badly fractured, an arm broken, and he was painfully bruised. He is likely to recover.

AMONG THE CLUBS.

The annual meeting of the General Society of the Daughters of the Revolution is to be held in Philadelphia during the week beginning April 30th. Business sessions will be held at the Bellevue-Stratford on May first and second. May third a trip will be made to Valley Forge. The fourth Fairmount park, the University, old Philadelphia, Independence hall, etc., will be visited by coach or auto in the morning and the afternoon spent at Bryn Mawr college. On the fifth a trip will be made to Germantown and in the afternoon the party will go to Atlantic City where they will stay at hotel Chalfonte until the seventh. Delegates have been appointed from Adams Chapter to attend the convention.

Prof. Edward Howard Griggs brought his series of Browning lectures to a close on Friday evening, at Tremont Temple, Boston, taking for his subject Pompilia.

The last but one of the Alliance meetings will be held on Monday afternoon April 9th in the parlor of First church when Rev. Bradly Gilman, of Canton, will speak on "Unitarian Impressions of the Holy Land."

The pupils of Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis will present "Carroty Nell" this month for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery.

A special meeting of the executive board of the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will be held next Monday at 10 A. M.

Miss Mary Perkins is to open her house on this afternoon and evening for a cake and candy sale for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery. This is one of Quincy's best and most deserving charitable works and is worthy of a generous patronage. The April meeting of the association was held Tuesday afternoon at the Women's club house, Goffe street.

The last meeting of the Shakespeare club of Atlantic was held Friday with Mrs. Tenny of Wollaston.

F. A. Bates of Braintree, South Shore agent for the Gypsy Moth commission is to give an address on "Enemies to Fruit and Shade trees," illustrated by stereopticon, at the meeting of the Unity club on Friday evening April 13th in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church.

The Social Service and Literary Club met with Mrs. Annie Thompson, Squantum street, April 3. A very interesting paper, "Interstate Commerce Laws," was read by Mrs. Chase. Miss Tarbell conducted the study of Macbeth.

QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

The April tenth meeting of the Quincy Women's club will be a Spanish afternoon and promises to be unusually interesting. Judge E. C. Bumpus, the speaker of the afternoon will give a talk on Spain. The music will be Spanish and Miss Barker of the Downs will dance in Spanish costume. Members may invite guests by the payment of the usual fee for guests.

MILTON WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Milton Woman's club held their annual meeting on Monday afternoon in the parlors of the First parish at Milton centre. Reports were read by the officers and committees. Mrs. May Alden Ward has been asked to give a course in Current Events the coming year. She has been much enjoyed by the members the past two seasons.

The following officers were elected: president, Grace Vose Hibbard; 1st vice-president, Vina B. Parsons; 2d vice-president, Jennie C. Fletcher; corresponding secretary, Eva T. Churchill; recording secretary, Lucy Read Hubbard; treasurer, Barbara R. Fuller; directors for three years, Alice T. Herrick, Susan C. Kennedy, Katharine Woodbury; director for two years, Ella M. Batchelder; director for one year, Jessie P. Wheeler.

DAUGHTERS OF THE REVOLUTION

Adams Chapter Daughters of the Revolution had a very enjoyable meeting on Monday afternoon at the birthplace of President John Adams. The directors met at half past two which was followed at three by the chapter meeting. Mrs. E. H. Crosby of Boston, president of the Lexington chapter, D. A. R., was a special guest and there were several others present, guests of the committee and chapter members.

It was voted to unite with the Juniors in a ten cent sale at the Adams house on Saturday afternoon, April 21st. Admission to be ten cents and articles on sale ten cents. The Juniors will make a specialty of home-made candy and fancy articles and the chapter will have a cake, mystery and small articles booth.

After the business meeting Mrs. Crosby read an old sermon delivered at Lexington during the Revolutionary war, which was especially interesting in this month of April with its Patriots' day. Mrs. Sprague read a bright, entertaining letter from Mrs. Charles Belcher who is in the south at Pinehurst and other resorts. Mrs. Porter read a poem which most appropriately followed Mrs. Belcher's letter which closed with telling of the birds, especially the mocking bird and how she awoke each morning to their sweet notes.

A social hour followed when members enjoyed meeting Mrs. Crosby. The hostesses were Mrs. Charles H. Sprague, Mrs. F. Eugene Dyer, Miss Mary J. Pratt. Mrs. Susan Wilde, the fourth on the committee was detained by illness and was missed. Delicious ice cream, cake, salted nuts, etc., were hospitably dispensed by the committee. About forty were present and all pronounced it one of the happiest meetings of the season.

DAY NURSERY.

The April meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery Association was held in the rooms of Quincy Women's Club on Tuesday, April 3. The Matron reported 19 children registered with an aggregate attendance of 149. Notice was given that the Friday Club will give an entertainment at the residence of Mrs. Theo. King on May 4, at 3 o'clock. Miss E. C. Wilde has charge of a candy sale at the home of Miss Perkins, 72 Washington street, today, April 7.

List of donations acknowledged: A screen from Miss Valentine; two sanitary seats from Mr. Charles Sherburn; half dozen bowls from Mr. Smith; half dozen bowls from friend; preserved rhubarb and eggs from Mrs. Miller; a generous donation from the supper at Bethany church through Mrs. G. M. Miller; half dozen creepers and coffee from Mrs. Addison; half dozen eggs from Miss Thomas; five aprons from Christ Church guild through Mrs. Brewer; half dozen handkerchiefs from Mrs. Simmons.

NEIGHBORING CLUBS.

The season of annual meeting of the various women's clubs has arrived. This week Monday the Milton women's club and the Monday club of Weymouth held their elections and next week Tuesday the Norwood Women's club will hold theirs.

The Massachusetts federation has now 220 clubs with 33,000 members, representing 150 cities and towns in the commonwealth. What might be accomplished if the 33,000 should unit on some special reform.

The Dorchester Women's club observed children's afternoon on Tuesday. The children gave an entertainment entitled "A holiday in the woods," which was followed by games, dancing and refreshments.

On Wednesday afternoon April 11th, Miss Marian Longfellow, niece of the poet, will be the guest of honor at the Melrose Highlands Woman's club and will also be the speaker of the afternoon.

Dr. William Everett lectured on March 26th before the Elizabeth H. Whittier club of Amesbury, his subject being the poet Filicaja,—a study expanded from the brief sketch in his book on, "The Original Poets Since Dante," and enriched by original mythical translations of great vigor and beauty. This was the last in a group of Italian afternoons held by the club. During April there will be German afternoons.

The Lynn Historical society has given some very pleasant receptions this winter, which are unique in that they are given to people bearing, or descendants of certain well known people whose names are familiar in Lynn history. Among those held were the Johnson and Newhall families and on Monday it was Breed day. Lynn is still the home of many of the Breed family and the reception was a large and most enjoyable one. How would it do for the Quincy Historical society to try the plan. Familiar names are: Adams, Marsh, Spear, Bass, etc.

First Presbyterian.

The large attendance at the congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening, vouched for the interest being taken in the work of the church by the members and friends of the congregation.

The review of the work of the different organizations and societies for the year showed activity along all lines. The reports from the junior and senior Christian Endeavor societies and also from the Sabbath school were especially encouraging. The membership of the Sabbath school which is at present four hundred and seventy-five, is worthy of mention and promises a good future for the church. The home department of the Sabbath school, although a comparatively new undertaking, has made much progress in its six months existence.

Another new organization, The Fore River Presbyterian Social club, formed last fall, had grown from a membership of eight to its present membership of one hundred and eight. Thanks are due this club for the many social evenings it has provided and for the way in which it has reached out a helping hand to all departments of the church work.

The Ladies' Aid Society presented their usual report of good work as did also the Ladies' Missionary society. The work of these two bodies can hardly be measured, for to the ladies falls much of the work of keeping the machinery of the church in good working order.

The needy of the congregation have been provided for throughout the year by the board of deacons. The report of the treasurer of the missionary money showed generous contributions having been made to all the missionary boards of the Presbyterian denomination and to other worthy objects of the church at large. Along this line it may be mentioned that the church has contributed to benevolences outside of its own congregation, over four hundred dollars. This same amount was given by the Ladies' aid and Senior Christian Endeavor societies to reduce the indebtedness on the manse. The balance of the church treasurer was on the right side of the ledger as was also the balances of all other organizations and societies.

A brief summary of the present pastorate of two and one half years was given by Rev. N. J. Sproul, pastor of the church. The present membership of the church is three hundred sixty one. Two hundred nineteen have been received since the coming of the present pastor. On confession of their faith there were received in 1904 forty nine, in 1905 forty, and since the beginning of the present year, fifty-seven. By letter from other churches there were eleven in 1904, twenty-three in 1905 and twenty nine within the past three months. At the quarterly communion service last Sunday morning there were forty-five new members received into the church as the result of three weeks of special meetings recently held. The majority of this number came from the Sabbath school, twenty-five of them were males and forty-one came upon confession of their faith. Among the last was numbered a man over 70 years of age.

The pastors summary showed the deaths in the congregation during the past year to have been five, the weddings nine, the baptisms sixteen. The sermons preached by the pastor within the last year numbered one hundred twenty-two, the addresses given, seventy-five; the funerals conducted, twelve. To numerate the calls made by the pastor within the past year would have been almost an impossible task, but since the beginning of the present year the number has reached three hundred and sixty-four.

A system, whereby a record of the church attendance of the children of the congregation is kept, has been recently started by the pastor. The children have been given specially prepared cards which are punched at both morning and evening services when presented. By actual count there were over two hundred young people under eighteen years of age, present at the morning service last Sunday and at the evening service, one hundred seven children had their cards punched.

Before the close of the evening, refreshments and a social hour were both enjoyed. Well might the thought of the doxology been in the hearts and minds of all present.

—George H. Bamford was on Wednesday reappointed keeper of the Hingham almshouse, while under charges.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Castle Square Theatre.

"The Three Musketeers" is one of the most popular melodramas ever produced in any country. In France, the land of its origin, in England and in America, theatre audiences have never grown weary of its romantic scenes and characters, and its production at the Castle Square next week will be more than welcome. Dumas's famous novel has had many dramatic versions, and it is an entirely new one, never before seen in Boston, that has been chosen by the Castle Square management. In it all the familiar characters will have a leading part. D'Artagon will reign supreme as usual, and his valiant friends, Porthos, Athos and Aramis will aid him in the bringing his exciting adventures and exploits to a successful conclusion.

View Proposed Canal Route.

The Committee on Harbor and Land of the legislature, who have the matter of the New York, Brockton and Boston canal in hand, were in Quincy Thursday on a view. While in Quincy they were the guests of Mayor Thompson who was assisted by the Board of Trade and Citizens Association.

The party arrived in Quincy at 9.49 and were met at the depot by the Mayor. A special car was immediately taken for Quincy Point.

Embarking at Chubbuck street the party went to the Baker Yacht Basin where the tug Resolute was in waiting.

The party boarded the tug, and steamed out toward Peddocks' Island. On the way out Commodore Crane of the Quincy Yacht club pointed out the several points of interest. He also spoke of the two channels and told the depth of each.

He told of the many superior advantages Quincy had as a shipping port and of its superior water privileges.

From Peddock's island the party steamed back to the Fore River shipyard.

General Manager Smith met them here and showed them through the battleship New Jersey, "the Queen of the navy."

Owing to the lack of time but little was seen of this vast plant at which several hours could be spent with profit.

The special car for Quincy was taken a few minutes past 12 o'clock. Arriving at City Square they went to Colonial hall where a lunch was served by Mayor Thompson.

During the dinner Representative Coyle entertained the party with vocal selections.

A telegram was received from the Mayor of Brockton inviting the Quincy party to accompany the legislature to that city and a majority of the Quincy party accepted.

The legislative committee present were: chairman Sowle of the Senate Representative Jones, Brooks, Macumber, Whiting, Blanchard, Lock, Snow, Hancock and Senator J. E. Beck.

AT BROCKTON.

About thirty Quincy officials and prominent citizens accompanied the committee to Brockton, on invitation of the Board of Trade of that city.

Stopping at Montello the party was welcomed at Douglas shoe factory by Herbert T. Drake, formerly of Quincy, the general manager. They were escorted through this busy hive of industry which employs about 3,000 men and women and has a capacity of 12,000 pairs of shoes per day, watching with interest the process from start to finish, and admiring the systematic way everything is done. The Mayor of the city is one of the foreman, and several were introduced to him.

About a dozen automobiles were then in waiting, and the party were taken to view the route of the proposed canal and places of interest, including city hall the new high school house, the arsenal, the fine residences in the vicinity of the home of ex-Governor Douglass, etc., bringing up at Hotel Belmont.

Previous to the banquet at 7 P. M. several of the party visited the residence of Representative Hancock, and saw his full blooded chicken, and examined the maps of the canal; others inspected the model apartment houses known as the Checkerton and the Chesston, and were the guests of Thomas B. Inness, the owner. The problem of light and air is solved in these houses, and they have been a financial success.

Mayor Bradford of Brockton and other members of the city government were present at the banquet and Mayor Thompson and ex-Mayor Hall of Quincy were at his right and left at the head table. An excellent menu was served including tender hot turkey, salads, ices, etc.

The party was entertained at the City Theatre later in the evening and witnessed the weird, mysterious and fascinating creation of magic art by Kellar and Paul Valadon. Ex-Senator E. H. Sprague and Alderman H. F. McIntire were the committee from the audience to discover the trick in the bewildering illusion in which the witch, the sailor and the enchanted monkey played a conspicuous part. The sympathy of the alderman for the beautiful young lady whose sweetheart was placed in the lockup was clever acting and many in the audience supposed the Quincy men were confederates.

Most of the Quincy party returned on the 10.40 train, but others stopped over night to continue on to Fall River with the committee.

H. E. Guy, a brother of C. W. Guy of Quincy, is father of the canal project, and was prominent in arranging for the entertainment at Brockton. He informed the Daily Ledger that he had almost prevailed upon his brother to invest a million dollars in the project which will bring ships to Brockton and be a great thing for Quincy and Boston.

Easter Cheer.

A letter from the State superintendent of the Flower Mission of the W. C. T. U., of Boston was received by the president of the Quincy Union this week, inviting them to solicit, those interested in the 450 shut-ins in Boston, in aiding them to enjoy their beautiful Easter festival by sending delicacies and money for potted plants, malted milk, cocoa, jelly, oranges, etc. The Flower mission of the W. C. T. U. is the power station today for dispensing among the destitute sick of the city a strong current of Easter cheer. Let us all send a large Easter greeting to be left at 18 Washington street, rear of Unitarian church, on or before the 10th of April.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following are the recent real estate transfers:

Joseph H. Allen et al to Tide-Water Broken Stone Co.

Richard L. Tappenden to Mary R. Lyons.

Mary R Lyons to Sybil P. Tappenden.

Benjamin Soloman to Nathan Specter.

James Bisson to Ida Shuman, $2,200.

Annie Gillooly to James F. Kelly.

Mary A. Prout to Oscar Hermanson.

Per Person to Elias Pelto.

Quincy Savings Bank to John H. Dinegan et al.

Robert Disbrow et ux to Harriet M. Eaton.

John E. Elliott to Mary O. Nichols, $250.

Herbert T. Whitman to Geo. B DeBoer.

Mary Bishop to Mary Coleman.

Edward B. Souther to Eric C. Patch.

Napoleon L. Lafreniere to Napoleon L. Lafreniere, $2,000.

Napoleon L. Lafreniere to Charles MacDonald

At Receiver's Sale.

The property of the United States Standard Scale Co. at Wollaston was sold at auction Tuesday at a receiver's sale. The property consisted of about 70,325 square feet of land, a brick building and machinery patterns, etc.

The property was sold in two parcels, the first, the machines, etc., which was sold to J. W. McAnarney for $100. The second parcel included the real estate and was sold subject to liens and taxes. This was also sold to J. W. McAnarney, for $5,000.

—Brockton coal dealers have not advanced the price of coal.

Divorces Granted.

In the Norfolk county divorce court at Dedham on Thursday decrees nisi were granted in the following cases:

Cecilia S. Erickson of Quincy vs. Andrew P. Erickson of Alaska; decree nisi for desertion.

Inez M. Chandler of Quincy vs. Percy B. Chandler; decree nisi for desertion.

Olive E. Poole of Boston vs. Walter E. Poole of Randolph; decree nisi for unfaithfulness.

Ida E. Handy of Brookline vs. George M. Handy; decree nisi for desertion, with custody of children.

Mabella T. Tracy of Franklin vs. James M. Tracy of Golden, Col.; decree nisi for desertion, with custody of children.

Carrie F. Eastman of Brookline vs. Albert G. Eastman of Baltimore; decree nisi for unfaithfulness, with custody of children and $25 a month alimony.

Patrick J. McGrath of Cohassett vs. James McGrath of Boston, decree nisi for infidelity, custody of children.

Evidence in the contested case of Laura J. Peters vs Walter H. Peters of Quincy was concluded on Thursday. Counsel for Mrs. Peters denies the report that she admitted her first husband is living, not having seen him for five years.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented.—Eds.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.50. Communion service next Sunday. All invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon sermons on, "The Christian Churches." service at 2.30. Subject: "The Congregationalists: Their Polity, History, and Influence." Sunday School at 3.30. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 10.30 A. M., Holy Communion and sermon. Subject: "The Palm Sunday Story." Sunday School in the Parish house, men's Bible class in the church at 12 M. Evening prayer and address at 7 o'clock. Special music for the day: "The Palms" sung by Mr. Fred L. Wheeler, accompanied by Mr. Wendall Luce. Evening prayer and address at Pythian hall, Braintree, at 4 o'clock. All welcome.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Topic: "Palm Sunday and a week of Tragedy." Sunday School at 12 M. Topic: "Jesus and the Sabbath." Junior C. E. at 4. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Topic: "Our Pledge and How to Keep It." Concert at 7.30. Topic: "The Undercurrent or a Tide in the Affairs of Men." First of a series on "Young Men and The Times." Friday evening Fellowship service in the vestry at 7.30. Rev. Mr. Barr of the United Presbyterian church will speak. A place and a welcome for all.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service 10.30 A. M. Sermon by Rev. A. K. McLennon of First Boston church. Men's Bible class taught by Rev. A. A. Ellsworth, and Sabbath School at 11.45. Junior C. E. at 3 P. M. Senior C. E. meeting at 6. Evening service at 7. Preaching by Rev. A. A. Ellsworth.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Pythian Hall,—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Doctrine of Atonement." Golden Text: "For the love of Christ constraineth us; because we thus judge, that if one died for all, then were all dead; and that he died for all, that they which live should not henceforth live unto themselves, but unto him which died for them, and rose again." 2

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Poetry.

Springtime.

MARTHA SHEPARD LIPPINCOTT.

Winter now has passed away,
With its chilling weather,
And the birds and flowers soon
Will come back together,
Gladdening all the sunny world,
With the joy they're bringing,
As o'er earth, redressed for Spring,
Happy birds are singing.

Nature in her gayest gown,
Bids the springtime welcome,
While the hearts of all mankind,
Tender grow and gladsome.
Cupid cannot keep away,
With the world rejoicing,
And the yearnings of his heart
He will be soon voicing.

For the sweet and balmy air
Seems to have some power
Of bewitching tender hearts;
And they feel the hour
Now has come for them to speak,
Telling all the yearning
That through all the former months
In their hearts was burning.

Notes and Comments.

—A Leading Kansan took his little son to Washington recently and visited the senate gallery with him. Rev. Edward Everett Hale especially interested the boy. The father explained that Mr. Hale was the chaplain of the senate. "Oh, he prays for the senate, doesn't he?" asked the lad. "No," replied the father: "he gets up and takes a look at the senate, and then prays for the country.

—A gift to your church on Easter will give the day rich significance.

—As illustrating the drain made upon our forests by the paper mills of the country the Forest Service has gathered statistics showing that last year over three million cords of soft woods were converted into paper, an increase of more than 50 per cent. over the figures of 1900. The time is rapidly coming when a substitute for this wood must be found and it only depends on Yankee ingenuity to discover what it shall be. There are apparently a great many substances that might be used, and the paper manufacturers, for their own protection, will be forced to experiment along new lines. It is only comparatively few years since the use of wood pulp became general, and owing to its plentifulness and cheapness it has caused a revolution in the cheap paper industry. Straw, cotton stalks and corn stalks possess to a large degree the requisite features for paper making, if they were developed, and doing this would bring great relief to the wood industry of the country.—Old Colony Memorial.

—They are barring the works of Mark Twain out of some of the public libraries. It is thought they are demoralizing to the young who are allowed to read about the works of the pious Rockefellers.—Boston Budget.

—Some statistician has figured out that a dollar a day deposited in the savings bank for twenty years will amount, with four per cent. accrued interest, to over $11,000. This is a tidy little sum as a solace for our declining years, but if they will deposit a like amount in the Quincy Co-operative Bank they will find that it will accumulate much faster.

—The great question in Weymouth seems to be, "What is the significance of man's going into a place sober with a hen tucked under his arm, and coming out minus hen and plus jag?" Hard question to answer!—Randolph Register.

—As a result of the mild winter and a short ice crop in consequence, it is predicted that many artificial ice plants will be established throughout the country. It has been intimated that when Dame Nature is again ready to resume operations in the ice making business, she may find herself confronted with a lively competition for the business which she has so shamefully neglected this winter, but as her cost of labor is down to the minimum, she will not be obliged to lie awake nights worrying about losing her job.—Milford Gazette.

—One of the interesting celebrations of the year will be the centenary of the discovery of Pike's Peak in Colorado by Capt. Z. Pike, who made his expedition under the auspices of the army, of which he was then an officer. The date for the celebration has been fixed for September 23-29, and as it will follow the manoeuvers at Fort Riley, United States troops will be sent from there to grace the occasion.

—The tons of useless publications that have been turned out annually by the Government printing press are to be commodities of the past, hereafter. A saving of $1,000,000 could not be made to better advantage than is thus proposed.—Boston Courier.

—The pension plan lately adopted by the Boston & Maine railroad is very commendable in all features. Men who have served the road for 30 years and have reached the age of 60 years, will be eligible for the pension list. But if they wish to keep at work they may be employed by the road five years longer, and if, at the age of 65 years they are still vigorous, they may receive the pension and engage in any respectable occupation, but there is one restriction which protects his former associates, and that if he takes up the business of liquor selling his pension stops at once. This is in line with the views of all transportation systems. Temperate men and none others must bear the responsibilities of position, and none of them must be influential in leading any employe astray, in the way of the drunkard's path, which is a wise decision.

—Aroostook, Maine, regions are the places where the potato gives rewards according to labor. In last January 996,787 bushels of them were shipped and sent to New York, a gain over the shipments of January, 1905, of 277,255 bubels.

—If former President McCurdy of the Mutual Life is forced to make restitution to the company of the $3,370,000 which it is alleged he illegally appropriated, and for which aggregate amount civil suits have been brought against him, he will be likely to realize, if never before, that "honesty is the best policy" even in life insurance.—Mansfield News.

—For many years past a noted judge of St. Louis has given in his sentences for drunkenness a first class temperance lecture, by requiring that the prisoner brought before him for that offense should sign the total abstinence pledge for a year or more, according to the habits of the man, and staying final sentence as long as the pledge is kept. It is certainly a most novel, but excellent course to be taken, and would bear following by many judges, besides meeting general approbation from the public.—Athol Chronicle.

—The American people it is said, spend $3,000,000 more annually for chewing gum, than for foreign missions. And the figures would be even more startling, but for the fact that most of the girls can make one piece last a whole week, says the Stoughton Sentinel.

—The interior waterways of the United States steadily grow in commercial importance. There has been an enormous increase in the tonnage of the shipping on the great lakes, and it is reported that all the lake shipbuilding plants have contracts for all the work they can turn out this year, with contracts signed beyond that. Besides 60 ships of 10,000 tons each in commission, recent contracts were made for two ships 625 feet long, of 12,500 gross tons. The ever-growing work of carrying iron ore and grain is swelling the volume of lake commerce to mammoth proportions.

—Miss Helen Gould supports directly and indirectly more charities than any living person. With the assistance of Elizabeth Altman she annually distributes $500,000 in donations. Her total disbursement during the last eight years—and they are all made with business judgment—reached $4,000,000.

—Merrimac has adopted the method of filling such offices as those of chief of police and superintendent of streets by calling for bids, those who will accept the lowest salary and seem competent being selected by the Selectmen. Such a practice must bear rather heavily on the job-hunting politicians.—Brookline Chronicle.

—Harvard won the annual debate with Yale, held at New Haven, Ct., last week, at Woolsey Auditorium. The award was made by the unanimous decision of the judges: Rev. Dr. James M. Buckley, editor of the Christian Advocate, Melvin E. Stone, general manager of the Associated Press, and Rev. Dr. Robert S. MacArthur, all of New York city.

Marriages of 1905.

"Your own life another's life completing;
Think not love is ever out of fashion.
O, the rapture! two hearts fondly beating
To the music of one mutual passion."

It has been said that one of the nicest things about being married is to have someone to correct your faults. You can not get queer when you have a husband or wife to keep you in check. That is why single men and women so frequently degenerate into oddities.

According to City Clerk Keith's records, 309 couples in this section must have thought so, for that number of marriages were recorded in this city in 1905. This was an increase of 55 over the previous year. Of course all the couples recorded in Quincy did not belong here. For instance one couple came all the way from Montreal to be united in Quincy. The records do not say whether it was an elopement or not.

Then again some people preferred to go out of town to get hitched up. For instance 77 of the couples united were made one in some other place than Quincy. Of the gentlemen, 231 said their residence was Quincy and 239 of the brides claimed this city as their home.

It was not much of a year for widows, as but 18 were married for the second time. The widowers were more fortunate for 24 of them found helpmates for the second time, and two for the third time. For instance, one widower of 77 got a widow of 44 for his third venture, and a well preserved man of 52 got a miss of 35.

The youngest bride was but 17, and he youngest groom 19. There were several brides in their 10th year. The oldest man was 77, and the oldest bride 55.

This as will be seen leaves the marriage age still an open question. The question if a girl of 30 is still an old maid, and if a girl of 18 is too young for marrying, remains unsettled. It is too risky to generalize on the question as the age of discretion varies in individuals.

June still holds the claim of being the most popular month of the year, with September a good second. March seems to hold the palm for being the unpopular month of the year. In 1905 there were 54 marriages recorded as having taken place in June, and but six in March. The following table shows the number recorded each month during the year 1905, in comparison with the corresponding month of the years 1904 and 1895.

Month.	1905.	1904.	1895.
January	14	20	18
February	14	12	14
March	6	7	5
April	17	27	15
May	16	14	9
June	54	35	29
July	25	24	21
August	17	14	9
September	40	29	13
October	34	25	23
November	34	31	25
December	28	19	11
Total	309	255	191

The year 1905 was a banner year for marriages, being 22 above the record of 1903. In ten years there have been 2427 marriages recorded in Quincy.

Does Your Heart Beat

Yes. 100,000 times each day. Does it send out good blood or bad blood? You know, for good blood is good health; bad blood, bad health. And you know precisely what to take for bad blood—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Doctors have endorsed it for 60 years.

One frequent cause of bad blood is a sluggish liver. This produces constipation. Poisonous substances are then absorbed into the blood, instead of being removed from the body daily as nature intended. Keep the bowels open with Ayer's Pills, liver pills. All vegetable.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of

Ayer's HAIR VIGOR. AGUE CURE. CHERRY PECTORAL.

Expensive for the City.

Editors of the Patriot:

The movement in favor of water meters looks like an attempt to obtain water cheaper; in other words at the expense of the taxpayers. The receipts from water services have never been sufficient to pay the annual expenses which are made up of four different items—maturing debt, interest on debt, Metropolitan assessment, and maintenance. Until there is a surplus there should be no reduction in rates.

The prospect are that in a few years the balance will be on the right side, as the receipts are increasing annually, amounting in 1905 to $94,839.05.

The water expenditures of the year were:

Maturing water debt,	$37,500.00
Interest on debt,	27,715.00
Metropolitan assessment,	35,832.50
Maintenance,	10,000.00
Total	$111,047.50

It is not surprising that the Mayor and city government are lukewarm over meters, for the change would mean a great reduction in water receipts the year meters were introduced. For example the water bills are now payable in advance. They were sent out Jan. 1, and most of the water takers have paid for water until July 1 next. Should meters be installed on July 1 the bills for water for the last half of the year would not become due until after the first of January, so that the water receipts for 1906 would be only half the usual size, not over $50,000. It would be necessary to raise the balance of $40,000 to $50,000 by taxation, which would increase the tax rate about $2 per $1,000.

After the first year it is possible the net income would be less under the meter system than under the present system, as most everybody would endeavor to be economical in the use of water. The Metropolitan assessment might be reduced some, but I doubt if it would be reduced more than the net receipts were curtailed.

The committee of the Citizens' Association, it should be remembered, have recommended a lower rate than $18 for a fully plumbed house and the president of the board of trade advocates a lower minimum for a single faucet. If the scheme works, however, the minimum for all supplies may be increased to $8, $10, or $12, thus increasing the tax upon the poor man and reducing the bill of those better able to pay for such conveniences as bath rooms and laundries.

The city should not attempt too much at once. The introduction of meters must be gradual, and at first there should be no reduction in price, but a reduction in the number of gallons allowed for $18. J. A. R.

Quincy, April 2, 1906.

In Railroad Accident.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Morton of Spear street who arrived in Boston Sunday from an extended trip to Mexico were in a railroad wreck last week and Mr. Morton was quite seriously injured.

They were returning home on the California special and the accident happened at Canima, Arizona.

The cause of the accident was the failure of the air brakes to work and their train while going at a speed of thirty miles an hour banged into a freight train coming from a siding.

Many of the passengers were badly shaken up and bruised but no one was fatally injured but one of the cooks in the buffet car, whom it was thought would die.

Some fifteen or more of the passengers were injured including Mr. Morton. He suffered a fracture of two ribs and was severely bruised.

After more or less delay the homeward journey was resumed and Mr. and Mrs. Morton arrived in Boston Sunday morning.

Mr. Morton is still in some pain from the accident, although he feels much easier since leaving the cars, as the constant jar of the train aggravated him somewhat.

Efficient Fire Department.

That the city has a very efficient force of men at the Central Fire station was evident to those who were present at the station March 30th, upon invitation of Chief Engineer A. L. Litchfield. In the party were Mayor James Thompson, Pres. W. E. Piper of the City Council, and Councilman Eugene R. Stone chairman of the Committee on Fire Department and representatives of the press.

First there was an exhibition of the quickness in making a hitch. While all of the men were up stairs the fire alarm gong was sounded. The doors in front of the horses were opened automatically, and with almost human intelligence they rushed to their places, while the men slid down the pole, made the hitch, and took their places on the apparatus ready to start for a fire. This performance was repeated and the best time made was 19 seconds.

The party were then invited to the main room on the second floor, where ice-cream, cake and fruit punch was served. After cigars had been lighted brief remarks were made by Mayor Thompson and Councilmen Piper and Stone. They complimented the men upon their good work, and the neatness of the station. They also spoke of how much the community was indebted to them for the good work in the past; of the high standard of efficiency the department had attained, and they trusted, and believed that they would continue to maintain it in the future.

The party made an inspection of the station, and were then taken in hand by Supt. Gavin of the fire alarm, who explained the working of the system.

At the conclusion the men were lined up and the Mayor and other guests shook hands with each man, offering a slight word of congratulation before departure.

Metered Water.

F. D. Fellows, whose former residence was in Worcester, showed our representative a water bill he had just received for a metered water service in a fully plumbed house he owns there.

He has a faucet at the kitchen sink, all the usual bath-room fixtures and a sill-cock for hose, everything except set tubs. There are three in the family and they have all the water they want, yet the bill for six months was only $2.

This he says is the minimum price and he seldom exceeds it. The minimum rate allows the use of 16,000 gallons which is sold at 25 cents per 1000 feet.

Wollaston Whist Club.

There were new leaders on Saturday evening at the Wollaston whist tournament. Messrs. Chase and Brokaw made a grand rally and had no near rivals.

The summary:

M. Chase and V. S Brokaw	plus	5
J. T. Fuller and D. Spaans	plus	2 1-2
J. H. Broughton and E. E. Hoxie	plus	1 1-2
C. E. Parker and A. P. Thompson	plus	1
G. Thompson and H. C. Seymour	plus	1
E. W. Taylor and C Hathaway	minus	1 1-2
J. G. Brown and C. E. Hoxie	minus	3 1-2
R. F. Foster and A. B. Hillman	minus	6

City Council Meeting.

The annual appropriations as voted last Monday amounted to $567,763.27 as follows:

Mayor's department,	$211,064.14
School Committee,	122,296.00
Debt and interest,	116,719.88
Water debt and interest,	78,222.50
Sewer debt and interest,	39,460.75
Total,	$567,763.27

One of the most important meetings of the City Council this year was that of Monday night. The annual appropriation order was the subject of a spirited debate, but in the end the order was passed as reported by the Finance Committee. Councilman Bass was the only absent member.

The auctioneers bonds of A. G. Olney and Stephen E. Wilson were approved.

DISTRICT POLICE.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the chief of the District Police relative to licenses for public halls and the use of fire escapes on hotels and boarding houses. Placed on file.

OUT OF THE FIELD.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Quincy Gas Co., withdrawing its petition for a franchise. To Committee on Streets.

PETITIONS.

A large number of applications for minor licenses were received and referred.

Councilman Crane presented a petition for lights on Dixwell avenue. To Committee on Streets.

The Committee on Streets reported an order granting American Telephone and Telegraph Co. a location for poles on Adams and Common streets. Ordered to a second reading.

WATER METERS.

The joint Committee on Finance and Water Supply reported an order for $20,000 for the purchase and installation of water meters.

Councilman Gilson offered an amendment for the borrowing of money on 20 notes of $500 each, and ten notes of $1000 each dated May 1, and running until 1936.

Councilman Chase offered an amendment to the amendment making the date of the $1,000 bonds Sept. 1.

Councilman Nichols did not oppose the order but it was an important one and called for considerable consideration. He should like to know as to cost and style of meters and the plan of installation.

Councilman Chase said that the reason he wished to date part of the bonds Sept. 1, was because all of the money would not be used at once and it would save interest. He would favor any practical system than that in use at present.

The amendment of Councilman Chase was adopted and the order went to a second reading.

Councilman Polk moved that the order be referred to the Finance Committee.

Councilman Gilson opposed. He said the joint committee was unanimous on the order. If the order is not in good form the City Solicitor will turn it down.

Councilman Hull thought the order should go to the Finance Committee.

Councilman Stone favored sending the order to the Finance Committee. It was simply to regulate the bonds.

The motion to refer to the Finance Committee was adopted. 13 voting for and 8 against.

STREET WATERING.

Councilman Crane offered the annual street watering order for $7,000, one half to be assessed on the abutters. To Street Committee.

MORE LIGHT.

Councilman Deacon offered an order for a light on Liberty street. To Street Committee.

Councilman Stone offered an order for street lights on corner of Farnum and Thompson streets, Farnum and Elison streets, Washington and Union streets, and to change the incandescent light on the corner of Washington and Edison streets to an arc light. To Street Committee.

RESERVE POLICE.

Councilman Stone offered an order for the acceptance of Sections 26, 27 and 28 of chapter 108 of the Revised Laws.

The acceptance of this act allows the city to establish a reserve Police force. Order referred to Committee on Police.

ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS.

The annual appropriation order took its second reading.

Councilman Polk moved to suspend the rules that order might be put on final passage.

Councilman Nichols opposed. It was an unusual thing to do on such an important order.

Councilman Polk favored. The committee had given the order much consideration. He hoped no effort would be made to change the order from the form reported.

Councilman Spargo and Hobbs favored supension of the rules.

Motion to suspend the rule adotebd, and question came on passage.

Councilman Nichols asked about the item of $6,852 49 for care of public buildings which included deficit bills of 1905.

Councilman Polk. That should have been in two items one for $6,000 for repairs and $852.49 for deficiency bills of 1905.

Councilman Nichols did not think this a wise or necessary plan. These deficiency bills should be taken care of in a loan with the other deficiency bills. It was not good financering to allow one year's bills to lap into another year. There were other items that needed this $500. The amount asked for collection of ashes for example was cut $500.

He moved to amend by making amount $6,000 instead of $6,852.49, and to strike out that part relative to deficiency bills.

Councilman Polk opposed. If the deficiency were paid by a loan the city would have to pay interest on that loan.

Councilman Nichols asked why other deficiencies were not provided for in the same way, to which Councilman Polk replied that there was not room for them.

Councilman Nichols protested against the recurrence of such deficiencies amounting to $5,000 or $6,000.

Mayor Thompson. It was the intention of the Finance Committee to make a separate item of the $825.49. If the order passed he wanted it made into two items.

Councilman Nichols withdrew his motion and offered the following:

To amend by striking out the figures $6,852.49 for repairing public buildings and care of City hall and inserting $6,500 and to further amend by striking out the words "and deficit bills of 1905."

Councilman Stone we have got to meet the bills and it might as well be done this way.

Councilman Sawyer, the Mayor stated to the committee that with strict economy $6,000 would be sufficient for care of City Hall and public buildings.

Councilman Ferguson moved to amend the amendment as follows: "Repair of Public buildings and City Hall $6000; Deficit bills of 1905, $852.49."

The amendment to the amendment was adopted and the question was on the amendment of Councilman Nichols as amended by Councilman Ferguson. Voted.

COLLECTION OF ASHES.

Councilman Stone moved to strike out the item $2,000 for collection of ashes. It was a good thing to collect ashes but it was not a good policy to take on a new scheme when we are so close to the limit.

Councilman Hull opposed. Out of twenty cities Quincy and Pittsfield were the only ones that did not collect ashes. It is not expected to cover the entire city the entire year for that amount. Of this amount $500 would be taken for a team and the balance to clear the city in May. Then but little would be done until October.

Councilman Stone—This is a luxury. We have less leeway for current expenses than ever before.

In reply to a question by Councilman McGilvray, Chairman Teasdale said the Board of Health could give satisfactory results with the amount for the balance of the year.

The motion of Councilman Stone was defeated.

Councilman Nichols thought the amount of $5,000 for gypsy moth could be cut. There was a balance Jan. 1 of $2,200 or $2,400 of last year's appropriation. The item could be cut $500 or $1,000. He moved to make the amount $4,000.

Councilman Chase further moved to make the amount $3,000. Under the law the Superintendent can not compel the city to expend more than $5,000 in any one year. Add the balance of last year to the $3,000 and we have the amount of $5,000.

Councilman Moir opposed. The superintendent has ordered $8,000 to be appropriated this year. If we appropriate $5,000 we are not likely to be brought before the Governor and Council.

In reply to questions by Councilman Gilson the Commissioner said every highway in the city had now been taken care of, and that a corps of ten State inspectors would be out here this week to make an inspection.

Councilman Stone favored the cut.

Councilman Polk—The amount of $5,000 was the estimate of the Mayor. He did not see how $8,000 could be appropriated. The new law might compel the city to expend $15,000 this year.

Councilman Donovan favored the amendment. If we can cut to $5,000 there was no reason why we cannot cut to $3,000.

Mayor Thompson said that last year the superintendent required the city to appropriate $3,000. He was sorry to have to include the sum of $5,000 this year. It is a current expense. There was no other place for it.

They have demanded that Quincy take action to prevent the spread of the pest. The superintendent said it would require an appropriation of $8,000. He wrote him that he did not see how it was possible to appropriate a greater sum than $5,000. That may be satisfactory until the inspectors have looked over the ground.

Councilman Hull was in favor of doing what was necessary.

The motion to cut the amount to $3,000 was lost.

Councilman Stone asked the Board of Health why the amount for garbage had been increased.

Chairman Teasdale replied that the amount last year was not sufficient.

Councilman Chase moved to make the amount for edgstones, etc. $1,000 and spoke in favor. Motion lost.

Councilman Stone moved to amend the item for City Hospital so as to read.

City Hospital with receipts for services rendered to persons having no settlement in Quincy. Voted.

The order was then passed to be ordained by the following vote:

YES—Beal, Cannon, Deacon, Donovan, Flaherty, Ferguson, Gelotte, Gilson, Gross, Hobbs, Hull, Hunter McGilvray, Moir, Polk, Sawyer, Spargo, Stone—18.
NO—Chase, Nichols—2.
ABSENT—Bass, Crane—2.
NOT VOTING—President Piper—1.
Adjourned at 10.05 until April 16.

Yacht Races.

Members of the local yacht club are assured of some good sport the coming season. Aside from their own club races, those of the Yacht Racing Association of Massachusetts and the Boston Bay Association, there is to be a series of interclub races. Arrangements for these races were completed this week. The clubs represented in the interclub series are: South Boston, Mosquito, Columbia, Quincy, Squantum and Wollaston.

There are to be four classes as follow:

First class,—Special top mast sloops, 20 feet, and over water line.

Second class,—Boats 22 feet and over, regardless of rig.

Third class,—All boats under 22 feet water line, regardless of rig.

All allowances in these three classes to be figured an overall measurement by the Herreschoff table.

Fourth class,—All boats complying to the rules of the Cape Cat Association. Allowances on this class to be figured as usual.

The dates for the interclub races are as follows: South Boston, May 30; Mosquito, June 30; Columbia, July 14; Quincy, July 26; Squantum, August 11; and Wollaston date to be announced.

As for prizes for these races that will be discretionary with each club to offer what they see fit.

Can Be Built Here

Should the government decide to build the mammoth battleship larger than the Dreadnought of the British navy, as contemplated, the Fore River Ship Building Co. would undoubtedly be in the field for the contract to build it.

There has been some question in the minds of some if the channel off the works was deep enough to launch the boat and if the draw in the Quincy Point bridge was wide enough to permit its passage through.

The officials of the Fore River Co., however, say that the channel off the works is plenty deep enough to launch such a vessel and that there is no question but what the opening in the draw of the bridge is also wide enough. The opening is 100 feet and as the largest vessel is not over 82 feet wide she could pass through all right.

It was however said at the works that if the government decided to build the battleship that it would be at least late in the present year before plans could be perfected so that bids could be advertised for and that it would probable be a year at least before any contract was awarded.

—It was Thomas Jefferson who said and out of his wide experience of politics and the world that "He is the happiest of whom the world says least, good or bad."

Quincy Deaths.

The returns filed in the City Clerk's office at City Hall show that the total number of deaths recorded in Quincy during the year 1905 were 433, an increase of 42 over the year 1904. Considering that Quincy is growing very rapidly the increase is not a large one. These figures however do not mean that all of the parties were residents of Quincy or that they passed away in this city. A consultation of the records show of the total number 408 were residents of Quincy. That 389 died in Quincy and that of the total number 319 were buried in Quincy.

The oldest person to pass away was Mary Heffernan whose age is given as 95 years, 6 months and 15 days. Other persons over 80 years of age were as follows:

Susan W. Curtis 95 years, 2 months and 15 days.
Sarah A. Bent 94 years, 3 months and 4 days.
George S. T. Whiting 91 years and 6 months.
Elizabeth S. G. Nightingale 91 years, 10 months and 25 days.
Eliza A. Hayden 90 years, 10 months and 29 days.
Mary W. White 87 years, 11 months and 16 days.
George Reynolds 87 years, 9 months and 10 days.
Noah A. Glover 87 years, 2 months and 20 days.
Lucinda Perry 85 years, 1 month and 5 days.
Mary MacFarland 83 years, 5 months and 13 days.
Mary A. Perkins 83 years, 6 months and 9 days.
Eliza W. Parker 83 years and 18 days.
Clement P. Jayne 82 years, 2 months and 20 days.
Patrick Duggan 82 years, 1 month and 3 days.
Henry H. Faxon 82 years, 1 month and 16 days.
Nathaniel D. Moody 81 years, 11 months and 16 days.
Susan Studley 81 years, 2 months and 3 days.
Sarah H. Anspland 80 years, 10 months and 21 days.
Francis Brown 80 years, 1 month and 24 days.
Margaret Powell 80 years.

Among the prominent people to pass away during the year were: Ex-Representative Thaddeus H. Newcomb, who died Jan. 16; Dr. T. F. Padula, who died Feb. 9; Clerk of the City Council Christopher A. Spear, March 14; Ex-Councilman Alexander W. Thompson, April 25; Ex-Councilman Joseph C. Morse, July 4; John T. Hayward, Sept. 2; Noah A. Glover, Sept. 11; Dr. Joseph M. Sheahan, Sept. 21; Capt. Clement P. Jayne, Oct. 24; John Hall, Oct. 27; and Henry H. Faxon, Nov. 14.

The following table gives the number of males and females to die each month in the year with the total for the month compared with the corresponding month of the year 1904.

Month.	Males.	Females.	Total.	1904.
January,	21	12	33	39
February,	17	17	34	35
March,	24	24	48	42
April,	25	17	42	40
May,	17	9	26	25
June,	19	11	30	31
July,	23	16	39	34
August,	17	22	39	23
September,	22	17	39	41
October,	25	19	44	34
November,	10	13	23	34
December,	22	14	36	25
Totals,	242	191	433	393

There being 389 deaths in the city, and the census showing a population of 28,076, the death rate was less than 14 per 1000.

Missionary Meeting.

A very interesting meeting was held in the vestry of the Washington Street Congregational church Sunday evening, under the auspices of the auxiliary board of the American Home Missionary Society, addressed by Miss Wilkinson, one of the teachers of Talladega college, Alabama.

There was a large attendance and the interesting talk by Miss Wilkinson threw much new light upon the work the Talladega college is doing among the Negroes of the south.

Mrs. Harriett Holman, president of the auxiliary, presided, and after a service of song by children of the Sunday school and prayer by the pastor, Mrs. Charles H. Sherburne, the secretary, gave a brief history of the sixteen years, existence of the auxiliary which was formed Dec. 5, 1890, with Mrs. Fannie Sampson as president.

Mrs. T. B. Pollard, the treasurer of the auxiliary told of the money that had been raised during these years, and how it had been distributed. The grand total was $525.

Miss Wilkinson was then introduced and spoke of the work of the college which she represents. She said that the Negro problem was being much discussed of late, and that the problem of the twentieth century was in the color line.

She then told of the early years of Talladega college which begun in a small building two years after the war. Now it has fine buildings, chapel, library, and other buildings and a farm of 800 acres.

All the student learns is put to practical use. Wherever the students go, new churches and school houses follow. She told of the homes from which the students came, many being two room cabins, and what a transformation the college had made on the home life of the students.

The chief work of the college was the training of teachers. What the negro needs above all else is an educated ministry. If we are going to lift them we must give them more college graduates. The speaker told of the places where the graduates have gone and the good work they were doing. The college can carry students from $75 to $80 per year. Only about one-third can pay their own way.

She was trying to get scholarships in the north and hoped that the different societies connected with the church would see a way to take a scholarship. She believes that the college method of christian education for the mind and heart was the right one.

After the service an opportunity was given to examine pictures of the college and southern life, brought by Miss Wilkinson.

Naval Magazine.

An appropriation of $200,000 for the new naval magazine at Weymouth is included in the naval appropriation bill. It provides for the purchase of land and erection of buildings.

—Immigration into this country reached its highest figure at New York last week, when more than eleven thousand strangers landed.

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Household Receipts.

Escalloped Salmon. Take one can of salmon, picked up fine; butter a pudding dish, put in a layer of cracker crumbs on the bottom, then a layer of salmon with bits of butter, salt, and pepper, a trifle of tomato and a little milk. Proceed in this way until the dish is full, having buttered crumbs at the top. Add milk to make quite moist, and bake one half hour in a quick oven.

Cream Crullers. One and one-half cups sugar, two cups cream, two eggs, two teaspoonfuls baking powder mixed in enough flour to roll out soft. Cut in desired shapes, and fry in very hot lard.

Clam Croquettes. Steam the clams. Remove the shells, thin skin, black end, and the dark substance from the soft part. Cut the "leather straps" with the scissors into small bits. Mix these and the soft part with a thick cream sauce, season with salt and pepper, and shape into rolls. Roll in fine bread-crumbs, dip in beaten egg, and roll in crumbs again. Fry in smoking hot lard.

Corn Custard. To one can of corn finely chopped, and two eggs slightly beaten, one teaspoonful of salt, one light teaspoonful of pepper, two cups of scalded milk, and one and one-half tablespoonfuls of butter. Turn into a buttered pudding dish, and bake in a slow oven until firm.

Anecdotes.

Niece: "Auntie, dear, Mr. Maler, the artist, has asked me for my photo; he wants to make use of it for his last picture. Ought I to send it to him?"

Aunt: "Yes, you may do so; but be sure to enclose with it a photo of your mother or some elderly lady. It would be highly improper to send your photo by itself."—Deutsche Woerte.

"Did Mary marry happily?"

"Well, when she looks at her diamonds she thinks she did, and when she looks at the man she says she is wretched. Lately, though, she seems to be growing contented."

"How is that?"

"Why, she wears her diamonds all the time, and manages not see her husband more than once a week."

"What interests you so deeply?" she asked.

"I am trying to make up my mind," he answered, "whether that thing on the table is my new waste basket upside down or your new hat right side up."—Chicago Post.

"Laura," he fretfully remarked, "it's strange you can't make biscuit like those mother made."

She flushed slightly, and was silent for a little while.

"George," she finally said, "of what disease did your father die?"

"Chronic indigestion," said George.

"Was it the kind that mother made?" asked Laura.

"Gimme another biscuit," said George.—Youth's Companion.

—Now that the sum for which the McCurdys are to be sued amounts to millions of dollars, the case ought to be interesting. The McCurdy family which has grown rich out of its control of the Mutual Life could afford to laugh at claims aggregating a few thousands of dollars, but when it comes to millions, that is quite another matter.—Banker and Traderman.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

At last the long anticipated co-star engagement of James K. Hackett and Mary Mannering, in Al red Sutro's great drama, "The Wall of Jericho," draws near, as these two distinguished stars will begin a limited stay of two weeks only on Monday next, April 9th, at the Tremont Theatre, with Wednesday and Saturday matinees during each week. "The Walls of Jericho" is in four acts, and is a scathing, but true, commentary of London fashionable life. Briefly told, it relates how Jack Frobisher (Mr. Hackett), having amassed a fortune in New Zealand returns to London and marries Lady Alethea (Mary Mannering) and plunges into the fashionable world. Quickly he tires of this atmosphere. His wife is in peril of becoming too much interested in one of her fashionable male friends. His attempts to warn her and his efforts to wean her from the joys of "bridge" are equally futile. At last he resolves to burst the fetters and resume his conjugal authority, after upbraiding his wife for her cruel neglect of him and their child, and announces his resolution to take her and their boy back to New Zealand and abandon fashionable life forever. She refuses to accompany him, but when he agrees to depart alone, leaving the child with her, love conquers. The same brilliant company that gave Mr. Hackett and Miss Mannering support during their long season of over six months at the Savoy Theatre, New York, will be seen in Boston.

Empire Theatre.

At the Empire Theatre next week the stock company will be seen for the first time in the brilliant comedy by Henry Arthur Jones, "The Dancing Girl," which gained great favor a few seasons ago when played through the country by E. H. Sothern and his company. The dramatic opportunities of this play will serve to show the players of the Empire company to fine advantage and Miss Minnie Seligman and Mr. William Bramwell will be given characters singularly well suited to their personality. Some beautiful stage settings will be shown in this production and the ladies will show their taste in the elegant toilettes which can be worn to advantage in this play.

The Music Hall Zoo is rapidly gaining favor as a resort for all interested in animals and birds, the collection including many rare specimens worthy of attention.

Boston Theatre.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" is a wonderful woman. She is the prize repeater among current plays. The piece is rounding out the second week, the last but one, of its engagement at the Boston Theatre, which is made remarkable by the fact that there is but standing room at every performance. With the orchestra under the stage, people standing everywhere, the performance goes with a spirit and enthusiasm that infect the house with merriment. "April Fool's Day" having fallen on Sunday, the children of the Cabbage Patch enjoyed their revels on Monday evening, and Oscar Eagle, the stern stage manager, overlooked many an added bit of "business." Mr. Stabbins was the butt of most of the jokes. Little Tommy was six years old on Monday and a dainty little supper was served in his honor on the stage after the performance, when the blythe child was presented with a gold watch by the company. Charles Carter will have a birthday on Saturday, when Madge Carr Cooke and her fellow players will entertain him as their guest. The children are taking advantage of the spring vacation to see the little ones of the Cabbage Patch, and the Boston Theatre contains a merry crowd of juveniles daily. Next week will be the last of the engagement.

Grand Opera House.

Chas. E. Blaney's phenomenally successful military play, "Across the Pacific," returns to Boston Grand Opera House, for the usual week's engagement, commencing next Monday, April 9th. The play, while military in character, is comedy-drama of a good kind, with humor in plentiful proportions, well devised situations; but more particularly, it is a drama of incidents. There are scenes in Montana; the Chinese quarter in San Francisco; a Chinese restaurant and opium den; a dock scene with the U. S. transport, "City of Pekin," about to depart for Manila; a camp scene and interior of a block house in the Philippines. It is an undisputable fact, that no stage has ever seen a more stirring picture than the departure for the Philippines of the U. S. transport, "City of Pekin," loaded down with Uncle Sam's brave boys.

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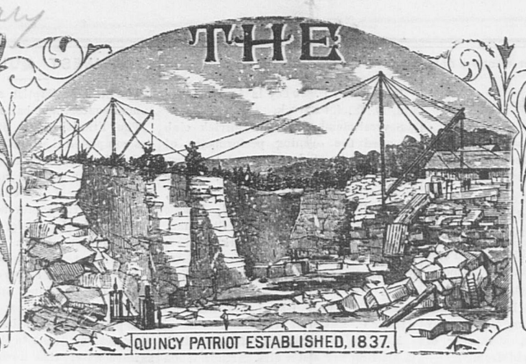
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Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	188,28 .01
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$480,329.42
Contingent Assets,	356,144.37
Total Available Assets,	1,025,059.80
Gain in Surplus,	4,783.27

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Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	61,242 47
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$109,869.73
Contingent Assets,	114,517.7
Total Available Assets,	285,629.77
Gain in Surplus,	3,215.44

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GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year, $12,983.04
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year, 20,297.34
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Amount at Risk	$37,869,990.00
Cash Assets	207,409.00
Deposit Notes	927,581.17
Available Assets	1,134,990.24
Total Liabilities	338,543.29
Cash Surplus	168,26 578
Gain in Surplus in 1904	7,488.47
Gain in Assets in 1904	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904	103,055.43
Dividends paid in 1904	68,294.25
Receipts in 1904	244,429.85
Disbursements in 1904	228,975.58

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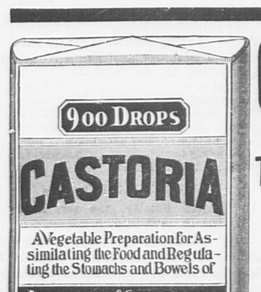
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Cash Capital, -	$4,000,000.00
Reserve for Re-insurance (Fire)	4,506,936.04
Reserve for Unpaid Losses (Fire)	564,542 63
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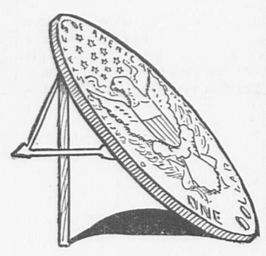
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Are the beautiful vestal lilies,
The myriad-petaled rose,
Carnations with hearts of fire,
And the heather's fragrant spray,
Blooming to garland Easter,
And strew our King's highway.

Late we had gloom and sorrow,
But the word from Heaven forth,
Has scattered the clouds before it
Like a trumpet blown from the north
And east and west and southward
The flowers arise to-day,
To garland the blithsome Easter,
And strew the King's highway.

Carry the flowers of Easter
To the darkened house of woe,
With their message of strength and comfort
Let the lilies of Easter go;
Scatter the Easter blossoms
In the little children's way;
Let want and pain and weakness
Be cheered on our Easter day.

For lilac, and rose, and bluebell,
And whatever name they wear,
The spell of the flowers of Easter
Is a spell to banish care;
And blooming to garland Easter
They will shine in church to-day,
The lovely things that have wakened
To deck our King's highway.
—Harper's Bazar.

Miscellany.

MISS AVERY'S LILIES.

"A box for you, mum." The round, red face of the good-natured expressman beamed upon Miss Avery genially. "All the way from Californy, too. Guess you must have relations out there."

Miss Avery shook her head. "No, not a one, Mr. Joliffe. Is it prepaid?" anxiously.

"Prepaid, mum—all genteel and trig. Might be gold bricks if it was a leetle heavier," and laughing at his own joke, Mr. Joliffe turned away, leaving Miss Avery and her box in the little hallway.

"Who can have sent it?" she asked herself, running over in swift review her list of friends; only one whom she could think of had ever lived in California, Maria East, and she was there temporarily for her health. It must be Maria she said to herself, as she lifted the box, not a heavy one, and carried it into the sunny little sitting-room, and her thoughts flew back instantly to the days when she and Maria went to school together, slept together and shared each others joys and sorrows like sisters, as they were in heart.

The box cover was soon lifted and a letter appeared on top, and underneath it the queerest kind of a gift, rows of what might be apples, potatoes or onions, each wrapped carefully in paper, but Miss Avery eagerly opened the letter before unwrapping even one of the mysterious parcels.

"My Dear Janie," she read in her friend's well-remembered handwriting, "I am sending you an Easter remembrance in advance of the season, but I think you will enjoy it the more for that. I remember your love for Easter lilies, and how carefully you cherished one poor little stalk once on a time, which we both remember, and then gave the lilies it bore to a friend, who was poorer than yourself, and I am sorry to say, less patient and generous. I am living next door to a lady who makes a business of raising Easter lilies for market, and oh how I wish you could see her fields in bloom, acres on acres, and it brought tears to my eyes last Easter as I thought of you and your one little treasure of long ago, and I resolved then, and there that this year you should have for once all the Easter lilies you could want. By this you know what is in the box, and I shall enjoy the odor of Mrs. Kann's wonderful lilies the better for knowing that you are enjoying a part of them at home."

Miss Avery unpacked her box with smiles and tears combined when she had finished her letter. She had not felt well in the morning, and also lonely and forsaken, small and useless, a most miserable feeling, caused, no doubt, by a piece of rich mince pie sent in by an injudiciously generous neighbor, which had disturbed her dreams and her digestion. Then, too, she had an unfortunate habit of self-depreciation, even without the help of pie, and the warm, wholesome words of friendship did her good.

There were dozens of them, the brown, homely things, each with its possibility of beauty and fragrance hidden within it, and Miss Avery fairly hugged them in her delight. She was quite an expert florist and knew just what to do with them, and the remainder of her day was a happy and busy one, as she prepared soil, which she always kept in her cellar over winter for early planting, and found places for even the least of the bulbs.

"I shall have enough for a row all around the pulpit," she said to herself, joyfully. "It always hurts me when I can't give the committee, but one or two little offerings for the Lord's house at Easter. I guess Maria thought of that."

Whatever Maria thought of, the lilies took to their new surroundings most kindly, and in a few weeks every bulb had thrown up a strong, thrifty stalk of green, with every indication of abundant bloom. The kitchen and sitting-room were full of them in every available shelf and window, and an obliging neighbor loaned her a large plant stand for the rest.

"Dear me, Miss Avery, I should think you would get tired of fussing over such a great batch of them," she said, as she watched the little woman arranging her plants.

"There isn't one too many," cried Miss Avery, almost indignantly. "I love them, every separate one, and I have never had enough before to satisfy at all. I'd take care of twice as many if Maria had sent them."

The fame of Miss Avery's Easter lilies began to go abroad, and many came to see them as they grew. Children watched the green, thrifty stalks lovingly, and little lame Jamie Knox came hobbling in on his crutch to look at them when the tall flower buds began to shoot up. "My, but you've got a lot of 'em, Miss Avery," he said, his eyes wandering from one to another hungrily. "I had a Neaster lily once, but I didn't get to see it blow."

"Why not?" asked Miss Avery, picking off an imperfect leaf from one of her pets.

"Something happened to it — an accident," replied the child, a flush rising to his thin face. "Father he—"

"Never mind, dear," Miss Avery interposed, gently. She had seen Jerry Knox staggering into his poor home too often not to guess at once what had happened to the Easter lily, and when the child went home he had one of the pots, carefully covered with papers, gathered in his left arm, his pale little face fairly transfigured with joy.

"Grandma Lee is down again with rheumatism. Poor old soul, if her crown is burnishing with suffering it will be a shining one," said Mrs. Graham, another neighbor, one morning. Miss Avery lived in a friendly neighborhood, where people threw shawls over their heads, and "ran in" at all hours of the day, an old-fashioned custom which has its pleasures as well as its disadvantages. "She has been lotting so on going to Easter service this year, and now she is flat on her back. It just seems as if some folks didn't get anything, but disappointments and pain in this world."

"That is Calvary, but remember, Mrs. Graham, that after Calvary comes Easter," replied Miss Avery, gently, "and Grandma's Easter, we all know, will be complete and triumphant. Someway my thoughts have been on Easter more than ever this year."

"Well, I should think so, with all this house full of lilies," Mrs. Graham rejoined with a laugh.

"What I meant to say was, that more than ever before Easter means triumph to me. We see the lilies as they are today, the brown root doing its work in the soil, the leaves and stalks doing their duty as best they can, but the glory of the plant remains to be revealed in the perfect lily blossom by and by."

"Well, there'll be enough of it when it comes," replied Mrs. Graham, quite ignoring the spiritual thought. "I never saw so many lilies outside of a conservatory."

Lightly as they were spoken, the words. "There'll be enough of it when it comes," lingered strangely with Miss Avery after her caller had departed. "Yes, we shall be satisfied," she said to herself, as she went carefully over her field of lilies to select the thriftiest and best for Grandma Lee. "Here we have the pain and toil of Calvary, there the glory and beauty of Easter in all its perfection."

"O, thank you dearie," said Grandma Lee, delightedly, when Miss Avery uncovered her burden. "I was just wishing I had something green and growing to look at. I am tired of looking at the quilt, though it has got some pieces in it that I set great store by, and the wall paper isn't very comfortin'. Those little figures on the ceiling look like a tumbliu' lot of little boys, chasing each other full pelt. They make me so tired, always runnin' night an' day, but never catchin' anything."

"I should think they would grandma," Miss Avery looked up at the ugly wall paper with a smile, "but I think this will soon comfort you with fragrance and beauty," and sitting down by the bedside she told the story of the box of bulbs.

"What an opportunity, dearie," remarked the old lady. "There are so many shut-in by sickness and sorrow, so many of the least that you can do for. I almost envy you."

"Yes," replied Miss Avery, almost hesitatingly, "I don't want to scrimp the church decorations, though. I've laid out to satisfy the craving I've had for so long to trim the altar for once with an abundant offering."

"Ah, well, dearie, He knows, whether in secret or in his house, He knows how you want to honor Him, and will accept the gift wherever given."

Day after day Miss Avery heard of new cases where the lilies might carry the Easter message to sick or sorrowing hearts, and before the opening of the first bud her supply was lessened by nearly half, but her heart was growing strangely warm and tender. It was as if each flower, as it went on its sacred mission, left behind it its odor and beauty to develop in her, and make her more loving and earnest, an alabaster box giving forth its fragrance only by usage.

"Oh, Miss Avery, how perfectly lovely they are. It seems a pity to disturb them," cried Nettie Arlington. "It is so lovely of you to be willing to loan them to us. Miss Avery's class had come to carry the remaining lilies over to the church. They were in full bloom now and the little house was redolent with perfume, while Miss Avery's cheeks were flushed with happy excitement as she loaded her pets into the arms of the waiting girls.

"Not good a bit girls," she said, joyfully, as they all joined in Nettie's sentiment. "It is such a pleasure for me to do it. There, go along, dears, and I will bring what is left."

"Aren't you going to leave even one teeny, weeny one for yourself, Miss Avery?" asked Nettie, as her teacher gathered up the few which remained.

"Not one; I will enjoy them the better when they come back if I lend them freely."

It was by far the happiest Easter Miss Avery had ever experienced, and she looked at the beautiful decorations of the church with eyes misty with tears. It was the first satisfying offering she had ever been able to make, and the music sounded sweeter and the sermon more touching because her lilies were there, saying for her what she could not say for herself.

After the service someone touched her sleeve. It was lame Jamie. "Oh, Miss Avery, you'd orter see my lily," he said, his thin face beaming. "Every bud is open—and—" he stretched up to whisper in her ear, "father's trying to be good today, and he's comin' to meetin' tonight."

"Isn't that beautiful," she was saying to him, with a sympathetic pressure of the little hand on her arm, when Mrs. Graham came to her.

"Grandma Lee has gone home, Miss Avery," she said, her voice unusually tender. "She dropped away almost in a moment—the disease struck to her heart, they think, and the last thing they heard her say was something about Solomon in all his glory. They've laid her out with one of your Easter lilies in her hand."

Miss Avery sat down, almost faint with surprise. "Dear heart, she is having the happiest Easter of us all," she said in a trembling voice.

"Yes, and to think that your lilies were a comfort to her, even to her last breath. I shall never see one without thinking of her, for if I ever had a true friend and a tried, it was Grandma Lee."

Miss Avery sat in her little room alone a few days later, writing to her friend with a full heart. "You little know, dear Maria, how much good your beautiful gift has done. Not only has it cheered my own heart and given me untold pleasure, but it has reached out and blessed other hearts, of whom I can mention only a very few. It has brightened a drunkard's miserable home, and aroused thoughts which may yet work a complete reform; it has cheered the dying bed of one of God's sweetest saints, and has gone into home after home, where the fragrance and beauty of the lilies were a benediction. I cannot thank you, dear, as I should like to, with my voice and my arms around your neck as of old, but only with word and pen. It was a lovely thought and it has borne lovely fruit, how lovely I think you and I will never know until we gather it in eternity."—Mrs. F. M. Howard.

Only a Dream.

An exchange tells a story of a man who went to sleep, and dreamed that he was in a city governed by women. It was scrupulously clean, and while walking around he saw three men arrested for spitting on the pavements. A garbage barrel at the rear of each lot was hand painted and tied with a blue ribbon. Mail box were decorated with hand throws, and the fire plugs had cushioned seats on top of them. Sweet pea vines were climbing electric light poles, and a hand painted cuspidor occupied a prominent place on every corner. There was no business, not a team being allowed to pass up or down the main street for fear of making dust. The town was deserted save by the policeman who marched up and down to see that no one with dusty shoes stepped into town. During the dream a man was hanged in the suburbs for being out with the boys the night before.

Woman on the Stand.

"Now, madame," said the attorney for the defense, as he began the cross-examination, "will you please tell the court how you know it was a sealskin purse?"

"How do I know it? Why, I know it because that's what it was."

"Yes, but how do you know that's what it was? You had nothing but hearsay evidence to convince you that it was sealskin. You merely took the word of the clerk who sold it to you, didn't you? You didn't see the seal killed and the hide tanned and the purse made, did you?"

"Look here, Mr. Smarty," replied the witness, "will you let me ask you a question? What day—"

"I must insist upon—"

"Yes, I'll answer your question in a minute, but will you please tell me what day of the week this is?"

"This is Thursday. Now, if you will kindly—"

"Thursday? How do you know it's Thursday? Were you present when this day was created, and did you see it while it was being labelled? Haven't you merely accepted hearsay evidence—"

"Oh, pshaw! If the court please, the witness will be excused."

Lost in Thought.

"You are fond of music," said a late acquaintance to a woman at a concert last winter. "I noticed your rapt attention all through that last symphony."

"Did you?" repeated the woman, with a curious smile. "I shall have to confess that I wasn't thinking of the music at all; I was minutely calculating if the back parlor carpet would 'make over' for the front alcove room."

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

For the Patriot.

New York Fashions.

Evidently, mohair braid has had its day, and while a few, rather small shapes appear, trimmed by wreaths of flowers, preference is given to chips, Leghorns or panamas. Some large evening hats, trimmed with maline and ostrich plumes, are still of Neapolitan weave, but its continuance is a matter of conjecture. A large number of roses pressed closely together, composing an entire crown or front of a hat (devoid of a single green leaf) with many ribbon loops rising high toward the back or numberless soft puffs at the side and an equal number under the brim, is considered the acme of style.

THIS WILL BE A PARASOL
as well as a ribbon season, and handwork, whether painting or embroidery, indicates the expensive and fashionable parasol. Hand embroidered linen has almost put to flight the ruffled chiffon or lace parasols, and even a silk embroidered (machine work on silk) parasol is quoted at fourteen dollars, while a hand-embroidered linen sells for thirty-five.

LOW SHOES AND FINE STOCKINGS.
The low shoe and Ethiopian double-foot hoisery, thoroughly satisfies the fashionable woman who desires the combination of a fine mesh and also durability. The strong point of these new stockings is the double weave of the whole foot, except the instep and upper stocking, which are exceptionally fine and dainty in appearance.



BEAUTIFUL COMBINATIONS
and not unfrequently, glaring contrasts mark Easter millinery, as for example on a green straw, large, red roses are used—blue and pink are in conjunction, or red and blue. Colored straws are very stylish, and the mixture of shades may be imagined, when profusely trimmed with flowers of various kinds. A mammoth bow of flowered ribbon is often the only trimming on a straw, set at one side, with a Rhine stone buckle at the centre. A unique garniture is a pair of manufactured wings joined and placed on a flat shape and so large that they cover the crown and brim.

ILLUSTRATION.
Thanks are due the McCall Co., makers and designers of Fashion, for stylish illustration accompanying this article.

THE ETON IS MORE AGGRESSIVE
than ever, consequently a fluffy front is imperative, and especially necessary that it should be of a durable material. With this end in view, embroidered white silk waists are first choice with connoisseurs, as they give a peculiarly elegant finish to dressy costumes. The newest and most beautiful are seen at Lord & Taylor's, in "shadow embroidery," combining novelty, elegance and beauty of finish. Very sheer silk waists with lace yokes, in either black or white, are useful for ordinary wear, but are by no means high-class affairs.

RECENT OPENINGS
of imported gowns show no great superiority to those of domestic manufacture. Princesse styles are confirmed nine out of ten have the bodice skirt, and very short bolero jacket, and the variety of ornamentation on these gay little affairs is really interesting. Braid, buttons, lace, chiffon appliques, embroidery, narrow, contrasting vests, all go to make up the note of novelty. The blouse front still makes quite a respectable showing, as to conceal true outlines seems the first object in dressmaking.

SKIRTS OF THIN FABRICS
are very wide, and tucks, insertions, folds or appliques are all acceptable garnitures. Heavy laces particularly Irish or crochet, and other varieties seem to weigh down fine net or chiffon foundations, and just at present gossamer laces appear to be laid aside. Lace coats are very striking, some quite long and sloping away at the front, others are confined at the waist, with a three-quarter skirt and slight blouse front. Lace boleros, capes of all shapes and sizes, will give distinction to simple costumes, and lace bodices almost made up of passementerie and beads, will be very effective over plain, thin silk waists.

Lucy Carter.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, April 7, 1906.

That the President has not weakened in his desire to have railroad rate legislation enacted at this session of Congress is apparent from the energy he is displaying and the means he is taking to accomplish that end. Last Saturday he held a conference with several Republican Senators and he declared himself to be satisfied with the Court review amendment and inquired anxiously as to the number of votes of the Republicans that could be polled if the bill should be brought to a vote soon. Since then he has apparently burned his bridges behind him in the railroad fight and is now formally conferring with Democratic Senators in an endeavor to enlist their active aid in pushing through the bill and amendments agreed to in his conference with the Republicans. All the vexation he had felt in his Santo Domingan treaty with certain of the Democratic Senators he has apparently put aside and one after another has been summoned to the White House to talk over the situation. He has intimated in various places that he would be glad to talk with Senators Tillman and Bailey on the subject and it is not unlikely that he may send for either or both of these men. Mr. Tillman it will be remembered has not visited the White House since the President withdrew an invitation that had been extended to him on the occasion of Prince Henry's visit here four years ago. This was at the time when Mr. Tillman's name was temporarily striken from the roll of the Senate pending an investigation of the fracas and fist fight he had with his colleague Senator McLaurin of South Carolina. Since then Mr. Tillman has indulged in many tirades in the Senate and elsewhere against the President and the anxiety of the President to have rate legislation may be guaged by the fact that he is willing to make the first advances toward a reconciliation if by so doing he can gain more votes for the bill. Mr. Tillman and Mr. Bailey both declare they will not go to the White House but there are generally ways of overcoming this sort of a resolution and such a conference will in all probability take place soon. Republicans and Democrats alike are disposed to criticise the action of the President in trying to influence the votes on the bill but criticism has never been known to deter the President when he had an object in view and on no subject of legislation has he ever displayed a keener interest than in this one of the regulation of rates. A discussion led by Senator Bailey as to the propriety of conferences between Executive and legislators on the subject of legislation brought out an interesting impromptu debate in the Senate in which Senators Dolliver and Aldrich defended the President from the criticism of Mr. Bailey.

Mayor E. F. Dunne of Chicago whose battle for public ownership of the traction lines in Chicago was only partially successful at last Tuesday's election attended a meeting in Washington this week and spoke to a large audience on the Railroad rate bill. This prominent champion of municipal ownership declared himself in entire accord with Senator Newlands of Nevada on the railroad bill and said: "The real solution of the railroad rate discrimination problem does not lie in the context of any rate bill that Congress may pass but in Governmental control of interstate Commerce through ownership of traffic lines." The avowed object of Mayor Dunne's visit to Washington was for the purpose of asking the President to attend the tenth annual convention of the League of American Municipalities which takes place in Chicago in September. The President has not yet decided whether or not he will be able to accept the invitation.

Senator Elkins, who is the representative of great railroad interests in the country spoke in the Senate late this week in opposition to the pending railroad rate bill. Mr. Elkins declared that his interests as a shipper are ten times as great as they are as a railroad man and that he spoke against the bill as a shipper rather than as a railroader. He declared that the pending bill is of doubtful constitutionality and that it does not go far enough. He proposed a bill of his own making which he declared embodies the wishes of the people which he desires substituted for the Hepburn bill.

Mrs. Roosevelt and her young children who have made a short cruise in Southern waters in the President's yacht have returned to Washington after a pleasant visit in Cuban ports. Mrs. Roosevelt, whose health had suffered from the strain of a social season and especially the climax of a White House wedding is greatly improved and returns eager to begin the season of entertaining which opens immediately after Easter. The children are of course enthusiastic over their trip to the Island which had been the scene of their Father's war experiences and of which he has written so much.

Adams.

Too Busy to Grow.

A small office boy, who had worked in the same position for two years on a salary of $3 a week, finally plucked up enough courage to ask for an increase in wages.

"How much more would you like to have?" inquired his employer.

"Well," answered the lad, "I don't think $2 more a week would be too much."

"Well, you seem to me a rather small boy to be earning $5 a week," remarked his employer.

"I suppose I do. I know I'm small for my age," the boy explained, "but to tell you the truth, since I've been here I haven't had time to grow."

He got the raise.—St. Nicholas.

—It would be interesting to know how many of the people who are signing the petition for the commutation of Tucker's sentence believe that he is innocent, and how many sign because they are opposed on principle to the death penalty. It is obvious that the feeling against capital punishment is growing stronger every year.—Somerville Journal.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1906.

Musicale.

A grand musicale was given in the Universalist church on Thursday evening, by vocal and instrumental talent, assisted by a reader and Rev. W. S. Perkins, the pastor.

A chorus of 25 voices opened the program with the Damascus Triumphal march from "Naaman" entitled "With Sheathed Sword," by Sir Michael Costa and closed with the Easter cantata of "The Resurrection," by Charles Fonteyn Manney. Both productions were admirably rendered particularly in the chorus parts. Much credit being due to Mr. Charles H. Whitter, the musical director; Mrs. Florence Cutter, the organist; and Mrs. Edna Wilson Estes, pianist.

The pastors brief address was very appropriate, being a song of immortality. There is not only immortality of man, he said, but immortality of the effects of our lives. He quoted from the poets in support of this: "The arrow," by Longfellow; "The bugle song" by Tennyson; and the "Choir invisible" by George Eliot.

Very pleasing vocal solos were rendered by Mr. Chester Scott, Mrs. Blanche Richardson and Mr. Albert C. Orcutt, each being encored.

The trios by "The Estes" and the violin solo by Miss Daisy Wilson added greatly to the program. Mrs. Estes is certainly an accomplished pianist and Mr. Estes an artist with the flute, while Miss Wilson is a master of the violin. All their numbers were finely rendered and the audience regretted that the program was so long as to exclude encores on each.

The star of the evening was Mr. Walter C. Gile, the reader. His stories were humorous, and he delineated different characters so successfully that he was a great favorite. He gave in all four selections.

In the chorus were:

Sopranos,—Miss Anne Robery, Miss Louise Cowing, Miss Mabel Ross, Miss Mamie Blake, Miss Mabel Ripley, Miss Hazel Mowry, Mrs. Blanche C. Richardson, Mrs. Agnes Fletcher, Mrs. Grace Condon, Mrs. Francis Stoddard, Mrs. Jeannie Whittier, Miss French.

Tenors,—Mr. Chas. Lincoln, Mr. Frank Varney, Mr. Benjamin French.

Altos,—Miss Florence Holton, Miss Eleanor Shaw, Miss Clara Davidson, Miss McLaughlin, Mrs. Emma Stoddard, Miss Josephine French.

Basses,—Mr. Chester Scott, Mr. Walter Morse, Mr. George Ripley, Mr. George Guston, Mr. V. C. Richardson, Mr. Edward Wight, Mr. John B. Findlay.

Mr. V. C. Richardson, the choir manager, has certainly organized a good choir, and has taken steps to form a choral society. All musical people are invited to meet at his residence on Cottage street, on the evening of April 18.

Indian Burial Custom.

We met Mr. E. J. Sheldon, of Wollaston, the other day, who has lately come from far off Labrador, having spent the greater part of last season in that region.

The greatest river fishing in the world is there. He witnessed an Indian funeral.

The Labrador Indians have a peculiar custom in regard to their dead. As soon as one of their number is dead, the surviving relatives place the dead one in a box, which they beg from the Hudson Bay Company, or some trader. In this box are placed with a loaded gun, a powder horn, a tobacco pouch, a flint stone for striking fire, the snow shoes for travel and an axe. The box is then carried to the top of the nearest hill and set there with stones on the top of it. For ten days it is left undisturbed, and then the relatives remove the gun and other valuables, believing that by that time the dead one has reached the Happy Hunting Ground, and has no further use for them.

Wollaston Baptist Church.

After a most appetizing supper prepared by the ladies of the Wollaston Baptist church the annual roll call, and business meeting was held on Wednesday evening. The meeting was a remarkable one in spirit and good fellowship. The attendance was unusually large. The reports showed much good work done in many branches. There had been generous donations to home and foreign missions and other worthy causes, and that blessed saying of the Master's, "Give and it shall be given unto you seemed to be true once more, for $5,000 of the church debt was wiped away that evening with great rejoicing."

Among the recommendations from the trustees was one to increase the pastor's salary by $150 for the ensuing year, a small token of gratitude for his conscientious and faithful service. It has been known for some little time that the beloved and efficient pastor of the church, Rev. E. D. Webber, has been sought in other places, but the people hope they have a firm grasp upon him. Dr. Ashmore was present and cheered the hearts of all by his sympathy and encouraging words.

Willcutt---Ross.

Miss Harriet Tracy Ross, daughter of Mrs. Emma Elizabeth Ross, and until recently a teacher at the Adams school, was united in marriage Wednesday evening to Mr. Levi Willcutt of Ashmont, manager of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.

The ceremony, which was attended by the immediate family friends only, was solemnized at the home of the bride at 26 Phillips street, Wollaston, at 7 o'clock by Rev. Albert E. Clattenburg, rector of St. Chrysostom's church.

The bride was attended by Miss Susie Ross, a sister, and Mr. Bower of Boston was best man. The bride a striking brunette was gowned in a white mousseline de soir and the bridesmaid wore a blue silk muslin.

An informal reception and wedding supper followed the cermony. After a brief wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Willcutt will take up their residence in Ashmont.

Easter at First Church.

The Sunday school of First church will hold a special Easter service in the church Easter Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Easter carols and selections by the children, address by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Butler, and distribution of potted plants to members of the school. All are cordially invited. No session of the school at noon. Apr 13-2t

—The coal strike is not ending and there appears no prospect of an immediate settlement. The operators wish to dispose of a part, at least, of the immense stock they have accumulated the past winter, before commencing again.

—The town farm at Burlington, Mass, was sold at auction on Thursday and the only pauper became disgusted and has gone to work elsewhere.

CITY BRIEFS.

The days are over thirteen hours long, and will gain another hour this month.

Mrs. Pearl Runnels has gone to Bangor, Maine, for a visit.

The annual meeting of the Granite City club will be held Saturday evening.

A telephone booth has been set up in the rooms of the Granite City club.

The mornings will reach their longest on June 8, and the afternoons their longest on June 23.

Work will soon be commenced by the city on the extension of Maple street and the widening of Cottage avenue.

The ball game of the nines from the Cranch and Adams schools on Saturday ended in a tie.

Mrs. H. Gerrish Smith of Presidents hill returned the first of the week from a ten days' visit to New York.

The "ad" of Henry L. Kincaide & Co. reminds us that the bicycle season is here.

A picture of James Duncan of the Granite Cutters' Union was one of the illustrations in a recent magazine article on "Sons of Old Scotland.

Charles F. Doble, a senior at Phillips Exeter Academy, received honorable mention for the term which closed last week.

The last words ever written by President John Quincy Adams to his son were "A stout heart, a clear conscience and never despair!"

Wadsworth & Co. have their large show windows decorated in lavender for Easter and they are attracting considerable attention.

Miss Florence Newcomb, after a few weeks' visit at her home on Newcomb street, returned to her school at North Adams Monday.

The Quincy Board of Trade has extended an invitation to the officers of the Brockton Board of trade to be their guests at the May meeting.

The Belmont A. C. would like to challenge any thirteen and fourteen year old Base Ball team. Captain,—Walter Crook; Manager,—Lewis Brown. For games write to Lewis Brown 102 Upland road, Quincy.

A rehearsal was held Monday night for the old time district school which the Quincy Historical society is to give next Tuesday evening in the chapel of First church. Judging by the rehearsal a fine performance may be expected.

The annual edition of the Golden Rod, the Quincy High School paper is in press, and will be issued this month. It has an original cover design and is filled with original stories, poems, personals, etc.

Proposals are asked for the grading and surfacing of the Furnace Brook parkway at West Quincy, so that Quincy may later in the year get some benefit from the Blue Hills reservation for which the city has been taxed several years.

Pupils of Mrs. Isabelle Davis are to present "Carroty Nell" at Colonial hall next Friday evening, for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery. The house is already sold out and friends of the young ladies are anticipating a fine performance.

The public schools will reopen on Monday next for a term of ten weeks. The grammar schools will close June 21, the graduation exercises taking place June 22. The High school graduation will take place Wednesday, June 27.

The children are saving their pennies for the annual May party at Music hall on Saturday afternoon, April 28th. The ladies are busy preparing may-baskets, soliciting candy, etc. Last year several hundred pounds of candy were consumed but all the children survived and had a happy time.

The records of Quincy doctors to 1890 has gone to press, but part II, taking in those who settled in Quincy in practice since 1890, is still incomplete. A record of those to whom application has been made, and who have for any reason not responded, will, if sent this week to Mrs. Faxon, 43 Saville avenue, be added to the Roll of Honor.

Robert G. Proctor, who was indicted by the Suffolk grand jury for embezzlement from John E. Bestgens of Quincy was arraigned in court Monday. He was represented by John W. McAnarney, Esq., of Quincy, who entered a plea of not guilty. It will be two or three weeks before the case will be reached. Mr. Proctor returned to Washington Monday.

Next Saturday afternoon, the 21st, will be bargain day at the birthplace of President John Adams, the house being open to the public at reduced price as Adams Chapter Daughters of the Revolutions and the Junior Sons and Daughters are to hold a ten cent party. A specialty will be made of home made cake and candy as well as some mysterious packages. The sale is for the mutual benefit of both chapters.

One of the most interesting and enjoyable features of the Palm Sunday services at Christ church was the singing of the "Palms" by Mr. Fred L. Wheeler of the New England Conservatory of Music. Mr. Wheeler has a good bass voice well suited to the Palms. He has been organist and choir-master of Christ church for two years and has made the music a strong factor in church life.

The midnight liquor bill for hotels was ordered to a third reading in the Massachusetts House on Monday. Both the Quincy representatives—Eugene C. Hultman and Edward J. Sandberg—voted against reconsideration, which prevailed 113 to 90, with 10 pairs; and also voted against ordering the bill to a third reading, which prevailed 109 to 101 with ten pairs. A hot fight is still ahead when the bill come up for engrossment, and it should be defeated.

Sunday evening the congregation of Christ church had the unexpected pleasure of hearing Mr. Herbert Barker, son of William P. Barker, Greenleaf street, in an exhortation sermon. Mr. Barker began his studies for the ministry of the Episcopal church three years ago. After one year at the Cambridge Episcopal Theological school, he went to the New York General Theological seminary, where he has about completed his course. Mr. Barker will be ordained about June in Boston or Quincy, and later will begin work in Calvary church, New York city. He presents a good appearance in the pulpit, has a clear voice, and is earnest and direct.

A Boston paper reports that Miss Floretta Vining formerly of Qaincy has sold her farm in Groton known as the Culver farm situated on Farmer's row, so-called, on the main thoroughfare leading from Ayer to Groton, and near the Groton School. This is one of the high-class $15,000 farms which this town boasts. It comprises 75 acres of land under high state of cultivation; large orchard, typical old New England house. The property has been purchased by one of Boston's wealthy men, who will occupy as a summer home after making extensive alterations.

It is moving week for the ashes.

April showers have been numerous this week.

Open cars were run in Quincy on April 11, 1889.

It was a hard and a cold rain that fell Tuesday night.

Mrs. A. E. Sproul is at Virginia Hot Springs for a few week.

Mrs. Abbie (Brackett) Dickey is seriously ill at a Boston hospital.

There was quite a bad leak Thursday morning in the water service pipe supplying Durgin-Merrill block.

Communion will be observed at First church on Easter Sunday directly after the morning service.

Hon. Russell A. Sears is clearing his land on the southerly slope of Cranch hill preparatory to building this spring.

Charles A. Price, president of the Mercantile Trust Company of Boston is in the west on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Binnian of Adams street have returned from a stay of several weeks in California.

Mr. Thorpe Babcock of the Yale Law School, class of 1907, is at home for the Easter recess.

The Adams Academy base ball team was defeated on Wednesday at Merrymount park by Boston Latin, the score being 10 to 4.

Saturday, April 14, will be the last opportunity to enter the Y. M. C. A. handicap run to take place on Patriots' day.

At a meeting of the Managers of Public Burial Places held Tuesday evening W. W. Mitchell was elected clerk of the board.

A private masquerade will be given by the pupils of Elmer W. Baker on Wednesday evening, April 25, in Quincy Music hall.

Mrs. Elbert W. Whitney, nee French, of Milford, has been the guest this week of her sister Mrs. Charles H. Porter, of Adams street.

C. F. Harper, the head master of the High school has devoted several days of the vacation to visiting High schools in Boston and Chelsea.

The annual report of the Grand lodge, Knights of Honor, shows the present membership in the state to be 2506, a reduction from 3300 a year ago.

Charles Dornan is now styled by his young friends as "Howdidhe." He already has two local dates for the performance of his mysterious feats in public.

Miss Florence Steele, Miss Edna Smith and Miss Ethel Babcock are giving an Easter dance on Tuesday evening the seventeenth at Colonial hall.

The society event of the coming week will be the annual ball of Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus. The Vendome orchestra will furnish the music for the concert and dancing.

City Clerk Keith has had printed copies of the engrossed order making the annual appropriations, to be placed in the hands of all department officials, so they will know just how much is at their disposal.

The work of assembling the crew and marine guard of the battleship New Jersey is under way at Boston. It is not expected that the new ship will be turned over to the government until next month.

Miss Floretta Vining of Hull arranged two Washington parties, one leaving Boston yesterday and the other today. Six days will be had in Washington sightseeing and in attending the annual meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Miss Eliza Crane, well known in this city, returned this week from Pelham Manor, New York, after spending a very pleasant winter with her sister, Mrs. Munroe Crane. Her present residence is 41 Sea street, North Weymouth.

Mrs. Eben C. Stanwood and daughter Miss Audrey Whicher Stanwood of Boston are sailing next week for Europe. They return in July and will spend the summer as usual in Kennebunkport, Maine. Miss Stanwood's marriage to Mr. Isham will take place in the fall.

A wealthy woman of Quincy who was brought intimately in contact with the work of Rev. Samuel Kelley, "Father Kelley" as he was called, volunteered to give the first subscription toward a memorial for him. This generation knew him, and this should be done. An idea for this has been suggested, which may take a tangible form during the summer.

The first degree staff of John Hancock lodge, I. O. O. F., paid a visit to Mt. Wollaston lodge Tuesday evening and conferred the first degree on three candidates in a commendable manner. D. D. G. M. Wescott and suite and a number of brothers from Braintree, Neponset, Boston and Whitman lodges were present. After the work, a collation was served in the banquet hall.

Holy Thursday services were held at St. John's church Thursday morning. A solemn high mass was celebrated at 8 o'clock, with Rev. John J. Coan as celebrant, Rev. John T. Lane of the Daily Industrial Home as deacon and Rev. Julian E. Johnstone as sub-deacon. After the mass there was a procession of the blessed sacrament to the reposatory.

Representative Hultman voted against, and Representative Sandberg was paired against, the bill to extend the time for the sale of liquor in hotels in cities of $45,000 or more inhabitants until 12 o'clock midnight. The bill was refused a third reading yesterday by vote of 72 to 81 with 18 pairs. The Senate passed to be engrossed both the abutters bill and the screen law bill.

Miss Alice E. Townsend of the City Treasurer's office who started April 6th on a trip to Virginia left a pleasant surprise for her friends at City hall, the afternoon mail bringing them the announcement of her engagement to Mr. Albert E. Campbell of Boston. Hearty congratulations follow her on her outing and she may look forward to a warm greeting on her return.

The ash teams did not have a very busy time of it in the Quincy ward on Wednesday. Whether people were afraid that the teams would not be able to care for the ashes or whether it was because they were not generally informed as to the day of collection is a matter of guess work. The fact is, however, that the two teams had finished up Ward One by noon. It is probable that on the next visit to Ward One they will have more to do.

Charles Dornan Howdidhe gave one of his chums a little private performance the other evening. He allowed his friend to lock him in a box, and then to await developments. The friend perched himself on the box, and naturally shut out the light and ventilation. Howdidhe was equal to the occasion, and informed his friend that it was so dark inside that he could not see, and would he get some matches. When the friend returned from another part of the house Howdidhe was himself seated on the trunk.

The street car sprinkler went on duty April 15 last year.

A regular meeting of the City Council next Monday evening.

Adams Academy has a game scheduled for Monday with Dedham High at Quincy.

Hundreds of May baskets are being made for the May festival to be held in Quincy Music hall, Saturday, April 28.

The third annual exhibit of the Polar Star Gymnastic and Athletic Association will be held in Music hall May 10.

Unity Circle of King's Daughters was addressed at their meeting on Tuesday evening by Miss Rogers, a teacher of the school for crippled children.

M. M. Cannon who represents Ward One in the City Council has given up his home on Spear street and with his family left this week for Brunswick, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Hall are settled in their new home on Upland road near Adams street. Hon. and Mrs. John O. Hall are making their home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Frothingham who recently purchased a house at Wollaston Park, moved there this week. They will be missed by their friends in the Centre.

The season of spring cleaning and new paint is at hand. It will be seen by an advertisement in another column that P. H. Holman is prepared to paint your house.

The street railway is planning to put on a still later car between the Dudley street terminal and Quincy. The last car now leaves Dudley street at 12.07 A. M. The new car will leave in the vicinity of 1 o'clock A. M., probably at 1.07. It will go on as soon as arrangements can be made with the Elevated road.

The Knights of Malta held their regular convocation Thursday evening in Greenleaf hall. Sir Knight Commander John D. Mackay, who was absent at the regular installation held three weeks ago, was inducted into office and obligated by Sir Arthur Green of Brockton, deputy grand commander. Mt. Sinai degree team was present and conferred the Malta degree upon eight candidates in a very creditable manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hall, nee Eaton of Milton Hill sailed last week for Naples. They are to be away several months and have taken their touring car with them. It is hoped by their Quincy relatives and friends that Mt. Vesuvius will be through its eruptions so that landing at Naples will not be dangerous. A very beautiful country to tour about Naples has been completely ruined, so that they will probably leave Naples soon after their arrival and go north to Rome.

Odd Fellows are better bowlers than members of the Sons of St. George, as was demonstrated Thursday evening when teams from Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows and Granite lodge, Sons of St. George, met on the Granite street alley. The Odd Fellows did their best in the first string and then weakened on each string, while the St. George boys showed constant improvement and are confident that they can win next time. Mt. Wollaston won two out of three, and led on totals 1236 to 1178.

SOUTH QUINCY.

George Ross is building a house on Bennington street.

Alfred W. De Young is building a house off Federal avenue.

Invitations are out for the celebration of the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Shirley of 6 Filbert street, April 28th.

The N. Y., N. H. & H. R.R is building a siding at Quincy Adams on the east side of the main line into the yard of Paul Guevella.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ross of Gordon street mourn the death of their infant daughter, which took place Thursday.

Business in the granite industry, which has been a little quiet, has begun to look up, and a good spring business is looked for.

Long & Saunders have received the contract for a soldiers' monument to be erected at Walpole. The cost of the job will be in the vicinity of $10,000. The design of the monument is very unique. The bottom base is oval in shape, its dimensions being 23 feet by 13 feet. On this rests a pedestal which will be surmounted by a six foot statue, representing a soldier. The model of the soldier was designed by Kitson of this city. On the back and sides of the monument there is to be a granite fence.

Josephine, three-year old daughter of Joseph Mercurio of 51 Water street, was seriously burned Saturday afternoon while playing about a bon-fire. Her clothing was in flames before her companions noticed her peril. Her mother, hearing her child's cries, rushed to her aid and succeeded in extinguishing the flames. Before she was able to do so, however, the child was terribly burned about the body. Dr. Jones was called and did what he could to alleviate the child's suffering. Although terribly burned it is thought that the child may recover.

MILTON.

W. I. Tuckerman of East Milton, who was one of the pioneers at Houghs Neck, has recently sold his cottage to Mrs. Konrad Zeigler of Roxbury.

Special Easter services will be held at the Mission of Our Saviour church at 7.30 o'clock Sunday evening. The baptismal service will also be held at this time.

The fire department has been called out several times during the past week to extinguish grass fires.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Shirk and infant son, of New York, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bearse.

The Sunday schools of St. Michael and the Mission of Our Saviour church will hold a union service on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock with St. Michaels church.

Mrs. L. R. Bolton of Buntin place entertains the afternoon whist club next Monday.

The third in the series of suppers at the Baptist church was held Tuesday evening. The name of the supper was Miss Murphy. A pleasing entertainment followed.

The eighth annual fair of the ladies' guild will be held next Wednesday afternoon and evening at Ellsworth hall. A pleasing entertainment will be given in the evening.

There is a general feeling of sorrow at East Milton at the untimely death of Hon. A. A. Brackett.

The Milton High and Milton Academy nines had a battle royal on Thursday afternoon. It was a ten-inning game and ended in a tie score of 8 to 8.

Milton High led during most of the game as will be seen by the score by innings.

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Milton Academy	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	2	0	—8
Milton High	2	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—8

The protected cruiser St. Louis made 22 and 1-2 knots on her builders' trial last week, a half knot above the government requirement.

WOLLASTON.

Rev. Rufus B. Tobey is in Washington, D. C., for a week.

Several members of the Garrick club attended the opening performance of "The Walls of Jericho," at the Tremont Theatre, Monday evening. Those who attended were Ernest Arnold, Sierra Ralston, Edward Hall, Louise Bates, William Weston, Edith Chapman, Osborn Stearns and Ethel Parker.

F. H. Bishop of Wollaston left Tuesday evening for a business trip to New York.

A patent was issued this week to Arthur C. Butler of Wollaston.

Miss Mollie Fairbanks, of Wollaston, is visiting her sister Mrs. Arthur Wood of Portland, Me.

Mrs. E. A. Hunt of Wollaston is ill with tonsilitis.

Miss Margaret Hall of Stanton street has been ill with tonsilitis.

T. S. Bailey of Beach street has recently purchased a large touring car.

Edgar West, of Weymouth, has been visiting friends in Wollaston.

Mrs. Emma Newcomb of Newport avenue entertained the Brownie whist club at her home on Wednesday.

Miss Avis Kemp of the Wollaston school is spending her vacation at her home in Manchester, N. H.

Thomas Lacey and family, of Wollaston, are spending a few days in New York.

The engagement is announced of Miss Alice Laurence Whittemore formerly of Wollaston, to Mr. Lemuel G. Hodgkins of Melrose Highlands.

Miss Margaret Mills of Hancock street is home from Wellesley college for the spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Taylor of South Central avenue are enjoying a trip to Washington.

The Y. M. C. A. is painting the town red for the circus, and promises a big show.

A special meeting of the School Committee was held Tuesday evening to consider school plans.

Miss Anna Gould, of Wollaston has been the guest of her uncle, Abner Clement, at Francestown, N. H., this week.

President Piper of the City Council was a guest of the Wollaston Unitarian club on Tuesday evening.

A special parish meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian church will be held April 20, relative to the pastorate for the ensuing year.

Avery L. Bennett, of Wollaston, instructor in Milton Academy, has just returned from a trip to New York and Washington, where he spent his April vacation.

A sign reading "stop" has been placed opposite the drug store of C. F. Copeland at the corner of Newport avenue and Beale street. It means that all cars will stop on this corner hereafter.

Several Wollaston people attended the closing party of Miss Corlew's dancing school at Whitney Hall, Brookline, Friday evening, April 6. As usual it was a very pretty party with several unique features.

Rev. W. J. Heath has been returned by the conference as pastor of the Wollaston M. E. Church for another year, as requested by the parishioners of the church.

A grass fire, set by boys on Third hill Monday afternoon, threatened the buildings of F. H. Bishop to such an extent that the Wollaston combination was called out.

Friends of Technology students are looking forward to the Tech. show which will be given the last of the month. The general manager this year is Raymond Parlin of Wollaston, who very ably filled the position of business manager last year.

The fire companies at the Wollastou station will be organized next Monday evening.

The Wollaston Glee Club will give its spring concert Wednesday evening, May 2, in the Congregational church.

Hose 2 broke a cross bar while returning from Box 151 Thursday night.

Rev. Carleton P. Mills will preach his farewell sermon at St. Chrysostom's church on Sunday, April 15. Mr. Mills and family will soon move to Winchester.

The music at the Wollastan Unitarian church tomorrow will be rendered by the following choir: Miss Alice E. Pillsbury, soprano; Mrs. G. H. Collyer, contralto; Mr. Paul R. Bennett, tenor; and Dr. Edward L. Jordan, baritone and director. William E. Weston is the organist.

The regular meeting of the Wollaston Alliance was held in the vestry of the Unitarian church, Wednesday afternoon. Rev. E. D. Webber of the Wollaston Baptist church was the speaker for the afternoon, taking for his subject "The Reign of the Practical," Mr. Webber made a strong plea for the forming and holding to high ideals, and depreciated the tendency in modern life of one becoming too practical. He concluded his remarks by reading most entertainingly, selections from Ian McLaren's "In Days of Auld Lang Syne."

Miss Annie D. Marden has resigned her position as principal of the East Weir school at Taunton, to take a similar position in Springfield. Her going causes many regrets among the pupils and teachers with whom she has been associated for the past two years. A farewell was tendered Miss Marden one evening recently, and she was presented with a beautiful cut glass sugar bowl and creamer as a token of high esteem in which she is held. Miss Marden will be remembered as a teacher in the Wollaston school for several years and her friends in this vicinity are pleased to know of her success.

DOWNS AND PARK.

Lawrence F. Loring of Willow street entertained a few friends Saturday evening.

The alarm from Box 151 at 7.18 Thursday night, was for a fire in a small building at 55 Bromfield street, occupied by William McConnell as a hen house. The building with its contents was destroyed; loss $300. The cause of the fire is unknown. While the department was at the fire a mischievous boy thinking, to get more apparatus out pulled the hook in the box, and sounded another alarm. No attention was paid to this alarm, however.

Merrymounts—Sacred Hearts.

The Merrymounts have organized a fine base ball team this season. Almost all the old stars have signed, and the team will be greatly strengthened by the addition of Harry Stevens of the Hyde Parks, who will cover the centre garden. "Johnny" Kolson will be in the box again this year, and the fans expect to see some fine work by the well known twirler. After the successful season of 1905, it is hoped that the people of Quincy, will support the team as it deserves. All teams desiring games should write to R. C. Baker, manager, Safford street, Wollaston.

The Merrymount base ball team will open the season on Patriots' day by playing a double header with the Sacred Hearts of Atlantic. The morning game will be played at Merrymount park at 10 o'clock, and the afternoon game in Atlantic at 3 o'clock.

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WEST QUINCY.

The St. Jean Baptist society holds its annual concert and ball next week.

The Finnish club of West Quincy has completed the foundation for a large hall to be erected on Arthur street.

A number of the members of the West Quincy M. E. church were in attendance at the conference on Sunday.

Miss Ada L. Cole, the fifteen-year old daughter of Mr. John C. Cole of Centre street, died on Saturday.

A new two-flat house of Robert Farquhar on Copeland street has been raised and is being boarded in.

A pipe drain has been laid near the West Quincy depot to take care of the surface water that flows down the hill from Willard street.

The Appalachian Mountain club will make its annual all-day walk over the Blue Hills range in Quincy and Milton on Saturday, May 5.

Miss Alice Foley will give a song recital on Wednesday evening, May 2, at St. Mary's hall, when she will be assisted by Miss Olive Whitely, violinist.

West Quincy people will be glad to learn that Rev. A. B. Tyler has been returned for another year as pastor of the West Quincy Methodist church. This was done at the request of the church.

M. Monahan has commenced work on the foundation for a power plant at his stone sheds on Copeland street. He will install a large electric motor, which besides furnishing power for a large boister will also run his compressor for his pneumatic tools. His power is now supplied through several hundred feet of pipe from an adjoining plant.

Holy Thursday services were held at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock Thursday morning. After the mass there was a procession of the blessed sacrament to the repository. About 300 children in appropriate costume took part.

Felix Johnson a quarryman employed at the quarry of J. S. Swingle had a narrow escape from serious injury Wednesday afternoon. Contrary to the general orders he attempted to cross the quarry hole on a boat load of grout. When part way over one of the hooks on the boat broke dumping the grout and Johnson into the quarry. He fell about 25 feet and fortunately escaped with a few bruises. A physician was called but he was able to go home unattended.

A buggy owned by Henry Coram, the West Quincy newsdealer, and driven by a boy, got caught in a pocket with an automobile, numbered 11227 at the corner of Crescent street and Hall place April 6th. The driver of the auto to avoid a bad collision ran into the curbing. The buggy escaped injury. One wheel and a lamp of the auto, however, were smashed.

A birthday party was held at the home of Miss Mary Doyle, 18 Kent street, on Tuesday, the occasion being her seventh birthday. She was the recipient of a number of beautiful presents. Solos were sung by Mary Curry, Mary Doyle and Bessie McDonald. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served. Among those present were: Misses Mary Doyle, Margaret Pineo, Bertha Schneider, Mary Falvey, Bessie McDonald, Mildred Doyle, Helen Doyle, Anna Doyle, Dorothy McDonald, Mary Curry, Elizabeth Falvey, Margaret Doyle and Masters William Doyle, William Falvey, Thomas Curry, John Falvey.

Rev. A. F. Roche will celebrate the mass at St. Mary's church this morning.

Rev. William T. Walsh, of West Quincy, who has been engaged in mission work in Boston for the past month, has gone to Nashville, Tenn.

The Crescent base ball nine opened their season by defeating the Parker A. A. by a score of 19 to 11.

William B. Barry has resigned as foreman and as a member of Hose 3 at West Quincy, and Edward F. Drohan has been appointed by Chief Litchfield to fill the vacancy.

West Quincy people will be glad, when the boulevard is completed. It will then take the course off of that unsightly fence in the middle of Crescent street.

Rev. Fr. Mitchell conducted the mass at St. Mary's church Good Friday. In the afternoon at 3 o'clock Rev. A. F. Roche gave the stations of the cross. Special vespers in the evening when Rev. Fr. Mitchell preached on the Passion.

The returns from the shipping terminals for the month of March show that the amount of rough and finished granite forwarded that month to have been 8,347,235 pounds, this is an increase of 1,460,445 pounds over the previous month. The amount from each terminal in March was Quincy Adams, 5,355,815 pounds; West Quincy and Quarry railroad, 2,991,420 pounds.

QUINCY POINT.

Mrs. Bushnell has returned from Vermont.

Mrs. Thomas W. Carter of South street has been seriously ill since Sunday.

Yards are being cleaned up as tho' a village improvement society was at work, preparatory for Easter.

The various committees on improvements for the Point church, are active in securing estimates and making plans.

The torpedo boat destroyers Lawrence and Macdonough will have their annual repairs at the navy yard at League island in May. The battleships Texas, Illinois and Missouri have been ordered to the Boston navy yard.

Mrs. Alexander Fryer gave an Easter luncheon to the little friends of her daughter Constance on Wednesday. Covers were laid for fifteen.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gibb of 322 Washington street passed away Thursday morning.

The Huscarls, the boys' club, have secured four of the eight tents necessary for their camping trip, which is anticipated for July.

The steam trawler Spray, built at Quincy, is hunting for big fish. It left Yarmouth, N. S., on Monday in search of the derelict schooner W. E. & W. L. Tuck, having been offered $4000 for the cargo if it succeeds in towing the derelict to port.

Quincy Point society circles will miss the Joseph A. Dashas, who have run over to Washington for a round of visits during the Easter holidays. They are receiving much social attention and already several little dinners have been arranged in their honor. A pleasant feature of their farewell gathering was the presentation to Mr. Dasha of an elegant timepiece as a testimonial from his many friends.

The collectors of ashes found a number of barrels awaiting them in the Quincy Point ward on Thursday, but not near as many as in the Atlantic and Wollaston wards. There does not seem to be a general understanding about the collection of ashes in some wards as yet. When the system is better understood it is believed that there will be plenty to do in all wards.

Easter Programs.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL.

The musical program at the 10.30 A. M. service will be rendered by a chorus of 25 voices assisted by Mrs. Bertha Coupal, Miss Rose Deane, Miss Adah Farnham, Miss Josephine Graf, Miss Anna Musgrove, Mr. W. T. Stetson, Mr. F. S. Hall, violin and harp, and Mr. F. L. Beal, violon 'cello. Madame Beale Morey is the organist and director, and the program follows:

Organ Prelude, Hallelujah Chorus, Handel
Trio for organ, violin and 'cello, "Meditation," Widor
Anthem, "Why seek ye the living among the dead?" Reed
Selections from the Messiah,—
Handel Quartette, "For as in Adam all die."
Chorus, "Even so in Christ shall all be made alive."
Quartette, "Since by man came death."
Chorus, "By man came also the resurrection from the dead."
Response, harp and organ, Weber
Anthem, "Christ the Lord is risen today," Wilson
Postlude, "Unfold ye portals!" From the Redemption, Gounod

At the evening service at 7.30 the music will be:

Organ prelude, Marche Pontificale, Guilmant
Trio for organ, violin and 'cello, Mendelssohn
Rejolee, Jerusalem, and sing, Nevin
Response, Harp and organ, Gounod
Solo and Chorus, "They have taken away my Lord." Trowbridge
Postlude, Fugue in Dminor. Bach

CHRIST CHURCH.

On Easter Sunday, the service at Christ church, will be as follows:

Early celebration of the holy communion at 7.30 o'clock. At this service the choir will sing Easter carols. Morning prayers and holy communion, at 10.30 o'clock, when the following music will be sung:

Prelude,—"Triumphal march" A. M. Shuey
Processional,—"Welcome happy morning" Maker
Anthem,—"Awaken thou that sleepest" Schnecker
Te Deum,
Jubilate,—Chant
Hymn,—"The strife is o'er"
Offertory,—"Hallelujah, Christ is risen" Clare
Gloria Tibi Haynes
Sursum Corda Haynes
Sanctus Haynes
Gloria in Ex Haynes
Recessional,—"The Day of Resurrection"
Postlude Festival Clark

At four in the afternoon there will be a service for the children of the Sunday school; at this service Easter carols will be sung and plants will be distributed to the members of the Sunday school. At 7 in the evening the following service will be sung:

Magnificat, Dudley Buck
Nunc Dimittis,
Anthem, "Awake Thou that Sleepest" Maker
Hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name,"
Offertory, "Hallelujah Christ is Risen,"
Te Deum, Schnecker

At both morning and evening services the rector, Rev. William E. Gardner, will preach sermons appropriate to the day. The music will be in charge of Mr. Fred L. Wheeler, choir master and organist, with Mr. Bert Emery and Mr. Arthur Peverly as soloists.

FIRST CHURCH.

Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor of the First church, will take for his subject Easter morning, "They have taken away My Lord, and I know not where they have laid Him." There will also be special Easter music by the choir. In the afternoon at 4 o'clock, there will be a Sunday school service.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Rev. W. S. Perkins, the pastor will preach an Easter sermon at the 2.30 P. M., service and there will be special Easter music by the full chorus choir. The public is cordially invited. The Sunday school will meet at 3.30 P. M.

AT QUINCY POINT.

Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood will take for the subject of his Easter morning sermon—"The stone rolled away, and the stones in our pathway that need to be rolled away.

The special music by a chorus-choir will include:

"Now is Christ Risen," by Nichol
"Hail Him, Lord and Leader," by Nevin
"Jesus is Risen," by Schnecker

The topics of the Junior C. E. service at 4 P. M. and the C. E. service at 6.30 P. M. will be in keeping with Easter.

At 7.30 there will be an Easter concert by the Sunday school.

ST. MARY'S.

The choir of St. Marys church will render Joseph Lochman's Chorus Mass and Veni Creation, Quartette, by Miss Emma Ecker, soprano; Mrs. James Fennessey, alto; Mr. Robert Teasdale, tenor and Mr. Walter Pendis, bass.

In the evening:

Vespers, Mercadante
Laudate Pueri Dominium, Zingarelli
Magnificat, Emerig
Haec Dies, Lambillotte
Regina Coeli, A. Werner
O Salutaris, Gounod
Tantum Ergo, Rossi
Laudate Dominium, Fiske

Other soloists,—Miss Katherine Leary, Mr. James Ogle, Mr. Joseph Daly, and Mr. C. Morrisette. Miss Mary McKay, organist.

ST. CHRYSOSTOMS.

The Easter service in the morning will be as follows:

The Processional, "The Strife is o'er," Palifgritrian
Christ Our Passover, Grand Anglican Chant, Humphrey
Te Deum, Garrett
Jubilati, Oxford Chant
Introit, "At the Lamb's High Peace We Sing," G. J. Elberg
Holy Communion, with Benedictus and Angus Dei in C, W. H. Monk
"Jesus Christ has Risen To-day," tune Morgan, from the Opportorie Lyra Davidica
"As It Began to Dawn," Chas. Vincent
The Nunc Dimittis, Anglican Chant
The Recessional, "The Day of Resurrection," G. C. Martin

Carol service with assistance of choir in the afternoon.

E. Landis Snyder, organist.

UNITARIAN, WOLLASTON.

Rev. Ernest W. Hunt will take for the subject of his Easter service on Sunday morning at 10.45, "The sun song of the spring." Music will be a feature of the service and will include:

Anthem, "Why seek ye the living among the dead," by S. P. Warren
Anthem, "Awake thou that Sleepest," by Allen
Selection, "The day of Resurrection," by Vogrich

There will be a communion service at 12 noon, and the Sunday school will meet at 12.30.

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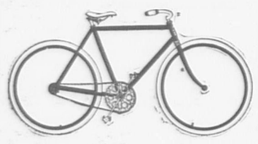
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Gas Plans.

The office of the Citizens' Gas Light Co. which has been located in the Faxon block on Depot street, for several years, is to occupy new and larger quarters in the Faxon block on Granite street. They will move to the new office as soon as it is made ready. This morning workmen from the Dorchester office of the Consolidated Company commenced work laying a gas main from Granite street to the new office.

The company will retain its old name of the Citizens' Gas Light Co., and will be run as a separate plant. The local manager is Mr. Nichols, who when seen at his office this morning, said that it was the intention of the company to commence work extending the mains at the earliest possible moment. He further said that the company would probably petition the City Council next Monday evening, for permission to lay mains, and that he hoped to begin work early in May.

The first work will be to connect with the mains on Beale street, East Milton, and work through Wollaston and Quincy. The company expected to expend upwards of $100,000 the present year and as much more next year. Mr. Nichols further said that it was the company's intention as far as possible to employ citizens of Quincy in its work laying mains.

Horace S. Taylor has severed his connection with the City Engineers office at City Hall and has accepted a position with the Citizens' Gas Light Co. as engineer.

The fact that Quincy now has a live gas company will be good news indeed, and there is no question but what a year from now the number of gas takers and users in this city will be nearly double the present number.

Citizens' Association.

Eighteen were admitted to membership to the Citizens' Association at its meeting this week. Two amendments were made to the by-laws of the Association; one provides that the payment of a $5 admission fee shall also pay the yearly dues from the time of admittance; the second amendment increased the number of directors from twelve to fifteen members.

A general discussion of matters of interest to the city was had. Arrangements are being made for an open meeting to be addressed by an out of town speaker on the single tax question.

Pock---Miner.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized Tuesday evening April 10, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Miner, 19 Old Colony avenue, Wollaston, when their daughter, Lillian Ellen, was united in marriage to Mr. Walter Edgar Pock, of Dedham. The Rev. Edmund D. Webber was the officiating clergyman, and the impressive double-ring service was used.

The bride was gowned in a mousseliene de soie over white silk with point rose lace and medallions and carried a bouquet of white pinks. She was attended by her sister, M. Elsie Miner, and the best man was Mr. Charles Pock, brother of the groom. Mrs. E. E. Bullock presided at the piano. Mr. Wesley Beaulieu and Mr. Edward E. Bullock served in the capacity of ushers during the reception from eight to ten.

The presents showered upon the happy couple were numerous and costly, making a beautiful display. Refreshments were served by associates of the bride.

Relatives and friends were in attendance from Braintree, Weymouth, Brockton, Plymouth, Chelmsford, Malden, Providence, R. I., and Manchester, N. H.

After a brief tour Mr. and Mrs. Pock will take up their residence in Dedham.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1906.

WEEKLY ALMANAC,		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon sets
Saturday, Apr	14,	5 06	6 24	3 00	3 45	12.03 A.M
Sunday, "	15,	5 04	6 25	4 00	4.45	12.42 "
Monday, "	16,	5.02	6.26	5.00	5 45	1.31 "
Tuesday, "	17,	5 01	6.27	6.15	6 45	2.14 "
Wednesday, "	18	4 59	6.28	7.30	8.00	2.51 "
Thursday, "	19,	4 58	6.30	8.15	8.45	3.23 "
Friday, "	20,	4.56	6.31	9.15	9.45	3.53 "

Last Quarter, April 15th, 3.33 P. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898.
Sunday,	48	44	53	45	55
Monday,	52	42	55	48	63
Tuesday,	50	50	72	49	49
Wednesday,	52	68	46	51	63
Thursday,	55	55	55	62	58
Friday,	58	51	51	54	59
Saturday,	—	47	59	62	48

Mr. Tom Lawson some time ago ceased to rank as the star performer in the exposure of financial wickedness.

John Alexander Dowie is beginning to suspect that Zion City has more sinners to its population, than other communities.

The Quincy Board of Trade did not get at work soon enough; the Senate rejected on Thursday the Boynton bicycle railway bill.

Between the sea levels and lock canals there is danger that something will fall to the ground. From present appearances, however, it will not be anything that will puncture the soil.

Chorus of Consumers: Old King Coal was a greedy old soul, a grouchy old soul was he. In the pile of consumers he made a big hole, but he doesn't mind them, not he.

Representative Hultman and Sandberg of this city did not waver on the midnight liquor bill, and both were recorded Thursday against it on engrossment as they were at the other stages. By seven majority in a vote of 108 to 101 the bill was passed, and will go to the Senate.

Water Table.

In the special report of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board, on measurement, consumption and waste of water, will be found several interesting tables. No. 25, which is reproduced below, gives the percentage which each city holds to the district as a whole. It will be seen that Quincy has about one and one-half per cent. of the valuation; about two and one-half per cent. of the consumption, and nearly three per cent. of the population. The fourth column gives the basis for the Metropolitan assessments of 1903:

City or Town	Percentage of Valuation.	Percentage of Population.	Percentage of Water used.	Percentage paid on Basis of 1903.
Boston,	80.857	66.284	77.373	80.857
Somerville,	3.767	7.505	5.584	4.136
Newton,*	.701	.700	.338	.495
Malden,	1.965	4.098	1.701	2.228
Chelsea,	1.625	3.980	3.364	2.134
Everett,	1.371	3.313	2.259	1.595
Quincy,	1.504	2.977	2.403	1.618
Medford,	1.400	2.303	1.586	1.320
Hyde Park,*	.132	.263	.163	.147
Melrose,	1.043	1.542	1.346	.953
Revere,	.754	1.436	.788	.737
Watertown,	.797	1.201	.481	.719
Arlington,	.648	1.079	.644	.618
Milton,	1.456	.820	.317	.793
Winthrop,	.540	.815	.644	.463
Stoneham,	.539	.706	.432	.403
Belmont,	.364	.533	.211	.305
Lexington,	.383	.398	.231	.307
Nahant,	.354	.247	.135	.127
	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

*Percentages for Newton and Hyde Park are based upon one-sixth of the valuation, population and water used.

Whether the assessment is based largely on valuation of the city or on the consumption of water makes considerable difference to Quincy as is being found out. Our percentage of consumption is a half larger than our percentage of valuation. If our assessment on valuation was $30,000, it would be $45,000 when based on consumption.

The basis of assessment has been changed since 1903, and is now two-thirds on consumption, and it is not surprising that Quincy's water assessment is larger.

Other tables show the assessments upon each city by different methods of assessment. In each the consumption of water by Quincy is THE SAME, but the Quincy assessments vary from $30,237.42 to $44,901.52. Here are the Quincy amounts as figured by the Metropolitan board:

$30,237.42

Boston paying on valuation; other cities 1-3 on valuation; 2-3 on population.

$37,988 12

Boston on valuation; other cities on consumption.

$34 693 67

Boston on valuation; other cities 1-3 on valuation; 2-3 on consumption.

$36,511.68

All cities 1-2 on valuation; 1-2 on consumption.

$37,797.84

Boston 2-3 on valuation and 1-3 on consumption; other cities 1-3 on valuation; 2-3 on consumption.

$36,679.85

All cities 1-3 on valuation; 2-3 on consumption.

$44,901.52

All cities on consumption.

Those cities whose percentage of valuation is larger than their percentage of consumption naturally favor assessments based upon consumption. This is why the assessment of Malden is reduced, why the assessment of Newton is reduced; why the assessment of Milton is reduced, and other rich towns.

Kindly remember that the maintenance of the Metropolitan system (the supple of water) is but a small part of the annual cost. Over five-sixth of the total is for first cost and interest, which should be levied upon valuation as taxes usually are. In 1905 the amount required for the Metropolitan sinking fund was $513,568.32; and the amount required for interest was $1,335,393.91; a total of $1,848,962.23, while maintenance required but $328,624.16.

A liberal use of water about a man's house both inside and outside should be encouraged. If the maintenance only was assessed on consumption Quincy would have no just grievance, but to assess cost on consumption is another thing. It crowds the poor towns and makes it easier for rich towns.

AMONG THE CLUBS.

The Quincy Charitable society holds its April meeting on Monday afternoon the 16th at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. Helen Bass, Hancock street.

A meeting of the Quincy W. C. T. U. will be held on Tuesday afternoon, the 17th.

Owing to illness, and other causes the April ninth meeting of the Junior Friday club was omitted, and the subject to have been discussed will be combined with that for April twenty-third, which meeting will be held with Mrs. Charles F. Harper of Putnan street.

The Pickwick club held its last literary meeting for this season, this week and will wind up the year on April 25th when the annual meeting will be held.

The Friday club season closes on April 27th.

Paul Revere Women's Relief Corps is preparing for a fair which they are to hold at Hancock hall three days next week.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. meets on Monday afternoon April 16th at three o'clock in Association hall. Rev. E. N. Hardy has charge of the program. Mrs. Wilson Marsh will read a paper and there will be singing by Miss Hazel Mowry.

A meeting of the Daughters of the Revolution and the Junior Sons and Daughters is to be held on Patriots, day at hotel Vendome, Boston, at two o'clock. The Juniors will give a short musical program which will be followed by a social hour.

Rev. Bradley Gilman of Canton who recently returned from the holy land was the speaker at the meeting of the Women's Alliance, in the parlor of First church on Monday afternoon. His subject was "Unitarian Impressions of the Holy Land" and the ladies were much interested in his recital. The afternoon ended as usual with a social half hour and tea. The last meeting of the season will be on the 23d, a neighborhood meeting.

Mrs. George H. W. Bates entertained the society of the Daughters of 1812 at her home on West Newton street, Boston, on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Nelson V. Titus, president, was in the chair. Rev. William H. Morrison of Brockton gave an address on the "Frigate Constitution" in which the society is much interested. He has been invited to come to Quincy at some future date and address Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution.

QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

A largely attended meeting of the Quincy Women's club was held Tuesday afternoon at the club house. A cordial welcome was given Mrs. Bumpus, the president, who had been out of town for a few weeks. The afternoon's program was in charge of Mrs. W. E. Alden, chairman of the program committee and opened with singing by Mrs. N. S. Hunting, who gave much pleasure in her selections.

Mrs. Alden in introducing Judge Bumpus, the speaker of the afternoon, said that whatever he might be in private life here he was the husband of Mrs. Bumpus, as the club members all thought of him as the husband of their president.

Judge Bumpus gave a most interesting talk on Spain, telling of his personal experience while traveling through that country. His easy conversational way of telling of the manners and customs of the people, placés of interest and anecdotes of travel proved most entertainting and instructive.

To give the afternoon a still further Spanish flavor little Miss Bills of the Downs danced a Spanish dance in costume.

The Spanish afternoon was a decided success and one of the best in the club calendar.

The April 24th meeting will be in the hands of the arts and crafts committee and in the absence of Miss Randall who was to have spoken on "Renaissance of lace industry in Italy" there will be a lecture on Arts and Crafts, by Rev. Louis Cornish of Hingham. Mr. Cornish is a past president of the Arts and Crafts society at Hingham and his talk cannot fail to be interesting.

The choral class will meet at the club house on Saturday afternoon, at half past two. Good progress is being made for the concert to be given in May.

NEIGHBORING CLUBS.

The annual meeting of the Monday club of Weymouth was held April 2d when the following officers were elected: President, Miss Lillian McGregor; vice presidents, Miss Annie E. Richards, Mrs. Louis A. Cook; recording secretary, Mrs. Charles M. Taylor; corresponding secretary, Mrs. George D. Bullock; Treasurer, Mrs. W. M. Tirrell; auditors, Mrs. Benjamin A. Robinson, Mrs. James B. Jones, Mrs. John R. Purdon; custodian, Mrs. Winthrop L. Bates; executive committee, Mrs. J. F. Heckman, Mrs. Eugene M. Carter, Mrs. Edwin R. Sampson, Mrs. J. Sumner Fowler, Mrs. T. H. Emerson.

The committee on civics of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's clubs held a conference Saturday at Perkins hall, Boston when Mr. Joseph Lee of the Massachusetts Civic League spoke upon "Medical Inspection in the Public Schools," and Dr. Alfred Worcester of Waltham spoke upon "District Nursing."

The last meeting of the Brockton Women's club for this season will be held April 16, when the officers for the coming year will be elected. On that day the choral class will make its first appearance before the club. The club has two very pleasant trips in view for June.

The Charity club holds its annual breakfast on Tuesday, April 17th, at hotel Somerset, Boston.

The Quinshipaug Woman's club of Milford completed its ninth season last week. It is a very prosperous club with 300 members and a long waiting list. It has always maintained a high standard, some of the best lecturers in the country having addressed the club. Following the business meeting, a reception to the newly elected officers was held.

The Old Colony Woman's club of Weymouth meets in the Union church, Thursday afternoon, when Anna Seton Schmidt will speak on "Italy, Her people and Her Art," and there will be a musical under the direction of Ethel L. Poole.

The New England Women's club at its last meeting expressed disapproval of bill-board advertising. It will invite other women's clubs to join in a mass meeting to take some action in the matter. Mrs. W. E. Alden was one of the speakers on the subject. The sentiment seemed to be in favor of boycotting firms who disfigure buildings and landscape by advertisements. Many hope united action will bring about a much needed reform in this matter.

April 18th the arts and literature committee of the Brighthelmstone club has a dramatic evening when they will present "A pair of lunatics" and "The elopement of Ellen."

Lynn is to have a Twentieth Century club, similar to the club of that name in Boston. Its object will be to promote a finer public spirit and a better social order.

Wollaston Unitarian Club.

The Wollaston Unitarian club returned this week to home-cooked hot suppers which were always popular, and there was a large attendance of members around the festive board on Tuesday evening, in the Unitarian vestry. The menu included: Sirloin roast, mashed potatoes, squash, celery, rolls, crackers, cheese, coffee and cigars.

It was the annual meeting of the club, and election of officers was in order. Hon. Eugene H. Sprague reported for the nominating committee, and the following were unaninously elected:

President,—Frank E. Parlin.
Vice President,—Rupert F. Claflin.
Treasurer,—Frank P. Waterhouse.
Secretary,—Nathaniel A. Thayer.
Executive Committee with above, Rev. E. W. Hunt, Thomas Lacey and George H. Collyer.

A. F. Luard, the secretary, reported that seven meetings had been held during the winter and gave a list of the speakers and subjects. The average attendance had been 72 out of a membership of 90.

Frank P. Waterhouse reported the total receipts of the year to have been $412.26, largely from dues. The disbursements were largely to the caterer, leaving a small balance in the treasury.

President Walter E. Simmons introduced as the speaker of the evening Mr. Meyer Bloomfield of Boston, a representative of the Civic Service House which is doing a good work among new comers in this country. His subject was "The making of Americans."

He said at the outset that the work of the Civic Service House must be seen to be understood. His address related largely to conditions and work done on the East side in New York, and at the North End in Boston. He had lived in both localities.

In 1905 there were 1,026,000 new comers to this country and a larger number were expected this year. They locate mostly in the large cities.

We cannot cure political evils by absent treatment. There is good stuff among the new comers for citizenship. Many prominent citizens are now assisting in the work among them in the North End. As more give their sympathy the working of Americans will proceed on both sides.

Naturalization was important, and the speaker would encourage it and make it a solemn occasion. It was important to impress upon them the duties of citizenship, so that they will think when they vote.

Questions were asked by E. H. Sprague, R. F. Claflin, F. A. Page, W. M. Hatch and others, and much other information gleaned.

It was suggested by the above gentlemen that the club show its appreciation in some tangible way, and in addition to a vote of thanks a contribution amounting to over $33 was quickly raised.

President Simmons thanked the members and officers for assistance given him during the year.

The club also voted thanks to the retiring officers.

Probate Court.

Judge Flint held probate court for Norfolk county at Quincy Wednesday and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Martha L. Rand late of Milton, John Richie executor; bond $3,000.

Of George W. Dyer late of Weymouth, Sarah M. Dyer executrix; bond $6,000.

Of Ruth N. Bates late of Cohasset, Samuel P. Bates executor; bond $20,000.

Of Bridget E. Cohan late of Weymouth, Catherine F. Trask executrix.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

On estate of Solomon Fuller late of Braintree, George C. Fuller administrator; bond $100,000.

On estate of Stephen W. Moran late of Brookline, Annie W. Moran administratrix, bond $3,000.

On estate of Emma E. Keith late of Bellingham, Rollins A. Keith administrator.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First of Joseph R. Churchill, trustee under will of Esther B. Beale, late of Milton, for $712.81.

Final of Fooman T. Johnson, executor of will of Amos W. French, late of Lakewood, for $1184.04.

Second and final of Edward Atkinson, trustee under will of Charles Heath, late of Brookline, for $1,236.

Final of Sarah J. F. Carr, guardian of Joseph Carr of Quincy, for $19,298.28.

First and final of Josephine D. Emerson, administratrix of estate of Catherine D. Clapp late of Milton, for $10,102.14.

GUARDIANS.

Atherton N. Hunt of Braintree was appointed guardian of Maria Blanchard, an insane person of Weymouth.

William M. Marden was appointed guardian of Dagmar E. C. Nelson, a minor of Quincy; bond $100.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Mary A Desmond, administratrix of estate of Patrick Desmond late of Quincy, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $195.87.

Ellen B. Newhall, executrix of will of Emily J. Newhall late of Brookline, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $4,500.

Ring Presented.

Thursday afternoon, at 54 Rodman street, the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McLeod, Evelyn McLeod, who has been through a severe illness and confined to her bed for many months was much surprised and gladdened of heart when a number of her companions called on her and presented her with a beautiful gold ring with opal settings.

Evelyn's eyes swelled in tears when Miss Annie Grant, in a touching little speech, put the ring on hes finger. It was a glint of sunshine she had not expected, and it cheered her to think that, though unable to be with her class in school or romping around playing with her classmates she was not forgotten. Her heart was too much touched to be able to make a speech, but her tearful eyes told how delighted she was to receive such notice. The party spent a pleasant half-hour. Candy and other dainties were served, and altogether it was a touch of that kindliness which will never be forgotten by those who participated.

Those present were: Alice Grant, Nellie Scott, Evelyn Cowe, Annie Cummings, Helen Cummings, Jennie Cummings, Mary Warmington, Sarah Summers, Mary Summers, Ruth Garmory, Georgiana Michael, Lizzie Grassick, Jeannie Hadden, Nellie Norie, Alice Buttler, Etta Moser, Minnie Moser and Huena McLeod.

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For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, April 11, 1906.

Liquor business has been before the Senate and House in large measure this week and at the time of writing the great contest is still unsettled whether or not the sale of liquor shall be allowed till midnight in cities of not less than 45,000 people in the dining rooms of first class hotels to their guests. At first the opposition had it by vote of 72 yeas to 81 nays in the question of ordering to a third reading. Then reconsideration was carried on Monday by a majority of 20 and after amendments had been rejected the bill itself was ordered to a third reading by 109 to 101 and nine pairs, making a total of 228 on record, or within 12 of the total membership of the House. As it was, there were members who seemed to have dodged on the main question, for they were recorded on the roll call directly before the final vote, and one at least was in his seat soon after the final roll call.

In the meantime, the Boston excise bill, as it is called for short,—the bill to reorganize the Boston board of police and to substitute a three-headed liquor license commission and a single-headed police commission,—is going through with certain success. Boston and other democrats opposed it, but the republicans lined up for it pretty solidly and of course being made a party measure, it is going through the Senate, as it has gone through the House with the fame sort of support. Gov. Guild is behind it and members have said that they should not have supported it if it had not been for him. Senator Beck of Chelsea, republican, and, with Senator Cummings of Brookline, the only republican opposition in the Senate, took occasion in debate yesterday to say that the governor was using his influence to pass the bill. This called down a rap from the gavel and a reminder from President Dana that references to the governor could not be permitted in debate. There is republican opinion in good quarters that it is a political mistake to make this a party measure and that it will cost the party from 6,000 to 8,000 votes in November, but Gov. Guild does not see it in that light and there is no doubt but that the bill shall become law.

Negro citizens and their womenkind were in the House gallery yesterday in large numbers to hear the debate on the appropriation of $75,000 for representation of the state at the Jamestown celebration. They wanted the appropriation defeated because negroes are not treated as well as white people in Virginia and many protests have been sent to the legislatures against the appropriation. Probably no member thought seriously that it would do to refuse to make the appropriation, except perhaps one or two. But Mr. Ferber of Boston tried to get on a declaration that the money was voted with the understanding that no discrimination would be made between citizens of Massachusetts in the treatment at the exposition. This was voted down by a large majority as an indiscreet thing to add, as an insult to Virginia and as likely to hurt the colored people more than it would help them. It was brought out that the official representative of the managers had assured the committee on ways and means, that there would be no discrimination against the colored people on the exposition grounds, and further than that they could not go. One of the members made an effort to inflame the House against Virginia by reading a hot headed extract from a Virginia paper, but the serious and creditable side was taken by Mr. Andrews of Holyoke, in charge of the appropriation, telling of the long friendship and historic associations of Massachusetts and Virginia and the desirability that full amity be extended. The House by a large majority, took and applauded that view. The effort to reduce the sum from $75,000 to $50,000 has no connection with the negro feeling, but it is due to the belief that $50,000 is ample.

Committee advertising has fallen off in recent years and there is no complaint that it is not as effective as formerly, or that the hearings are not sufficiently advertised. In 1903, the the expense to April 1 was $10,486; in 1904, it was $8345; in 1905 it was $6089, and in 1906 it was only $5173, or only a little more than half what it was four years ago. It is possible to show a great deal of favoritism in the distribution of advertising.

Much interest is felt in the bill to regulate the height of buildings outside of Boston, but the petition still remains in the hands of the committee on cities. Selfish real estate interests will oppose the bill, but considerations of the health of the poor people and of good looks as well dictate the passage of the bill.

The House, as might have been expected from its labor record, stands by a large majority for the peaceful picketing bill. The most serious effort to amend it in a way regarded as hostile to its friends was by Mr. Barnes of Weymouth, who proposed to prevent intimidation by the pickets themselves by putting on a provision for their arrest and imprisonment, upon conviction. This was stoutly opposed by Messrs. Mellen of Worcester and Ross of New Bedford and other labor leaders and was rejected by a large majority. It is to be expected that the Senate will renew the effort to defeat the bill, for it is there that the corporations are strongest.

Senator Kyle of Plymouth has put in a provision for a general revision of the Sunday laws. He believes that it is time for a general overhauling and says that there are things on the books now which are a discredit. Doubtless one of these provisions he refers to is that which requires the forfeiture of the life of a jailer who permits the escape of a criminal who is condemned to death. He says that the laws are out of harmony with the public sentiment of the age. He would retain whatever is of value as a restraining force, in case there is need of it for the preservation of law and order. He wants, he says, the true New England Sabbath, but he does not want laws which violate the general sense of the people. This afternoon the Senate substituted the resolve for the House bill for stricter observance of Sunday and it looks as if there would be a lively contest further before the branches agree.

The danger of a coal strike has had a very prompt effect in the House, where they admitted without the slighest debate or opposition a resolve asking Congress to suspend the present duty on coal as long as the coal strike continues. There has been a suggestion that the principle of the coal law be applied to the ice situation also.

The contest over the proposed establishment of a state board of registration in osteopathy was renewed in the Senate this afternoon, after the petitioners had been defeated in the House. The result was the same and the petitioners, defeated, will have to wait one year more or go without altogether.

Moody Boynton has met some degree of success in persuading the Senate to substitute for the adverse report of the committee on street railways a bill to revive his charter for a bicycle railway from Boston to Fall River by the way of Quincy, Brockton and Taunton, but this by no means insures the passage of the bill through both branches.

Rule.



SUNDAY SERVICES.

EASTER SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented.—Eds.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. A. B. Tyler, M. A., pastor. Morning service at 10.30: Easter sermon and special music. Sunday School at 12 M. Easter concert at 7. Class meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Friday evening prayer meeting at 7.30.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "They have taken away my Lord, and I know not where they have laid Him." Special Easter music. Communion service at close of morning service. Special Easter service by Sunday-school at 4 P. M. All invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon service at 2.30. Easter sermon by the pastor. Easter music and Cantata by the choir. Sunday School at 3.30. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Pythian Hall,—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Probation after Death." Golden Text: "Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the statute of the fulness of Christ." Ephesians, 4:13. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. at Christian Science hall, 460 Washington street, south of Hollis avenue, testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5. All are welcome.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Topic: "The stone rolled away, and the stones in our pathway that need to be rolled away." Special music by a chorus choir. Sunday School at 12 M. Topic: "Jesus' power over death." Visitors welcome. Junior C. E. at 4. Topic: "What does Easter Sunday mean to me?" Phil. 3:19. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Topic: "Lessons from Jesus' Resurrection." Easter Concert at 7.30 by the Sunday school. All seats are free at all services; we have a place and a welcome for all.

Pine Tree Club.

The regular meeting of the Pine Tree club was held Thursday evening at Colonial hall. These gatherings are looked forward too with pleasure by the members as they are sure to have a good time, devoid of formality. Thursday night's meeting was no exception, and the large number present enjoyed themselves to the uttermost.

During the early part of the evening the members played progressive whist. Then there was a brief intermission while the floor was being made ready for dancing. Miss Marion Mitchell presided at the piano and furnished the music for the dance which closed the evening's program. Home-made candy was served during the entire evening. The gentlemen have charge of the next meeting and a rare good time is promised.

Official Visitation.

St. Stephen's chapter, Royal Arch Masons, received an official visitation at its regular convocation on Wednesday evening from Right Excellent Harry Hunt, Grand High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch chapter of Massachusetts. He was accompanied by the following suite: Excellent Varnum Waugh, Grand Captain of the Host; Excellent Herbert F. Morse, Deputy High Priest; Excellent William D. Robinson, Grand Master of First Veil; Excellent F. P. Rhodes Past High Priest and Excellent Edward E. Jameson, Past Deputy High Priest.

A number of visitors were also present from different parts of the state. The work of the evening was the Mark Master degree, to which nine candidates were advanced. A banquet followed the work of the evening.

—The marriage of King Alfonso of Spain and the English Princess Ena of Battenberg has been definitely fixed for June 1st.

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Judge Pratt Defeated.

For several years Grand Reporter E. G. Pratt of the Knights of Honor has had a close call for reelection. On Wednesday, at the annual election, there were three candidates, and a hot contest was waged. There was no choice on the first ballot, but on the second Arthur G. Hill of Florence was elected. In appreciation of the long service of Judge Pratt the Grand lodge voted to present him a past grand dictator's badge. The salary of the office is $600. The new grand dictator is F. D. Barnes of Dorchester. Past Grand Dictator Battison reported for the committee on necrology.

The District Court.

Daniel Donovan was fined $10 for creating a disturbance on a railroad train at Quincy.

John M. Connell and James F. Moran were fined $10 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

Robert Johnson was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Weymouth.

David S. Meek was arraigned for non-support at Milton. He was ordered to pay $6 per week.

Frederick Humphrey was arraigned for violation of the slaughter house law. He was discharged on payment of costs.

Thoma B. McFawn and James H. Prouty were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Arturo Bulducci was arraigned for threatening to assault Joseph Casner, at Quincy. Placed on file on payment of costs amounting to $3.40.

The continued case of Bulducci, for assault, was called. Satisfaction having been acknowledged the defendant was discharged on payment of costs amounting to $3.40.

Francis J. McCoghlin was arraigned for being a stubborn child at Holbrook. Case continued until June 7.

Merton Y. Clements was arraigned for slaughtering without a license at Weymouth. Case continued until April 16.

Augustus Melanson was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Peter Hynes, Joseph Burke and Clifford H. Towle were arraigned for keeping and exposing liquor for sale at Quincy. Hynes and Burke pleaded guilty and Towle nolo contendere. Hynes was fined $75. Burke's case was continued two weeks to pay a fine, and Towle was fined $75 and sentenced to three months in the house of correction from which he appealed.

Frederick Emerald was fined $20 for assault on Joseph Robertson at Quincy.

Frank Geage was fined $3 for disturbing the peace at Weymouth.

John E. Cross was fined $10 for assault at Quincy.

Daniel Lee was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Robert Regan and Gabriel Becker were arraigned for mutual assault at Quincy. Regan was fined $15 and Becker was discharged.

Harold M. Richardson, Harold Bates and John Staurt were arraigned, for setting fire to woods at Milton. Cases placed on file on payment of cost.

Jeremiah Cullinan was fined $10 for loitering at the Quincy depot.

J. H. Delaney, James Madden and Tom Kane were fined $10 each for assault on Herman Ward at Holbrook.

William Mulligan was arraigned for threatening to assault Thomas Mullaney at Quincy. He was fined $15 and the case continued until July 6.

James T. Welch was fined $15 for drunkenness at Randolph.

Gilbert B. Holbrook was fined $5 for drunkenness at Milton.

Births.

SULLIVAN—In South Braintree, April 13, a daughter to Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Sullivan of Pearl street.

Marriages.

JOLLY—MALCOLM—In Quincy, April 7, by William M. Marden, Esq., Mr. John H. Jolly to Miss Mary J. Malcolm, both of Quincy.

Deaths.

KENNEY—In Quincy, April 6, Ellen Josephine, daughter of Mr. John and Mrs. Margaret (Rogers) Kenney of 28 Taber street aged 10 years, 25 days.

PATERSON—In West Quincy, April 9, Mrs. Stewart Paterson, widow of Matthew Paterson of 2 Centre street, aged 76 years, 6 months and 10 days.

COLE—In West Quincy, April 7, Ada L., daughter of Mr. John C. Cole of 85 Centre street, aged 15 years, 5 months and 24 days.

CRESSY—In West Quincy, April 11, Mrs. Abbie N., widow of Mr. Isaiah Cressy, of 11 Doble street, aged 71 years and 1 month.

ROSS—In South Quincy, April 12, Beatrice, daughter of Mr. William and Mrs. Eliza Ross, of Gordon street, aged 7 months and 12 days.

GIBB—In Quincy Point, April 11, John Quincy Adams, son of Mr. Andrew and Mrs. Annie Gibb, of Washington street, aged 1 year, 2 months and 2 days.

HUNT—In Scituate, Feb 11, Mr. Howland Hunt, aged 83 years.

HAYWARD—In Milton April 11, suddenly Mr. Roland Hayward, aged 41 years.

JOYCE—In Milton, April 7, Helen, daughter of Mr. Martin and Mrs. Margaret Joyce of Hartwell street, aged 9 years.

GARDNER—In Hingham, April 8, Mrs. George Gardner, in her 82d year.

WHITE—In East Weymouth, April 6, William son of Mr. Benjamin and the late Mary (De Coste) White, in his 21st year.

JENSEN—In Dorchester, April 9, Miss Annie C. Jensen, formerly

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Poetry.

Easter.

The world itself keeps Easter day,
For happy birds are singing;
And from the earth so cold and gray
The tiny blades are springing.
The seeds that in their graves have lain—
So silently abiding
The hour when Springtime's sun and rain
Should call them from their hiding—
Now rise again to bud and bloom,
And fill the earth with gladness;
Gone are the days wintry gloom;
Spring is no time for sadness.

Each tree and shrub the new life feels
Through every vein warm-glowing;
And buds burst forth—the promise sure
Of leaves and fruit soon growing;
The little streams—ice bound so long—
Flow onward gaily singing;
Freed from their fetters—join their song
With Easter joy-bells ringing.
—Youth's Companion.

Notes and Comments.

—Public sentiment is not with the coal miners as much as it was at the time of the other strike. There is a general feeling that the miners have not been suffering during the last three years, and that the demands that they are making on the operators are not justified.—Somerville Journal.

—To all believers Easter is a day of gladness, faith, and hope. But to those especially who, since last Easter day, have laid loved ones to rest the message of the day should come with comforting and sustaining power. Christ is risen, and we too shall rise. The "lively hope" will not be put to shame. He who restored to the widow of Nain her only son, and who reunited the broken family at Bethany, shall also bring together once more the hearts that loved each other in the Lord here on earth. He lives today, and from his shining throne looks down in love and mercy on his sorrowing children on earth. Over that love no change can come.

—What with the combined vigilance of a yellow press, the yellow magazines and the yellow pulpit, a man in public life must needs possess not alone the consciousness of rectitude but the hide of a rhinoceros.—Providence Journal.

—Governor Guild has appointed Saturday, April 28, as Arbor Day and in his proclamation he calls upon the people of Massachusetts to observe the day by planting trees, shrubs and vines. He suggests that in towns systematic and logically developed plans be considered for the protection of all highways alike from wind and rain by planting of trees along the roadside, and mentions those trees which are most suitable for the purpose. The Governor concludes his proclamation as follows: "Let the children in the public schools be taught that every egg they take from the nests of the birds means the death of a little friend of Massachusetts, means one less winged crusader against the gypsy moth, the brown tail moth and the crawling pests that destroy the food of the people and the beauty of the land. Save the trees! Save the birds that we may save the trees."

—Reports from some of the moth infested sections of the state indicate that the weather conditions of the past winter have proved an important factor in in the extermination of the pests. The warm weather of January, followed by the cold wave, killed many of the caterpillars, as shown by numerous nests which have been examined in Melrose and elsewhere. While the hope is expressed that little trouble will be experience with the pests this summer because of this fact, it will, nevertheless, be well for property owners to take all possible precautionary measures to prevent the ravages of the destructive insects which have caused such widespread injury in many parts of the state.

—It seems that the Boston woman who for thirty years has had the rowboat and swanboat privilege on the public garden pond has never paid anything for it to the city. This year she will pay $300. Doubtless she can well afford it.—Somerville Journal.

—The Sentinel has returned without signature, to the counsel for Charles H. Tucker, a petition to the Governor asking for his pardon. We do not believe in trial of murder cases by petition. Tucker has had every opportunity to prove his innocence, and the fact that every court of last resort has been appealed to in vain, and a jury of good men and true have pronounced him guilty, and all agree that the verdict was a just one, ought to be a sufficient reason why the perpetrator of this outrageous crime against an innocent girl should suffer the penalty of his act. We wonder if those who are so ready to sign the petition appreciate the suffering brought upon the family of the innocent victim.—Stoughton Sentinel.

—One gets tired of the whole sickening details of murder, riot and robbery that glut the sensational press from one week's end to another. No other news seems to be quite so dainty, and it is served up in all its sensational details to the exclusion of other and more rational matter that might engage the public mind. Crime is not the best kind of news to feed the public on, but it is sought after with more avidity than any other and read with more absorbing interest. The yellow journals know what will please their readers most, but they are in a great measure responsible for their readers' taste.—Rockland Standard.

—The Massachusetts supreme court has just rendered another decision giving women equal rights with men. Hitherto it has been a man's privilege to bring suit against another man for alienation of a wife's affections, but the same privilege has not been accorded to women until now. The decision was rendered a few day's ago in a case in which a Newbury woman seeks to recover damages from another woman for the loss of her husband's affection. It is a poor rule that will not work both ways, and the supreme court's decision would seem to be good common sense as well as good law.—Milford Gazette.

—A Connecticut judge has decided that it is not a part of the duty of a trolley car conductor to assist passengers in getting off his car. The court was led to this decision by hearing the case of a passenger who, in alighting from a street car, tripped on the step and fell to the ground, sustaining injuries which disabled her for months. Her counsel set up the contention that the conductor was negligent in not helping her to alight. But the court says no. It is not a part of the conductor's duty to help passengers off the cars, even if some conductors do often render such assistance. They may do it in exceptional cases as a matter of courtesy, but neither they nor the company are under legal obligation to do so. The decision is common sensible, but it is also frequently common sensible to be courteous when there is no legal responsibility.

—That Brighton coal company that has announced that it will return to the old coal prices and will refund to customers who have bought coal the amount of the recent increase is doing business on the golden rule.—Somerville Journal.

—Five ice companies were indicted at Toledo on Monday for conspiring to raise the price of ice 20 per cent. They gave as their reason that the open winter had made ice scarce, but testimony was produced showing that icehouses were packed with ice secured in the North. The jury was no doubt affected by the fact the artificial ice companies, which are of course unaffected by the weather, had increased the price of their product at the same time.—Milford Gazette.

—The "strike" of the pupils of the high school at Brookfield, Mass., shows the effect of a bad example, set by older persons who have struck on insufficient grounds and engaged in lawlessness thereafter. It is to be hoped that not many communities have such children as afflict the old Worcester county town, and it is also to be hoped that the parents of the children will soundly spank their offspring for exhibiting such demoralizing tendencies.—Banker and Tradesman.

—A Detroit judge, who had a person brought before him for loafing, asked him why he did not go to work. The person stated that he had been hunting for work for three weeks, but was unsuccessful, being turned down every time. He gave a number of places at which he applied. The judge fined him $5, and then in turn fined himself and three officers of the court and one citizen present $1 each, saying that if a man able and willing to work could not get employment it was the fault of the citizens at large, and they as part of the whole community were at fault. The fines were quickly paid, and the lesson taught was impressed upon all.—Athol Chronicle.

—The State Department has received an additional $25,000 from the Christian Herald of New York, for the relief of famine suffers in Japan. This makes a total of $150,000 raised by that paper for the Japansese and transmitted through the American Nation Red Cross to the Japanese Red Cross at Tokio.

—Civil proceedings were instituted last week by Philadelphia against the contractors and former city officials interested in construction of the municipal filtration plant to recover $5,000,000, which sum is alleged to have been wrongfully retained by the defendants.

—The State police created a bit of discouragement in English High school circles, Worcester, last week, by ordering that all the elaborate scenery purchased for the production by the As You Like It club of Sheridan's "The Rivals" could not be used. It is one of the orders which the State police are issuing against the use of scenery by amateur organizations in places not licensed to give performances. The play was given without the scenery.

Boston Floating Hospital.

G. Loring Briggs the new manager of the Boston Floating Hospital, and a special committee are making an earnest appeal to secure funds for the new boat. George C. Lee, treasurer, of Lee, Higginson & Co., 44 State street, Boston, will gratefully acknowledge contributions.

After a successful period of activity covering twelve years, the Boston Floating Hospital has come to a time when the present equipment is no longer capable of meeting the growing demands upon it. A new boat having twice the capacity of the old one is now in course of construction at the Atlantic Works in East Boston, and will be ready for the season at the end of June. It is estimated that the new boat, which should be self-propelling, will cost fully equipped, $95,000, of which more than one-third has already been subscribed.

The history of the Boston Floating Hospital shows that its development has been natural, rapid, extensive. In 1894 2500 treatments were given. Last year 9765 patients were cared for. Every increase in expenditures which the treasurer's books show year by year is seen to be the additional cost of improving the work and for its extentions. Besides giving the expert care of children in the Hospital, the mothers are taught how properly to tend them at home, especially in the preparation of foods. This ounce of prevention is intangible, but its value is far greater than the pound of cure, which makes the strongest kind of an appeal.

—The Brockton Board of Trade elected these officers on Monday evening: Hon. Loyed E. Chamberlain, pres., Ellery C. Cahoon, Horace A. Poole, vice pres., Elroy S. Thompson, sec., Stewart B. McLeod, treas., Hon. Emery M. Low, Edward B. Mellen, Frank E. Shaw, Herbert E. Guy and L. Frank Garfield executive committee.

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Makaria Fraternity.

An unusually large number of young ladies and young gentlemen assembled in Bethany church chapel on Monday evening for the annual ladies' night of the Makaria Fraternity. It was a jovial occasion, there being games, an informal entertainment, more games, ice cream and cake, and finally games.

Each young man when he arrived was required to register and then a shipping tag with his name was tied to his lapel, so that he would not get lost.

The frolic started in with "Jog Along" with young men in the centre, and the grand march with frequently changing partners was much enjoyed. Then the situation was reversed, and there were extra young ladies in the centre.

The entertainment opened with solos by "Dick" Grant of Harvard college, who holds several world records as a sprinter, but appears to be as great a success as a singer. He was accompanied by Miss Minnie Packard. After his first song "Vare" King explained that the repetoire of Mr. Grant included religious, sentimental and other songs, but there had been a special request for love songs, whereupon "Theo" King remarked that love songs were the truly religious ones.

Mr. Grant sang during the evening three songs, and the audience would have been pleased to listen to twice as many.

Popular selections were given by Thompson's orchestra of four pieces, which were encored.

Master Reynolds was also a favorite, having a remarkable voice for a boy. He sang "Sweet Genevieve," and another selection.

Charles Dornan was then introduced as "Houdini Dinkensfield," and was the star of the evening with some performances which were as mysterious and wonderful as by Keith's great attraction. First he proved a clever manipulator of playing cards, causing cards to pass from his hand to his pocket, to appear at his finger tips, etc. He put the pack of cards into their case, but upon opening the case immediately found a handkerchief in their place.

Dinkensfield then allowed a young man in the audience to place a pair of handcuffs upon his wrists. He retired behind a screen, but appeared almost immediately with his hands free and the handcuffs open. Two pairs were then used and these were sealed with gum, but were as easy as one pair.

He then started to do the packing case feat, but Constable Hultman wanted to put him to one more test and sent up a pair of handcuffs he had never seen. He freed himself from these quicker than the others.

The packing case had been made for the occasion by Russell Parker and George Hanson and was about 4x2x2. Everyone was given an opportunity to examine it. Not only was each board nailed but there was a band of iron around the box at each end.

When he entered the box he removed his coat and put his legs into a large bag to protect his clothes. The cover of the case was then closed and locked by two padlocks, which had been carefully inspected. Then ropes were put around the case both ways and strongly tied.

The case was then lifted to the rear of the platform and a screen placed in front. There was a solid wall in the rear and no side rooms and the floor had no trap doors.

It was just three minutes past nine when he was left to himself, but it was a minute later before he was notified. It was just 9.17 that he made his appearance before the public with his coat on.

The packing case was found to be locked and roped as when placed behind the screen. When it was opened the bag into which he had put his legs was found. Many examined the case, and also looked behind the screens for a confederate, but were mystified and are still wondering.

This feat will be repeated at the great Y. M. C. A. circus the last of this month and is sure to be a great drawing card. Charlie said he found it pretty hot in the case, as the holes for ventilation were in the bottom and almost useless.

Unsought Praise.

There is a learned and talented scholar, delivering in our midst, an instructive and interesting course of sermon-lectures, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the Universalist church. The different denominations are being carefully and conscientiously studied as to polity and doctrine. The writer was interested to attend recently, when his own denomination was the sermon-subject, and so well pleased was he with what he heard and the cordial, careful, christain spirit of the speaker, that upon leaving he remarked to his accompaning deacon, "it is good for us to have been here."

Such a course of sermon-lectures and such an exceptional opportunity, may well be regarded by the people of all our churches as an intellectual impetus and personal privilege "To see ourselves as others see us," and to realize how minute the differences between our denominations. Such a course of sermon-lectures, will greatly help to usher in the day of church federation, when shall be answered Jesus' prayer "that they all may be one; as Thou, Father, art in Me, and I in Thee, that they also may be one in Us."

A Brother Minister.

Quincy, April 9, 1906.

School Attendance.

Sickness in the families of pupils of the public schools reduced the attendence in March, and the percentage was but a trifle over 90. The largest percentage of attendance was in the High and Willard, while the Lincoln and Coddington were the lowest. The report for the four weeks ending March 30:

	Whole No. at Date.	Av. Daily Attendance	Per cent of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Truancy. Dismissals.
High	633	596.9	93.9	86	25 1
Adams	475	416.3	89.2	83	26 4
Coddington	405	355.2	83.7	32	27 2
Cranch	353	326.8	91.4	35	22 0
Gridley Bryant	328	300.2	91.7	3	3 0
John Hancock	387	337.3	90.7	15	16 0
Lincoln	421	367.6	80.9	20	23 2
Mass. Fields	388	343.4	89.7	25	42 3
Quincy	519	455.2	88.8	57	18 1
Washington	473	417.7	89.9	50	22 1
Willard	802	748.2	93 1	11	10 0
Wollaston	362	316.4	86.6	38	49 0
	5516	4981.2	93.4	458	283 14

Collection of Ashes.

The collection of ashes by the city was inaugurated at Atlantic on Monday. That it struck a popular chord with the people was evident by the row of barrels that lined the sidewalks. Nearly every house in the village had barrels out waiting for the team to call.

At every place when the team called, they found anywhere from one to eighteen barrels waiting, and at one place thirty barrels of ashes was taken.

The Board of Health proposes to give the city a thorough cleaning this spring and then lay off until fall.

Butler's Pond.

People living in the vicinity of Butler's pond are interested in the order now before the City Council to acquire the pond as a public park. While all agree that the city should control the pond, there is considerable difference of opinion as to whether the city does not now control it.

People who own land in the vicinity claim that when they purchased their deeds they obtained certain rights in the pond.

The matter which is interesting the abutters most, however, is the question whether the pond did not become public property when the adjoining lot was purchased for the High school.

The land for the High school lot was purchased in April, 1893. The order for its purchase was introduced by ex-Councilman Badger of Ward Six, and the purchase price was $1,500.

There was quite a discussion in the City Council at that time before the matter was definitely settled, as several sites were suggested. It was during one of these discussions the Councilman Badger read a letter received from the owner, Mr. Butler, in which it was stated that so much of the pond not included in lots 14, 15, 26 and 30 should be forever used as a pond.

The lots in question are situated so that they take in a small corner of the pond. Unfortunately this clause about the pond was not incorporated in the deed conveying the High school lot to the city.

Some years later it was claimed that Mr. Butler deeded certain property to Mr. O'Connor and this included the pond. As stated above the pond has never been taxed, and there is a question if it can be.

The original letter from Mr. Butler in relation to the pond is in the possession of Mr. Badger, who is trying to locate it among his papers.

It is understood that the price wanted for the pond and land proposed to be taken by the order would be in the vicinity of $3,000.

Eugene O'Connor, the alleged owner of Butlers pond and the land adjoining, says the statement that he has received a revenue from the pond is an error. He says he never received a cent for the use of the pond, as Mr. Prescott was given permission to cut ice there without cost. He further says that he holds a deed for the land and pond and if anyone can bring forward a previous deed he should like to see it. Personally, it was not his proposition to have the city buy the land and pond as a park, and the first that he knew of the move in that direction was when the petition was sent to the City Council.

Albert A. Brackett.

The funeral of Hon. Albert A. Brackett, the ex-selectman of Milton, and the ex-senator from this district, was held Saturday afternoon from his late residence on Granite place at East Milton, and was very largely attended by the townspeople, business associates in Boston, and fraternal and political friends. Among those from Quincy, aside from relatives were: J. Henry Emery, Emery L. Crane, Charles W. Jones, Frederick L. Jones, Henry O. Fairbanks, Frederick J. Fuller, George H. Wilson, Frank F. Prescott, Mrs. C. W. Guy, and others.

Rev. Edward Anderson the pastor of the East Milton Congregational church, was assisted by Rev. A. H. Mulnix a former pastor. Both made touching and merited references to the deceased, his large heart and many kindnesses and public spirit.

The Harvard male quartette rendered three beautiful selections, "Gathering Home," "Passing Out of the Shadow" and "'Twill Not Be Long."

There was a wealth of rich floral tributes including a square and compass from Rural lodge of Masons of which he was a past master; a wreath from Huntington F. Wolcott post, G. A. R., of which Mr. Brackett was an honorary member; a wreath from the trustees of the King's Daughters' home at Pondville, of which Mrs. Brackett is the treasurer; and scores of others from friends and local organizations.

The pall bearers were: Frederick L. Jones and Henry O. Fairbanks of Quincy, past masters of Rural lodge; Wilbur H. Powers, ex-Representative of Hyde Park; W. B. Atwood, of Brockton; J. H. Rogers, of Haverhill; and E. H. Bingham of Hartford, Conn.

John Hall of Quincy was the officiating undertaker. The burial was private and the interment was in the Milton cemetery.

In Bad Company.

Thomas Francis, who claims to hail from Quincy, reported to the Boston police that he was held up on North street Sunday morning and $6 of his money taken. Francis says that he and two other men whose names are said to be Frank Bergner and Harry Leslie slept together Saturday night. That he volunteered to pay for the breakfast for the party. One of them ordered a twenty cent breakfast which started a dispute. After leaving the restaurant Francis claims they held him up against a building and robbed him of $6. He later pointed them out to the police who placed the men under arrest. Bergner it is claimed is an old time crook and has served six terms in jail.

Des Moines to Represent Quincy.

The cruiser Des Moines and Cleveland, now at the Boston navy yard, have again had their orders changed says a Boston daily. They will sail Sunday morning for Annapolis to comprise part of the squadron to receive the visiting French fleet and to participate in the Paul Jones memorial exercises at Annapolis. Both ships will return here after the ceremonies to complete the repairs now under way on them.

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Butler's Prisoner Escaped.

Clifford H. Towle of Quincy Point, who was in court Saturday for violation of the liquor law and fined $75 and sentenced to three months in the house of correction, gave an illustration of Houdini's skill after court. After being sentenced Towle took an appeal and sent for bondsmen to protect his appeal. While waiting for his bondsmen he kept walking toward the outer door so that the court officer had to keep his eye on him all of the time.

After waiting some time for the bondsmen to appear and getting tired of watching Towle, Court Officer Marden locked him up in the prisoners' cage until he could get ready to start for Dedham.

Sometime later, when he went for his prisoner he was surprised to find that his bird had flown, leaving no trace behind.

Just how Towle made his escape does not appear. The cage which is of steel is in one corner of the court room, and has a steel door with a spring lock. There is, however, another door, a wooden one, leading to the corridor on the north side of the building. It is through this that he is supposed to have escaped.

Whether he left the building by the main entrance when no one was about, or whether he went through the Probate court room in the rear, and then out by the fire escape is an open question.

As soon as he was missed word was sent to the police, and also to the Boston police. As Towle is well known it will not be long before he is captured.

Galahad Brotherhood.

The Galahad Brotherhood of Christ church held its second noon meeting on Sunday. Forty men were present, and increased interest was shown. Mr. Ambrose Newcombe who has lately come from England, where he was trained in some of the largest church choirs, sang the sweet and impressive old English song "The Sexton."

The speaker for the day was Mr. John Buchanan, the insurance editor of the Boston Globe. Mr. Buchanan laid down two thoughts that should be uppermost in the minds of all newspaper readers; one, that the newspaper is a business from which men make money; the other, that it is a mirror, reflecting the acts and thoughts of the people. The only way that a man can treat the Sunday paper is as he treats a miscellaneous lot bought at auction; select what is valuable and throw away the rest.

The Sunday newspaper is here to stay. What it is depends on the public. There is much good in it, but it is not intended to be the chief occupation of Sunday. The man or woman who acquires the Sunday paper habit can never get the best from his one day of rest.

A Mystery.

Chief Burrell and several officers spent a good part of Sunday afternoon at Brackett's wharf trying to recover a suit case which it is reported a stranger threw overboard at that point on Saturday.

According to children of that vicinity a well dressed stranger, wearing a light overcoat and patent leather shoes, came down to the wharf Saturday afternoon carrying two paste board boxes. He was seen to enter a small shed near the wharf and just at dark to walk down to the edge of the wharf.

A few minutes later he was seen to come back from the wharf and disappear. He was minus his coat and boxes. The matter was reported to the police.

There is quite a depth of water in the channel off the wharf at low water but Chief Burrell did not think it was advisable to drag this channel.

If a box was thrown into the water as believed by some, it is probable that it floated off with the tide Saturday night.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following are the recent real estate transfers.

Samuel W. McCall et al receivers to Union Trust Co.

Washington I. Tuckerman et ux to Augusta Zegler.

Beniamino L. Di Bona to Anthony Tocci.

John Reed to Sven Johnson.

City of Quincy to S. T Broad et al.

Emily F. Tobin to Maud A Besse.

Maud A Besse to Alice S. Thorpe.

Francis Morrison to E. Gertrude Hanson.

E. Gertrude Hanson to Mary Morrison.

May L. Randlett et al to Paul R. Blackmur.

Joseph Bishop to Thomas Bishop.

Charles C. Barton et al trs to Wilton A. Dunham.

Wilton A. Dunham to Charles H. Butterick Jr.

Patrick H Gallagher to Peter T. Fallon.

Westboro Savings Bank to Henry V. Rowell.

Michael Fanning to Hanorie Fanning $1000.

Willard Welch to Hanorie Fanning.

Edwin T. McKnight tr to Robert F. Rogers.

William E Harmon tr to Amos L Ingraham et al.

George W. Hopkins et al trs to Amos L. Ingraham et al.

Simon Alexander by tr to Simon Alexander.

Harlow H. Rogers to Sanford Small.

Whist Party.

At Clan McGregor hall on Monday evening there was one of the largest whist parties ever held in the city, 35 tables being in play. A prize was awarded to the person making the most moves from table to table and was won by Robert Craig. There were also first, second and third prizes and a consolation prize for ladies and similar prizes for gentlemen, which were awarded as follows:

Ladies' prizes,—Mrs. James Birnie, Mrs. Lillie, Mrs. George Murray, and Miss Isabelle Park.

Men's prizes,—I. I. McLennan, William Norrie, George Craig and Jeff Gleason.

—Schidlofski, the Braintree barber, was sentence on Saturday to die in the electric chair the week of July 8, for murdering his wife at Belmont.

Quincy Point Raided.

A squad of police under Chief Burrell and Lieut. McKay made an early start for the Fore River district Saturday. It was in the vicinity of 7 o'clock when they arrived and before the people of that vicinity had recovered from their surprise at seeing so many officers about, they had divided into three squads and searched as many different stores for liquor.

In the raiding party besides Chief Burrell and Lieut. McKay were Officers Bradley, Goodhue, Hinchon, Milford, Cahill, Larkin and Olson.

The places visited were the stores of Clifford H. Towle at 3 Winter street, Joseph Burke and Peter Hynes on Howard street.

At Towle's place six bottles of whiskey was seized. Six pints of whiskey was taken from Burke, and 12 pints of whiskey were sized from Hynes. All three parties were arrested.

Another squad of officers then went to the premises of John Fraser at 3 Wharf street, but found no liquor.

Towle, Burke and Hynes were arraigned in court for keeping and exposing liquor for sale.

It was Towle's second offence, and he was fined $75 and sentenced to three months in the house of correction. He appealed.

Hynes was fined $75 which he paid. Burke's case was continued two weeks, at which time a fine will be imposed.

Elks Installed.

The newly elected officers of Quincy lodge of Elks were installed Tuesday evening at Greenleaf hall in the presence of a large number of visitors from out of town. Members of the order were present from Boston, Brockton, Malden, Everett and Burlington, Vt.

The installing officers and many of the visitors arrived early in the afternoon and were met by Past Exalted Ruler Frederick W. Tirrell, Exalted Ruler Daniel J. Deasy and Secretary Edmund W. Courtney. The visitors were taken to the Fore River Works where several hours were passed in an inspection of the works. The visitors were then entertained by the local members until the evening meeting.

The work of installation was performed by Past Exalted Ruler Walsh and suite. The officers installed were as follows:—

E. R.,—Daniel J. Deasy.
E. L. K.,—William R. Thomas.
E. L. K.,—J. Fred Rupert.
E. L. K.,—Elmer L. Paine.
Sec.,—Edmund W. Courtney.
Treasurer,—Benjamin Johnson.
Tyler,—James W. Sweeney.
Trustee for three years,—H. E. Emerson.
Delegate to Grand Lodge,—Frederick W. Tirrell.
Alternate,—James H. Welsh.
Esquire,—Frank N. Benson.
Chaplain,—James A. White.
J. G.,—Joseph M. Bruce.
O.,—Frank Craig.

After the business of the evening an adjournment was made to the banquet hall, where a pleasing menu was served. During an intermission at the banquet addresses were made by Past Exalted Rulers Walsh, and Charles E. Kelly of Boston, and Daniel J. Deasy the new ruler of Quincy lodge. There was also vocal and instrumental music, and a general good time for all.

Quincy lodge is now one of the strongest lodges of this order in the state and is growing rapidly, application for membership being received nearly every meeting.

Marble Works.

With the opening of the plant of Paul Guenella at South Quincy, an old industry has been revived and enlarged. That is the marble industry. McGrath Bros. have cut marble for many years, but not to the extent that Mr. Guenella is to carry it on. A number of skilled sculptors are now employed at these works and marble statuary as well as marble for interior decorations is to be sculptured. It is understood that a a $20,000 contract has recently been secured by Mr. Guenella for sculptured marble for interior decorations. Previously this kind of work was not done this side of Philadelphia.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

The appearance of both James K. Hackett and Mary Mannering in "The Walls of Jericho," a play of much more than ordinary merit and interest, has formed an attraction which has made a complete conquest of this week's audience at the Tremont Theatre, Boston. Mr. Hackett and Miss Mannering have several times appeared in Boston as separate stars but it has been years since they have played together. They have individually gained so much in importance, theatrically, that to see them in the same cast comes in the nature of a real treat. "The Walls of Jericho" is a drama about which a great deal has been heard and written, and it may at once be said that it has not been overpraised. It is from the pen of Alfred Sutro who ranks with the leading playwrights of England today. "The Walls of Jericho" having run more than two years in London. Mr. and Mrs. Hackett produced it at the Savoy theatre, New York, last autumn where it held the boards for six consecutive months. It is a society play but not of the hackneyed sort.

Castle Square Theatre.

For the fourth time this season, lovers of Shakespeare will again have the opportunity to witness a great production of one of the great poet's dramas at the Castle Square Theatre. The play selected is "Romeo and Juliet," and it will bring to a triumphant close the present season of Shakespearian productions at the Castle Square. The Verona of the time of the great tragedy will be presented to the audience in all its picturesqueness and beauty, and the play has been arranged with all possible reference to and respect for the original text. Only those cuts necessary to bring its action within the limits of a three hour performance have been made.

Empire Theatre.

At the Empire Theatre next week a production of Paul Potter's dramatic version of Ouida's novel "Under Two Flags" will be the attraction. Ouida's strong story offers fine opportunity for dramatic treatment and the play has been a favorate one with the public ever since its original presentation. It has not been seen in Boston for several seasons and the intention of the Empire management is to make its revival a notable one in the way of spectacular groupings and tableaux. Minnie Seligman will have in the character of Cigarette an opportunity to show the wide range of her dramatic abilities and William Bramwell as the Hon. Bertie Cecil will have a character in which he has gained many successes in other cities.

Grand Opera House.

The Patriots' week attraction at the Boston Grand Opera House will be that most popular and successful artist, Florence Bindley, in B. E. Forrester's superb production of a new musical drama, entitled "The Street Singer." In portraying the role of Violet Vodray, the "Street Singer," Miss Bindley brings to bear in her performance those superlative talents which conspicuously fitted her for her stellar career. She is at all times charming, magnetic, and possesses a beautiful singing voice, together with marked emotional and comedy ability. In presenting Miss Bindley in "The Street Singer," B. E. Forrester has given her a vehicle that has every element of success. It is a strong and coherent drama, intermingled with novelty musical numbers and at the same time telling an intensely human story of New York life.



Household Receipts.

Chops with Espagnol Sauce. Make a dressing of six chopped mushrooms, one small onion minced, a teaspoonful of minced parsley with salt and pepper; cook all together in butter, and add a table-spoonful of Spanish sauce. Trim and flatten the chops, broil over live coals for three or four minutes, put them in a baking-pan, cover with the dressing, and set in the oven eight or ten minutes. The meat should be thoroughly done. Take up on a heated dish, and serve with Spanish sauce.

Curried Rice Croquettes. Put three-quarters of a cup of milk in a saucepan with butter the size of an egg, let it come to a boil, and stir into it one large cup and a half of rice that has been boiled in salt water twenty minutes. Add a slightly heaping teaspoonful of curry powder, a few drops of onion juice and salt to taste. When it comes to a boil add a beaten egg to it, stir a minute and remove from the fire. Turn it out, let it cool, and then form into cylinders and fry as usual.

Duchess Potatoes. Remove the inside from hot baked potatoes and whip this well with a fork. For half a dozen medium-sized potatoes have two eggs well beaten, the yolks and whites separately. Season the potatoes with pepper and salt, put in the egg yolks, then the whites, and put all into a baking-dish. Sprinkle melted butter over the top, and brown very quickly in a hot oven.

Rose's Corn Bread. One cup yellow corn meal, one and one-half cups flour, two tablespoonfuls sugar, two teaspoonfuls baking powder, one tablespoonful butter, one and one-half cups sweet milk. Yolks of two eggs. Bake in square shallow pan about one-half hour.

Anecdotes.

Deluded Little Willie—Mamma dear, won't you please cut off a lock of papa's hair for me? I want it badly.

Sympathetic Mother—Certainly, dear. Did you hear that, John? Who would have given a child like that credit for so much tender sentiment?

Little Willie—You see, ma, my rocking horse lost its tail, and I just wanted. Quick curtain—Truth.

"Waiter, is this veal or pork chop?"
"Can't you tell by the taste?"
"No."
"Then what difference does it make?"—Sondags-Nisse.

An Irishman who was run over by a troop of horses run over me?" asked Pat.—London Spectator.

"By the way, Majah, how much did the Cunnel get fined for knocking that fellow down with his fist?"

"The Cunnel was not fined at all, sah. He escaped punishment on the ground of temporary insanity, sah, as he had a gun in his pocket at the time of the trouble."—Indianapolis Journal.

Pleaded Guilty.

In the superior court at Dedham, Monday, Alexander Crookshank pleaded guilty to the larceny of funds from the Boiler Makers' union at the Fore River shipyard at Quincy. He will be sentenced later.

Arthur O'Neil of Quincy also plead guilty to an attempted assault.

William A. Fowler of Weymouth retracted his plea of not guilty as a habitual criminal and entered one of guilty. He will be sentenced later. He has spent half of his life behind bars in jail. He was arrested recently for breaking and entering at Weymouth.

Massachusetts General Hospital.

The total number of patients treated at the Massachusetts General Hospital in 1905 was 5,096 as against 5,486 in 1904. The daily average was 277, an increase of one. Free patients treated during the year numbered 3,073, less than in 1904, and the number of pay patients was 2,023. In the out-patient department 21,874 new cases were treated. The average daily attendance of these patients was 362, and 49,739 prescriptions were filled. Almost 1,000 more accident patients were treated than in 1904.

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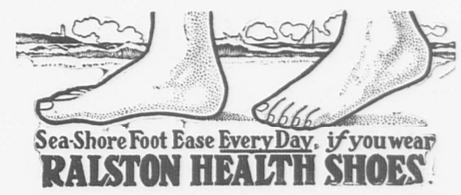
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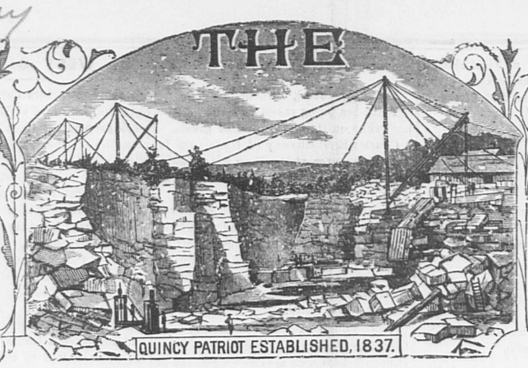
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James K Hackett in "The Walls of Jericho," Tremont Theatre, Boston.

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Cash Assets,	668,915.53
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	188,58 .01
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$480,329.42
Contingent Assets,	356,144.37
Total Available Assets,	1,026,059.80
Gain in Surplus,	4,785.27

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SURPLUS over Re-Insurance, $455,776.74
LOSSES paid the past year, $42,201.94
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year, $66,032.42
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year, $12,983.04
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year, 20,297.34
AND EVERY LOSS PAID IN FULL.
AMOUNT AT RISK, *$32,586,226.00*
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Amount at Risk - - - -	$37,809,990.00
Cash Assets - - - -	567,409.00
Deposit Notes - - - -	647,981.17
Available Assets - - - -	1,134,990.24
Total Liabilities - - - -	338,543.29
Cash Surplus - - - -	168,866.58
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - -	7,458.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	163,055.43
Dividends paid in 1904 - -	68,294.25
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The Truth.

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Once in a golden hour
I cast to earth a seed,
Up there came a flower,
The people said, a weed.

To and fro they went
Thro' my garden bower,
And muttering discontent,
Cursed me and my flower.

Then it grew so tall
It wore a crown of light,
But thieves from o'er the wall
Stole the seed by night,

Sowed it far and wide
By every town and tower
Till all the people cried
"Splendid is the flower."

Read my little fable;
He that runs may read; -
Most can raise the flower now
For all have got the seed.

Miscellany.

A GIRL'S COURAGE.

"Well, Mr. Baker, I believe that there is nothing more I can say upon the subject, except that if I possessed half of your wealth, I would pay that church debt, and make the entire membership happy—and I am asking you for only a few dollars," declared Mabel Sanderson, her blue eyes flashing with indignation.

The words of reproach were well merited, for the girl had been standing on a street corner for perhaps a quarter of an hour, pleading with rich Farmer Baker to give something toward paying a debt of $500, which had been a distressing burden upon a worthy minister and his discouraged congregation for several years.

Mr. Baker smiled pompously, for he rather liked her public begging, because it made him conspicuous. He knew that the people who were passing by were saying: "That is the rich Mr. Baker. No use to talk to him! He knows how to keep money as well as make it," and his reply was intended to prolong their conversation.

"Who says I have money?"

"Every one says so, Mr. Baker," Mabel replied, in a tone of censuring surprise. "Father said this morning that you were worth eighty thousand dollars, in acres of land and fine cattle. Why, Mr. Baker, if you would give us one of your fat cattle it would be such a help, and you would never miss it. I don't see what the Lord ever gave you so much wealth for when you never do any good with it. Oh, I wish I was rich, for I would do anything that was honest and honorable to help pay that church debt!"

"Oh, yes; you would do anything that was honest and honorable for the church, would you, Miss Mabel? Well, that sounds fair enough. Let us see. Suppose I give you one of my fat cattle, will you drive it to town alone? A full-grown steer from my farm is worth every cent of seventy-five dollars," ventured Farmer Baker, in high good humor; then noticing a stain of crimson in the girl's face, he added tauntingly. "Oh, that is quite different, is it? You are too fine for anything like that. Talk is cheap, isn't it?"

For one full minute, Mabel stood dismayed. Seventy-five dollars! But could she, a girl of seventeen years, drive a steer into town, to say nothing at all about her fear of the animal? Her modesty entered a protest against such a thing; then a sudden determination came into her loyal heart, and lifting her eyes to the scoffing face before her, she responded:

"All right, Mr. Baker; I will do what you suggest, if you are really in earnest. Remember, the animal must be worth seventy-five dollars. When shall I come after it?"

"Pooh! You will never do it. I am safe enough in making the offer, but if you do, I will make my word good. An unpleasant sneer played about the farmer's thin lips, and he chuckled cunningly, his mind already selecting the wildest animal in his herd. "You may come out to-morrow morning, but of course, if after starting, the steer comes back, it is still mine."

"Very well, Mr. Baker; I will be out in the morning." Mabel's words were brave enough, but she recalled, with a shudder, that she had seen cattle turn and run back, even from quite a drove, and she wondered if it would be possible to drive one alone.

"All right; we shall see," declared the farmer, with a good-natured laugh, while a feeling of admiration took possession of his heart. "Don't oversleep yourself, little girl, and remember you are to come alone."

"I shall not forget," Mabel returned, her sensitive soul rebelling against his proposition; but there was no wavering from her purpose. On her way home she decided that she would not speak of the affair to any one, for she had no desire for a larger street audience than was necessary. After an almost sleepless night, she gave an excuse at home for her absence and started on her walk of two miles to Mr. Baker's farm.

Farmer Baker had thought a great deal about his proposition to Mabel, and had decided that it was quite a good joke. During the early morning, he went about his farm, laughing and chuckling to himself, and he had just about decided to get out his horse and buggy and drive into town, when the clicking of the latch of the front gate attracted his attention, and he saw the graceful, resolute form of Mabel Sanderson coming up the stone walk.

"Good gracious!" he ejaculated, his surprise finding voice. "If here isn't Miss Mabel, right on time. After the steer, eh?"

"Yes, sir," replied the girl, with a noticeable tremor in her young voice. "Will you be so kind as to help me out into the road with it?"

"Ha, ha! Miss Mabel Sanderson drive a steer into town! What will all your fine friends say when they see you? I didn't think you were brave enough to face them. Oh, yes; I will help you to get the animal out into the road, but you must not blame me if it comes back," he agreed, with mocking heartiness.

Together they walked down to the gate and across the road to the large pasture field, where more than a hundred cattle were quietly grazing, and after calling to one of his farm hands, Mr. Baker singled out a large red steer, and soon they had it separated from the herd, and down to the gate.

"Open the gate, Miss Mabel," the farmer called out, as if it was an everyday pastime for the young girl to assist with the cattle, and while her fingers trembled over the latch of the gate, her heart was throbbing with fear and dismay.

"Go down the road a little way, so we can turn it toward town," continued Mr. Baker, and fearfully the girl followed his directions, wondering what she would do if the animal should start toward her.

"Ugh, the ugly thing!" she thought, as the fine young steer dashed through the gateway and out into the road. It halted a moment, looking curiously around; then, with a toss of its long horns, it started toward Mabel.

"Take care, Miss Mabel! It's coming!" he exclaimed, enjoying the novel situation immensely, while at the same time he was expecting the girl to lose her courage and he would have all his fun, without any cost to himself.

Mabel breathed a little prayer for strength and wisdom; then threw up her hands, crying "hey! hey!" with all the power of her strong, young voice.

Completely surprised, the animal stopped and looked at the girl—this was a new experience for both—and somehow that brave, determined figure must have made a favorable impression, for it quietly turned about and started in the opposite direction.

"Accept my thanks, Mr. Baker," Mabel said, as she passed the gate.

"Well, I declare! You don't mean it, do you? Why, I thought you were just in fun," he stammered, realizing that it was probable he would lose one of his fat cattle and that a girl was in a fair way to get the better of him. "Are you sure that you haven't got some boys hidden away in the fence corners to help you drive?"

"Yes, sir. Good-by," the girl called back, for she was obliged to quicken her steps to keep up with her charge.

"Well, that beats me," declared the farmer, reflectively. "She is a girl worth looking after. I believe I'll follow along for a little way and see how she succeeds."

For the first half mile, Mabel proceeded without any trouble at all. The animal would stop occasionally and eat the rich grass by the roadside, then go quietly on; but after a while a large black dog came out from a farm house and began barking viciously, and quick as thought the steer turned back. Now the girl had two horrors to face, for she was quite as much afraid of the dog as she was of her charge. Again she bravely faced the danger, and threw up her hands energetically, while her clear, ringing voice sought to check the animal and strange to say, with the same result as before. The dog also appeared to respond to that persuasive voice, and soon they resumed their march toward the town.

Surely a kind Providence was favoring the girl, Mr. Baker thought, as he watched the animal turn about, and reminiscently he thought of the time when it had taken four men to drive that same steer back into the field after it had bolted from the herd.

Once Mabel halted and looked back, but she saw the mocking smile on Mr. Baker's face as he came slowly on behind her, evidently expecting to take charge of the steer when she would give up and allow it to go back, and she nerved herself anew at the sight, then went resolutely on.

At last the queer procession reached town, and as it passed down the principal street, the people looked in amazement.

"If it isn't Mabel Sanderson! Did you ever! Driving a steer into town!" were some of the expressions heard upon the street, but steadily the girl continued on her way, although the color flamed red in her cheeks, and for shame the tears gathered in her eyes.

Soon one after another of her girl friends joined her in the street, until her embarassment vanished to some extent and her heart grew light, while she told her story.

The stock pens were safely reached, and the cattle buyer weighed the red steer; then he handed Mabel a check for eighty dollars. If some time, in the future all the wealth of the Klondike should be given to the happy girl, she could not feel more delighted than she did when her fingers closed over that hard-earned check.

As she, with her admiring companions entered the bank, Mr. Baker stepped up to her side, and said:

"There, Miss Mabel, take that. You are the truest, bravest girl I ever knew. The money for the steer is for yourself, and this is for the church you seem to think so much of," and he slipped a folded paper into the astonished girl's hand.

Mabel gave just one swift glance and saw a check for five hundred dollars. Surely it could not be true. Her eyes must have deceived her. Five hundred dollars! Her heart gave a great bound of joy; then she was sobbing like a child—in fact, something appeared to be wrong with the eyes of every one in the room. Even Farmer Baker was blowing his nose and wiping his eyes, his heart lighter and his soul happier than they had ever been before.

"Oh, Mr. Baker," Mabel began brokenly.

"Never mind, little girl, it was all your example. You made me feel so miserly and mean that I just had to write that check."—Adna H. Lightner.

Politeness Pays.

James Lucas is a village character not noted for being an agreeable man. The other morning a small boy ventured to say, "How do you do, Mr. Lucas?" A puzzled expression crept over Lucas's face, followed by a smile as he quickly replied: "Misther Lucas!" and drawing a copper from his pocket he handed it to the boy, continuing: "Misther Lucas! Arrah now, but ye'll have a pinny. Most everybody says, "Hilloo, ye ould cuss!"—Morrisville, (Vt.) News and Citizen.

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FORECAST OF FASHION.

Odd Floral Effects For Hats—Pussy Willows a Novel Decoration.

Flowers will again constitute one of the principal trimmings for hats. The manufacturers of floral decorations have turned out a collection more gorgeous than ever before. A novelty is an American Beauty rose with petals of buttonholed embroidery. Pussy willows are being used as hat decorations. These fuzzy little flowers add a touch of smartness to any trimming, and early experiments have proved so successful that it is a wonder some one has not thought of them before.

Flower hatpins should match the costume in color. There is a great diver-



HAT OF ECRU CRIN.

sity of shade in enameled orchids. Other flowers that are used for this purpose are violets, yellow mimosas and daisies.

The new bolero jackets resemble the Eton coats of last year with one or two notable exceptions. The Eton coat almost always had a plain, tight fitting sleeve, while the bolero of today has rather "fussy" sleeves, reaching to or a little below the elbow, finished off with pretty frills of muslin or lace.

Linen batiste skirts are more worn with the spring walking suit than silk ones. Well made, these batiste skirts leave little to be desired, as they wash and wear well. The most popular pattern is a triple corded stripe, which, if the garment be tucked, should come in the center of each fold. Hair cord muslins are always liked for summer wrappers for the same practical reasons.

The dainty hat pictured is of ecru crin. The high rolling brim is built up in the back with pink roses. About the crown is a box plaited quilling of blue malines. Two shaded wings give the skyscraping tendency so marked in all the smart hats of the season.

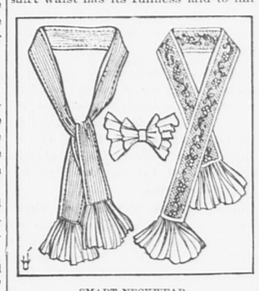
JUDIC CHOLLET.

SHIRT WAIST HINTS.

Tailored Styles Carried Out In Sheer Materials—Long Sleeves.

The severe type of shirt waist is here this season, but it is made in sheer materials, such as handkerchief linen, wash mull, batiste and dimity and the many soft fabrics that are classed with these.

An attractive variation of the tucked shirt waist has its fullness laid to imi-



SMART NECKWEAR.

tate double box plaits across the front. Down each side of the center box plait run narrow full ruffles of the material.

Scalloped turn back cuffs are seen on many of the newest shirt waists. Instead of being separate cuffs put on the finished sleeves, the sleeves themselves are cut long enough to allow for the cuff, which is scalloped at the top. Two sets of linked buttons are used to keep the cuffs in place, and the newest idea is to make them at home by sewing two buttons together on a long loop and buttonholing the loop.

Some of the shirt waists have the fronts and yoke cut in one. On the tailored models carried out in heavy linen this emplecement is scalloped and a small dot embroidered in each curve.

A shirt waist model is often cut with shoulders so wide that they extend over the upper arm in an epaulet effect that gives a military touch.

Most of the shirt waist sleeves are long, but some of them are cut with a puff to the elbow, where they meet a deep cuff.

The collar either matches the shirt waist with which it is worn or separate collars are used in keeping with the character of the waist. Turnover collers, hemstitched or embroidered, are the correct thing worn with a tie of lace trimmed lawn or a smart silk bow.

The long cravat seen in the illustration is of lace insertion, edged with plaited ruffles. The butterfly bow is of plaited linen and the long tie of lace edged mull. JUDIC CHOLLET.

☞The great, the sacred cause of human brotherhood has a future that is glorious. Certain phases which now disturb may be sloughed off and outgrown. Any given phase is not sacred; it may be; and it may be outgrown. No man can read the future. Socialism and unionism may be transient phases of the advance of the masses of men. But whether or not they be so, the cause of humanity, the masses, the men, the women, the children, who have aspirations, but whose dreams and whose powers are broken by the iron wheel and Juggernaut of existing custom, should, such and will one day have a full fair show for self-realization. Why? Because the future belongs to humanity since it belongs to Him who is the Elder Brother of humanity, at once the Son of God and the peasant carpenter of Galilee.—Central Christian Advocate.

—The easiest way to sprinkle clothes is use a clean whisk broom.

A Universal Remedy.

A few days since a well-built middle-aged Irishman entered a store, somewhat bent over and walking gingerly.

"What seems to be the matter?" said the middle-aged and intelligent clerk.

"O, a little bit of a rheumatiz," said he.

"Have you ever done anything for it?" said the clerk.

"Well, I have seen six or siven doctors."

"And they did you no good?" said the clerk.

"No, not a bit of good. Niver a bit of it," said he.

"Well, said the clerk, I will tell you something that will help you inside of a week, if you will do as I tell you."

"Is it expinsive?" said the Irishman.

"It is simply this," said the clerk. "Drink a pint of hot water every morning before you eat your breakfast."

"Well, that is aisily done," said the Irishman, and he did it.

The result seemed marvelous to his inexperienced mind, and will seem marvelous to many who will try this simple remedy.

It is a fact that the average individual does not consume liquid enough of the right sort, and a draught of hot water early in the morning seems to cleanse the secretions of the stomach, to promote alimentary action, to dilute the thick and sluggish blood, and to promote the excretion through the kidneys, the lungs, and skin, of the effete products of the body, which, remaining within it, disturb the animal economy and manifest their presence in neuralgia, rheumatism, biliousness and other forms of disorder.

Better than blue pills or spring medicines is this simple prescription.

Right here it may be said that Delmonico often remarked that few persons knew how to cook water.

He said, "The secret is putting good fresh water into a neat kettle already quite warm, and setting the water to boiling quickly, and then taking it right off to use before it is spoiled. To let it steam and simmer and evaporate until all the good water is in the atmosphere, and the lime and iron and dregs only left in the kettle, bah! that is what makes a good many people sick, and is worse than no water at all."

But water was a favorite prescription of Delmonico's. He made the hot-water cure popular, and charged them twenty-five cents for properly boiled water.—Healthy Home.

Reason in the Lower Animal.

We have a fox terrier whose happiness was complete until Dodgerfield came. She is very affectionate consequently very jealous. If look and growls would kill, Dodgerfield would die many times a day. Both dogs eat from the same plate, but not at the same time. One day last week we fed Dodgerfield first. The fox terrier was very hungry and begged hard for first dinner. Dodge seemed to eat more slowly than usual, and Nettie watched dolefully.

Finally hunger got the better of her honesty, and she barked sharply three short barks. Dodger left his plate and sprang to the window, looking excitedly up and down the road. Nettie looked neither to the right nor the left, but made straight for the plate of food as soon as Dodger's back was turned. If this was not an exhibition of reason and human intelligence, then mankind in general possesses a large degree of animal "instinct."—Dog Fancier.

Regular Eating Times.

Children are not likely to crave candy and other sweets unless a taste for such articles has been developed by indulgence in them; and their use, since they are seldom taken at meal time, helps greatly to foster that most pernicious habit of childhood—eating between meals. No food, except at their regular meal times, should be the universal rule for children from babyhood up; and although during their earliest years they require food at somewhat shorter intervals than adults, their meal hours should be arranged for the same time each day, and no piecing permitted. Parents who follow the too common practice of giving their little ones a cracker or fruit between meals are simply placing them under training for dyspepsia, sooner or later. Uninterrupted digestion proceeds smoothly and harmoniously and interruptions in the shape of food sent down at all times and when the stomach is already at work, are justly resented; and such disturbances, if long continued, are punished by suffering.—Good Housekeeping.

Smart Hen.

Old Mrs. Brown had passed all the years of her long life in the little town in Maine where she was born, and now that all her children were married, and had moved far away, to their new homes, she found her loneliness a more serious trial than she had anticipated. Then came a letter from her daughter in Minnesota, urging her to come West and make there a new home. So she packed up her few old-fashioned belongings, and in a week had turned her back on the old town that had known her from the first, and was off for new lands.

For a while everything was novelty and pleasure, but all too soon came the longing for the old home and the old friends. She thought of writing to some of them, but she had not composed a letter in twenty years. Still that was no reason that she should not do so now, yet doubtless it explains the absence of all punctuation marks. One can't remember every little thing, to say nothing of commas, after twenty years. And it wasn't polite of the old lady's very intellectual grandson, who when she gave him the letter to see if all the words were spelt correctly, laughted outright when he read, "We've got a big farm out here and a hen who's setting on twelve eggs and a pig."—N. E. Lumberman.

—Newspapers placed under carpets and rugs are most satisfactory, and by using a long stitch they may be sewn together on the machine, making squares as large as may be required.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, April 14, 1906.

The Republican Congressional Campaigne Committee in the fight for the Sixtieth Congress will have no lack of Western and Mid-Western representation. The Executive Committee of the last Congressional committee consisted of nine members but the new one will have eleven, the majority of them coming from out of the West. It is said that Western Republicans are suspicious of Eastern Republicans and that to engineer the work of the Committee from New York would be to eliminate from it the enthusiasm and aggressiveness that are required for a successful campaign. South Dakota, Kansas, Missouri, Minnesota, Colorado, Nevada, Illinois, Ohio, Pennslyvania, Maryland, New Jersey and Massachusetts are the states represented on the Executive Board. The six Western members allied with Illinois and Ohio, the latter represented by the President's son-in-law, Mr. Longworth will easily have it in their power to conduct the campaign so as to prevent or at least neutralize the predominance of Eastern interest which might be inimical to the party in the West.

The East is represented by but four men and all of New England has to satisfy itself with but one member, Mr. Weeks who however, it is claimed is equal in campaign work to any four ordinary men. It has to be born in mind by the Western men though that since they are running the business they will also be held responsible for all of the management and if there are any bad breaks made they will be laid to Westerners who are much less experienced and consequently more sensative to blame.

Secretary Taft has been called to appear before the Senate Committee on Interoceanic canals to tell what he knows about canal matters. It is said that his testimony which will extend over an examination of several days will be the last taken by the Committee and an impatient public is hoping that the question of the type of the canal to be adopted will then be decided upon. An ordinary Library would not hold the amount of printed testimony that has been taken on this subject but so far as a newspaper man can see there is no more chance for a decision than there was three weeks ago, or three months ago for that matter. Senators Platt, Kittredge, Morgan, Taliaferro and Gorman are for the sea level plan just as they were when the Committee began collecting evidence, and Senators Millard, Hopkins, Knox, Carmack and Simmons have never wavered from the conviction that the lock type was the one to be adopted. Secretary Taft will of course be heard with interest but it is probable that each side will find in his testimony confirmation of its views on the subject. Mr. Taft is not an engineer and he can only speak from the conclusions he had drawn from Chief Engineer Stevens and other engineers who have made a study of the canal project. There is strong pressure being brought to bear on the committee to force a report on the type of canal. If this could be brought about it would be a victory in a way for the lock type advocates as the President would then push that proposition. The House stands firmly by the lock canal and it is clear that the House could not be persuaded to endorse a Senate proposal for a sea level type.

Washington has been filled with visitors for the past week or two owing to the races here and to the cheap excursions that have been inaugurated by the railroads. The hotels, which lead a life, of many vicissitudes here owing to the long summer season when the city is nearly emptied of all but its colored population and to the difference and uncertainty in the lengths of the different Congressional sessions, are for the time being reaping a harvest to lay by for the dull summer time. Five hundred persons from Vermont descended upon the city last week and spent several days at the Capital. One of the Senators from that state said that they were all school teachers but another Senator from a more populous state refused to believe the statement saying the thing was impossible on the face of it since that would be more teachers than there were pupils in the state.

The City and Capitol guides make their largest incomes during the Easter season when the city is full of excursionists. Whether the visitors go to the National museum or Corcoran Art gallery or whatever the sights they miss, one and all demand to have Representative Longworth pointed out to them. Now Mr. Longworth being an active and restless young man spends much time out of his seat in the House and the disappointment of the visitors when he was not to be seen so worked upon the feelings of the guides that they hit upon the plan of pointing out any very bald headed man who happens to be upon the floor when a view of Mr. Longworth is demanded. Said old members like Mr. Sibley of Pennsylvania and other members have to substitute for the young husband of the President's daughter and the sightseers go away just as contented.

The Patent Office which is the only Department of the Government service that pays its own way and brings in a revenue to the Government has futher decreased its expenses by having the printing of the Patent Office Gazette, an official record of the work of the office in granting patents, published by contract rather than by the Government printing office which has done the work heretofore. It is estimated that the saving to the Government will be about $60,000 a year, and the appropriation for the work was reduced from $200,000 to $130,000. Adams.

☞To be content with what life brings; to accept stern and searching discipline with unmurmuring resignation; to make the best of awkward and undesirable things—these are the marks of a royal and beautiful soul. Our emotions are contagious. Without meaning to do it, we unconsciously quicken or retard our neighbor's heart-beats and affect his entire circulatory system. Therefore, always make the best of a sleepless night.—Pictorical Review.

—A strengthening drink for the aged is made by boiling a tablespoonful of pure honey in half a pint of water.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 1906.

San Francisco Destroyed.

The large and beautiful city of San Francisco, which on Tuesday last was the pride of the Pacific coast, has been nearly wiped out of existence by earthquakes and fires since that date. Early Wednesday morning at 5.10, before many of its citizens were up, a heavy quake destroyed many of the beautiful blocks in the business portion of the city, including the city hall which cost $7,000,000. Other shocks followed throughout the day.

Immediately after the first quake, fire commenced raging in different parts of the city, and has continued until this Friday noon, destroying two-thirds of the city; and it is now beyond the power of man to save the pitiful remainder.

The earthquakes cut off the water supply and dynamite was used on Wednesday and Thursday in blowing up large and handsome blocks in hopes to stay the raging flames, but unsuccessfully; and at last the supply gave out, and the flames commenced to lick up the millionaire homes which had not been much damaged by the earthquakes.

Not only homeless and in poverty are thousands of the citizens, but they are suffering the tortures of thirst and starvation. It is estimated that 300,000 people are homeless, and with great difficulty find either food or drink. The supply of water being cut off, the only means of securing any is from Oakland, across the bay. Mayor Schmidt is pleading for the unfortunate multitude, and urging all who can, in every city and town throughout the State, to bake bread.

The loss is estimated by the millons and deaths by thousands. The shocks were felt many miles; and there are scores of beautiful places, even as far south as Los Angeles, that have suffered. Santa Rosa, for instance, one of the handsomest cities in the State, has been destroyed and with it hundreds of lives. Santa Barbara, Redwood City, Santa Cruz, San Lucas, San Miguel, Hopland, Benicia, Fairfield and a great many more.

The noted Cliff House, perch 150 feet in the air, was swept into the ocean.

Our hearts go out in warm sympathy for the unfortunate three hundred thousand homeless, sheltered in the Parks by government tents. The cry for water is pitiable, and there is want of food to sustain life.

Every where aid is offered, and no doubt money and assistance will allay some of the suffering and distress, but the Queen City of the Pacific coast has received a fearful blow.

Many anxious hearts among us await tidings from loved ones located in or near that devastated city, and the surrounding country.

Mrs. Henry Edward formerly of Quincy lived in San Francisco at No. 1912 Broadway, and M. I. Cronin's address was 227 Second street. Their friends are anxious for them.

Dispatches from San Francisco mentions the name of Jeremiah Drinan, chief of Police, among the survivors. Chief Drinan was formerly a Quincy boy. He left here for California thirty years ago.

A dispatch from San Francisco at 2 o'clock Friday says that condition is unchanged. Tens of thousands are bereft of food and men are fighting for bread. The situation is beyond human conception.

Bread is selling at $1 per loaf. The fire chief has no hopes of saving any of the city.

Relief Meeting.

Steps are being taken in Quincy for the relief of the sufferers in San Francisco. This morning Mayor Thompson held a conference with several business men and it was decided to hold a public meeting to take action on some form of relief.

At the conclusion of the conference Mayor Thompson issued a call for a public meeting to be held in the Council chamber, City Hall Saturday evening at 7.30, which is published in this paper.

All citizens are invited to attend this meeting. Just what action will be deemed best to take will be decided at this meeting.

It is thought that the relief will take the form of a subscription to which all will be invited to contribute.

As many Quincy people have relatives and friends in the stricken city, from which nothing has been heard since the disaster, there should be a large attendance at this meeting, and the citizens should not be slow in coming forward to the relief of the thousands of destitute people in the stricken city.

Friends Anxious.

The family of Rev. Michael J. Carey, C. S. P., of South street, received a telegram Thursday night, from the office of the Paulist order in New York, stating that nothing definite had been heard from the priests in San Francisco but it was believed that the priests were safe.

Rev. Fr. Carey has several brothers in this city. He was attached to the Paulist church at the corner of California and Dupont streets.

He was sent to San Francisco house of the order four years ago and was expected home in June. When the news of the terrible disaster reached Quincy, there was a great deal of anxiety on the part of his family for his safety.

No word was received from him and nothing was learned until the telegram arrived Thursday night. It was a great relief to learn that he was probably safe.

Public Library.

In an effort to still further solve the fiction problem at our Public Library, there have been added this week in one of the Tabard Inn revolving bookcases one hundred novels, all fresh and clean and mostly really new copies. The Booklovers Library of forty is still retained, so that those visiting the library this week may hope to find something to satisfy the desire for one of the late novels. Among the newest of the books are the following: Barbara Winslow, Rebel; Randvar the Songsmith; Wild Wheat; Angel of Pain; Curayl; "No. 101"; Triumphs of Eugene Valmont; The Great Refusal; The Genises; The Arncliffe Puzzle; The Sea Maid; Folly; Called to the Field; The Carlyles; The Long Arm; The Quickening; The Shadow of Life.

The Wollaston apparatus was called out on a still alarm in the afternoon for a grass fire near the National Sailors' Home.

One reason why the people are disinclined to change the present tariff is its identification with the country's greatest era of prosperity, which still continues.

Another time when Secretary Loeb wants to ride a spirited horse, he will do well to get the President to tame it for him.

CITY BRIEFS.

April 25 is the date of the First church fair.

Miss Etta M. Prescott of Spear street is spending a few weeks in Marblehead.

P. H. Holman the South street painter has a card in this issue.

Mrs. Lilla M. Tibbetts has petitioned for a divorce from Frank F. Tibbetts.

Mr. and Mr. Elbridge Cross have moved from Hancock street to Upland road.

Miss Cora Schofield of Blackville, New Brunswick is visiting friends in this city.

Thayer Academy was defeated at base ball on Wednesday by Tufts College second nine 7 to 6.

The ashes collectors are now able to take care of all barrels set out for them on scheduled days.

Those large wooden urns on the posts of the fence about the Dorothy Q. estate give the place a quaint look.

Miss Clara Gustafson has returned to Quincy, after an extended visit with her sister in New York City.

The central station combination was called out on a still alarm Tuesday afternoon for a grass fire at Adams shore.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wilson have been visiting New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore. They are at present in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Hall, Jr., of Millsbury, are enjoying the Easter holidays in Quincy.

The Cranch school base ball nine met and defeated the Belmont A. C. of Wollaston on Saturday by the score of 7 to 6.

The street railway has its open cars ready for use and should Sunday prove mild and warm they will probably be run.

Civil service examinations for clerks, inspectors of meats, janitors, firemen and police will be held in this city, April 23 and 24.

Mrs. Stephen Penniman, who has been passing the winter in New York, has returned to Quincy for the summer. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. James B. Pollock.

Dr. Howard M. Kuehner, who has been spending the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Carruthers of Spear street, returned Sunday to his home in Philadelphia.

Miss Mary F. Sampson of this city took part in the Norfolk County C. E. convention held on Patriots' day at Stoughton, speaking on "Missionary committee work."

John Lennon of Upland road has moved his family to their new home at Marlboro. They will be greatly missed by their many friends and acquaintances in this city.

Miss Lucretia Pierce of Revere road has found that trees on her estate are infested with moths and that they are very much alive. Only vigilant work will stop devastation during the coming summer.

Those who depend on a barber for a shave for a Monday night event are hard hit. Often they cannot visit a shop before the closing hour of 1 P. M., and some find it necessary to make a special trip to Boston early in the evening.

Representatives Sandberg and Hultman were on opposite sides in the Legislature on Monday, on the bill for municipal ownership of gas and electric light plants, the former voted in favor and the latter against. The bill was rejected 83 to 108.

Disagreement was reported in the Suffolk Superior court on Monday in the suit of Mrs. Catherine E. Moran of Quincy against the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co., to recover $10,000 for injuries she received on Aug. 21, 1903, while alighting from a train at Hingham.

Fragment society of First church has been busy all winter preparing for a sale to be held in the early spring. The all day sewing bees have been much enjoyed and the results will be seen next Wednesday when the fair will be held afternoon and evening in the chapel. A salad supper will be served and there will be other attractions.

One of the prettiest subscription parties of the season was held in Colonial hall, Tuesday evening. The hostesses were Misses Steele, Smith and Babcock. The hall was beautifully decorated with crepe paper and artificial flower wreaths. Mr. Cuff of Cuff's orchestra furnished music for the dancing. Ices and cake were served at intermission.

In the court at Bethlehem, Penn., on Monday of this week, the case of libel was called, in which Everett O. Eastwood sued Effie L. Rhines of Quincy, and charged her with falsely announcing their marriage of Nov. 24, 1904. Mr. Eastwood failed to appear and sustain his charges, and the court dismissed the action, he to pay the costs.

The Y. M. C. A. home basket ball league completed its schedule last week, the Clams being the winning team of the series. The Lobsters took second place. The individuals on the winning team who will receive cups are: David Morris, (captain), Daniel Martell, Karl Tirrell, Archie Levangie, William Jones and Herbert Dickie.

J. D. McKay, Esq., delivered an address Tuesday evening, before the Fore River Social Club on "Rights of the accused," explaining the origin of most of the constitutional rights which a prisoner enjoys when placed on trial, and the reasons for giving him those rights. There were nearly two hundred persons present, and the address was apparently much enjoyed.

It will not be necessary for the City Council to rush the $20,000 order for installing water meters, as the General Court proposes to take a hand. It is said the Committee on Water Supply has voted to report a bill for a general metering of the water services in the different cities and town of the state, outside as well as inside the Metropolitan district.

All the members of the School Masters' club of Quincy were present on Wednesday evening at the annual meeting and banquet at the State of Maine club. The subject for discussion was "The ideal schoolmaster," and all present took part. Supt. Parlin, the retiring president, presided and these officers were elected: President, Charles F. Harper; vice-president, Austin W. Greene; secretary-treasurer, Frederic W. Plummer.

The local granite cutters' union are trying hard to retain the national headquarters of the secretary-treasurer in Quincy. Under the rules of the unions they will vote on a change in July, and as the next move will be for five years Quincy members wish it to remain here. There is a strong movement, however, to have the headquarters located in Washington. The union has decided to give up its printing plant which was run in connection with headquarters and the printing work will hereafter be done by contract.

Mr. Nichols, manager of the Citizens Gas Co., is to move to Quincy.

Mrs. Alice Litchfield was in town Wednesday evening for the W. R. C. fair.

The office of the Citizens Gas Co. has moved from Depot street to the Post Office block on Granite street.

After spending his vacation at his home on Chestnut street, Linden Hardwick has returned to school at Groton.

Miss Etta Brown of Washington street has accepted a position with the R. H. White Co. of Boston.

The Quincy party who have been taking in an excursion to Virginia and Washington arrived home Sunday morning.

In the superior court at Dedham on Wednesday, Arthur J. O'Neil was sentenced for from 7 to 10 years for assault at Quincy.

Nineteen tables were in play at the whist party Wednesday evening, of the Order of the Eastern Star. Prizes were awarded for the best scores.

Mrs. Frank F. Prescott of Bigelow street has been in New Hampshire for a week, the guest of friends at Manchester, Hooksett and Pembroke.

The game of ball between the married and single men of the Granite City club arranged for Patriots' day was called off for lack of a field in which to play.

Flags were displayed on all public and many private buildings on Patriots' day. The Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company had a handsome new flag.

Robert J. Josselyn, W. B. Nightingale, Charles N. Harrington, Thomas J. Foley and others attended the reunion of the Minute Men of '61 in Faneuil hall on Saturday.

Again on Patriots day the Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., bowling team deafted Grante lodge, Sons of St. George 1245 to 1222 and won two strings out of three,—413 to 414,409 to 388,423 to 420.

It is reported that several Quincy men were at the cocking main at Weymouth Patriots' day when the police made the raid, but being good sprinters they got away without being captured.

The picket fence about the Dorothy Q state on Hancock street and Butler road adds greatly to the appearance of the place. There is now no carriage driveway to the entrance of house.

The High school ball team met defeat at the hands of the Alumini team at Merrymount Park Patriots' day afternoon in a 11 innings game. The score was Alumni, 14; High school, 10.

Rev. A. J. Welboain, an instructor at the Imperial University of Japan, will address a mass meeting at Christ church on Tuesday evening on University life in Japan. Please extend the invitation to attend.

Admiral Bowles, president of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company of Quincy, appeared yesterday before the committee on merchant marine of the National House, in favor of the ship subsidy bill.

Nine tables were in play at the matinee whist at the Woman's Relief Corps fair Wednesday afternoon. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. McLennan, Miss M. L. Furnald, Mrs. Joy and Miss Emma Newcomb.

The regular meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday, April 26th, at three o'clock, at the Quincy Women's club, No. 148 Goffe Goffe street. All women are cordially invited to attend.

Adams Chapter Daughters of the Revolution and the Junior society will give all callers this afternoon at the birthplace of President John Adams, a cordial welcome as they are holding a ten cent party open to the public.

It seems a pity that Ward One should not be fully represented in the City Council this year, when so many improvements are needed in the ward, especially a new Coddington school. With Councilman Cannon in the south, the ward is one short.

There was considerable interest Patriots' day morning in the 5 mile race under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. There were ten starters. Dick Jones won the first prize, and Dan Martell the second. The time of the winner was about 35 minutes.

One of the employes at the paint shop of George Swift were severely burned about the hands by gasoline April 13th. The man had a can of gasoline in one hand and a lighted lamp in the other. It was while trying to change hands with the two articles that the explosion occurred.

Several of the members of Maple lodge, No. 313, K. and L. of Honor of Quincy, enjoyed the hospitality of their Deputy, Mrs. Nellie E. Hallett, at her home in Charlestown on Easter Sunday. On leaving, each member was presented with an Easter offering in form of Easter chickens and cut flowers.

A telephone message was received by the Police department from Portland, Me., April 13th, making inquiry for the people of Frank W. Morey, who was found dead in a boat in Portland harbor. Mr. Morey was formerly connected with the Hancock House, but has not been in Quincy for some time. Mrs. Morey is still in Quincy residing on Foster street.

Thayer academy opened its base ball season April 13th by submitting to a defeat by Adams academy of Quincy. The game was a tie at the end of nine innings and in the tenth Adams succeeded in bringing in five tallies because of Thayer's errors. Soule pitched an excellent game for Thayer striking out eight men. McKenney's hitting was a feature, he making two three-baggers, two twos and a single. The score was twelve to nine.

On Saturday evening Miss Grace E. Batson celebrated her birthday anniversary at her home on Hancok street by entertaining thirty-five of her lady friends from Boston, Dorchester, Roxbury and Quincy. The evening was of a musical nature, with a few games. Punch, ice cream and cake were served. The dining room was beautifully decorated with the Easter colors and there was an Easter chicken at each plate. Miss Grace received a number of gifts, among which was an elegant locket, set with diamonds.

Quincy was represented by a dozen or more at the reception and banquet tendered in Boston on Wednesday evening to his grace the Most Reverend Archbishop William H. O'Connell, at Symphony hall, including Dr. John H. Ash and wife, T. H. McDonnell and wife, Robert J. Teasdale and wife, Mrs. Mary Hart, T. F. Mannex, wife and daughter, J. A. Dasha and wife, and Arthur Murphy, wife and friend.

Automobile afternoon under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. was a grand success, from 200 to 300 taking part. Some cars expected were disabled and unable to report, but Dr. Hardwick took out 80, Robert Fraser nearly as many, and Dr. Johnson and Mr. Whitman a goodly number. Inside the Association building the ice cream, cake, candy and sandwiches found a ready sale.

The annual collection at First church for the American Unitarian association amounted to one hundred and fifty dollars.

There will be something for every one at the First church fair on the 25th. The special feature will be a salad supper.

Saturday, April 28, is the date for the children's festival at Quincy Music hall. It is anticipated that the attendance will be larger than ever.

There will be a repetition of the Easter music at the Bethany Congregational church, Sunday, April 22. The regular choir will be assisted by soloists, violin and violincello.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollins Abrams of The Greenleaf and Hancock house have taken the fine hotel in Concord, Mass., known as The Colonial and expect to have a house full of people all summer. A large party dined there on the Nineteenth.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Alliance will be held in the Unitarian chapel on Monday, April 23 at 3 P. M. This will be a neighborhood meeting and will be addressed by Mrs. Emerton, wife of Professor Ephraim Emerton of Cambridge; subject,—"The Unitarian Opportunity."

Mr. Brooks Adams, president of the Quincy Historical society came out from Boston to attend the old time district school given by the society on Tuesday evening in First church chapel. He was much interested in the production as it was given at his suggestion. It drew one of the largest audiences of the season.

WOLLASTON.

James P. Seely of Wollaston, whose mother and father, two sisters, and one of his brothers, live in Alameda, Calif., has received the following telegram: "All safe; no one hurt."

Miss Isabel Louise Albee, Miss Marjorie Rideout and Mrs. Stanley Hall of Wollaston, are anticipating a trip to Washington.

The Whatsoever circle, King's daughters will hold a cake and candy sale at the home of Mrs. E. E. Jameson, 58 Beach street, Friday afternoon, April 27.

Whatsoever circle, King's Daughters, will meet Monday April 23, with Mrs. E. R. Frost, Farrington street.

The public is invited to attend a mass meeting to be held at the Congregational church, Wollaston, on May 9, at 8 P. M. Miss Laura Fisher of Boston will address the meeting on Kindergartens. An open discussion will follow. Music by Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Follett, with Mrs. C. W. Smith accompanist.

Mr. William C. West has recently been appointed general manager of the Black Peak Gold Mining Co., whose mines, and mill are located near Hillsboro, New Mexico. This appointment was entirely unexpected as when he left Wollaston about two months ago he expected to return to Mexico, after about two weeks at these mines on expert work. Mr. West is a graduate of Tufts College, and has had about five years' mining experience in old Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Delano have returned to Beverly after spending the Easter season with friends at Wollaston.

John G. Thomas of Standish avenue, who has been seriously ill recently, was able to ride out on Saturday. His many friends hope to see him fully recovered and enjoying his usual health.

Ralph Foss of New York is visiting friends in Wollaston.

Philip C. McMurdie addressed the Wollaston Y. P. R. U. on "The Federation" Sunday evening.

Hose 2 of Wollaston organized Monday night with Gilbert M. Rhodes as foreman. Hook and Ladder 2 also organized with Albert P. Shea as foreman.

At 8 o'clock Monday morning Miss Laura Davy Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Howard, of Bath, Canada, was united in marriage to Mr. Arthur Emerson Sibley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sibley, well known residents of Wollaston. The ceremony took place at St. John's church, Bowdoin street, Boston, and the officiating clergyman was Fr. Pavell of the order of Crowley Fathers of St. John's church. The bride was given away by Mr. Gray of Winchester.

Uncle Sam and his assistants entertained the audience with stories and songs at the Wollaston M. E. church on Thursday evening.

William Weston of Wollaston is visiting friends in New York.

The Methodist church at Wollaston, is being shingled, and other repairs.

F. G. Thayer of Wollaston has accepted a position with a well known Boston firm.

William Hopping Seely of San Francisco is visiting his brother, James P. Seely of Wollaston. He escaped the earthquake and its horrors.

DOWNS AND PARK.

A regular meeting of the Social Science and Literary club of Atlantic was held at the home of Mrs. Thompson, 11 Squantum street on Tuesday. The study of Macbeth was conducted by Miss Edith Tarbell. The club was organized in 1896, reorganized in 1903, and State Federated in 1904. Meetings are held first and third Tuesdays of each month at the home of Mrs. Thompson. The club contributed to the Georgian Model school in 1905. Any members wishing tickets for the April meeting of State Federation of Woman's clubs of Massachussetts, April 27, may obtain the same from the secretary of the club, Frances L. Conway, 132 Billings road, Norfolk Downs.

The Squantum Yacht club held a dance Wednesday evening.

Lauris Treadway of Billings road, has returned to Dartmouth, having spent his Easter vacation with his parents.

The inmates at the National Sailors Home were delightfully entertained on Tuesday evening by Prof. Erastus Osgood, the impersonator, and Mr. Bertram C. Henry, the pianist. Among the guests were Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Webber, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Freeman and Mrs. Henry.

It is interesting to watch the dredger at work in getting filling for the Quincy Shore parkway at Norfolk Downs.

Entertainment and Supper.

A largely attended and very enjoyable entertainment, supper and dance was held at Doble's hall Tuesday evening under the auspices of Abigail Adams circle, Companions of the Forest.

Mrs. Katherine Cotter presided and the entertainment included recitations by Mrs. L. H. Blanchard, songs by Miss Henrietta Malcolm, Miss Margaret Muse and Thomas Flood, and character sketches by James Cowe.

A turkey supper was then served. This was followed by dancing. The floor was in charge of Mrs. Delia Griffin, who was assisted by an able corps of aids.

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QUINCY POINT.

Yachts are being launched.

Yards are being raked and the Point has taken on its spring coat of green.

Charles E. Hathaway of Hyde park is acting treasurer at the Fore River ship plant during the absence of Mr. Sedgwick.

Boys' meetings, from which men over 18 years of age are excluded, are held every Tuesday noon in the mold loft at the shipyard, with speaking and music.

Ernest G. Tuthill has returned to Westminster, Vermont, after visiting friends in this city.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Quincy Point church held a song service on Sunday at the Sailors' Snug harbor which was appreciated.

H. W. Merrill was in town over Sunday.

Mr. Merton Seller spent Sunday at his home in Woburn.

Miss Elizabeth G. Scouler has returned from Bath, Maine.

Mrs. Frank N. Heath has returned to her home in Stockbridge, after making a week's visit at her old home at Quincy Point.

Mrs. M. W. Carter of South street who has been dangerously ill for the past week, with heart trouble, is slowly improving.

Captain and Mrs. W. B. Crosby have been in town for a few days.

Miss Emma Hayden of Washington court is home from her school at West Hartland, for the holiday.

Edgar F. Hayden, the sealer of weights and measures, had 3,744 milk bottles sent him this week to be sealed.

Several cesspools in Quincy Point are in a very bad condition and the people in the vicinity of Claremont avenue suffer in consequence.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Scouler, Jr., of Philadelphia, Pa., who were called home by the serious illness of Mrs. Mary W. Carter, have returned to Philadelphia.

The boys club, the Huscarls, are proving to be good and gentlemanly base-ball players. Nearly every Saturday they play some neighboring nine.

James Corprew's Sunday school class at Quincy Point has a base-ball team. This class of boys is growing in numbers and in enthusiasm. Several of its members have not been absent from the class for the year.

Supt. Charles S. Sherburne gladly reported an attendance of 190 at the Point Sunday School on Sunday, the largest ever known in the history of the school. New classes and new departments have recently been started by the Superintendent. Only last week be secured a $16 new blackboard for the kindergarten department. Miss Margaret Thomas, superintendent of this department, has added several temporary teachers to her department, among them are Miss Helen Lincoln and Miss Esther Sidelinger.

Mrs. Charles Mock has been visiting friends in Quincy Point.

Mrs. A. R. Atwood has been confined to house by illness the past week.

Rev. William T. Carter of Glastonbury, Conn., has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. M. W. Carter of South street.

Six of the Quincy Point C. E. members attended the County Convention at Stoughton on Thursday morning and evening. The society had the banner delegation of the County.

Ralph E. Bancroft spent the holiday at his home in Stoneham.

Paterson, who will pitch for the new Fore River team, was in the box at Roslindale on the holiday in the game with Jamaica Plain, and won 3 to 2. Tate of this city also played with the winning team. Several rooters from Quincy accompanied them.

Great improvements have been made in the house on Washington street, now owned by Dr. Middleton.

The pleasure boats at Baker's yacht basin, are being repaired for the coming season.

The Daughters of Vermont are to make a gift to the battleship Vermont, now being fitted out at Quincy.

Several interesting ball games were played in the various fields at Quincy Point on the holiday.

The friends of Mrs. A. R. Atwood of Quincy Point are pleased to hear that she is able to be about again after her recent illness.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Presidents avenue is being resurfaced.

C. H. Grindell of Pleasant street, who has been quite ill, threatened with pneumonia, is slowly recovering.

George Ruxton, recently manager of McDonnell & Sons plant, has started in the granite business for himself on Penn street.

The Lincoln Polishing Company has been organized with a captial of $15,000 The officers are A. Bishop, president; T. Bishop, treasurer, and R. Bishop clerk. Their plant is located at South Quincy.

Chief Litchfield of the Fire department was elected a member of the Massachusetts Fire Chiefs club at its meeting Wednesday.

At 9.27 an alarm from Box 34 called the department to a brush fire on Verchild street. An alarm was not necessary.

HOUGHS NECK.

The summer residents have begun to arrive at Houghs Neck. Hardly a day passes now but several arrive.

Extra cars were run on every trip of the Houghs Neck street car line on Patriots' day.

Houghs Neck presented a typical holiday appearance on Patriots' day. While many families have already arrived for the summer, hundreds of others came down to do a little cleaning up to get cottages ready for occupancy. Several of the stores and lunch rooms were open and did a good business.

MILTON.

William Smith, aged 12 years, of East Milton, showed remarkable grit Thursday in the presence of great danger. The lad was crossing the tracks just south of the depot when his foot got caught between two tracks. At the same time a train was rapidly approaching.

Milton High was defeated at base ball on Tuesday by Cambridge High 12 to 4.

The lad tried hard to release his foot but was unable to do so, and it looked as though he would be killed. With remarkable presence of mind the lad threw himself over breaking his leg near the ankle. This released the foot just in time to save the wheels from passing over it. So close was the train, however, that the wheels of the engine pushed it one side. The lad was taken home.

—Milton High shut out Braintree High on the holiday and won 16 to 0.

At 12.02 an alarm was sounded from Box 23 this was for a fire on one of the awnings on the department store in the Durgin-Merrill block the awning was destroyed. The fire was caused by someone throwing a lighted cigar onto it.

WEST QUINCY.

Many contractors have been looking over the boulevard at West Quincy, this week preparatory to submitting bids for resurfacing the roadway and walks. Bids will be opened for this work the latter part of this month.

George, the 14-year old son of James McDonald of Copeland street was seriously injured Monday afternoon at the West Quincy depot. He was passing between two cars on a siding when workmen shunted a car into one of the two cars. The boy was caught betweea the bunters. Dr. Dion found that his chest was crushed and that he had sustained a fracture of three ribs. He was removed to the City Hospital. It is thought that he will recover.

The funeral of Mrs. Early, who died last week, was held Monday from St. Mary's church, Rev. F. Mitchell officiating.

James Nolan of Copeland street attended the grand ball of the Ladies' Catholic Club Association of Boston, at Hotel Somerset, on Monday evening, when officials of the state and city were guests.

The Copeland Baseball Association wishes to announce that they have organized the fastest nine they have ever had, and are ready to meet any team in the city. Games are desired especially with the Merrymounts, South Quincys, Quincys and Fore River nines. Dates can be arranged by communicating with the "Baseball Manager," Copeland Club, West Quincy.

The Granite Railway Co. is building two large tombs for southern parties. Some of the largest stones ever quarried are being used in their construction. One of the pieces is 14 by 8 by 1-3. Others are 10 by 9 by 1-5, and 10 by 7 by 1-5. The tombs are to be of extra dark stock and all polished.

Miss Mary Dermondy and Miss Margaret Dermondy of North Easton spent the holiday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Evan of Copeland street.

George McDonald the boy who was so severly injured at the West Quincy depot Monday, by being crushed by the cars, is reported at the city Hospital as doing nicely and will probably recover.

Boys Brigade Field Day.

Third hill at Wollaston has been considered a Gibralter, but on Patriots day the Boys' Brigades of Massachusetts showed that they had the pluck and perseverance of the Japanese, and by a systematic attack captured the height. The extended order movements were witnessed by hundreds many of whom occupied the besieged hill, and it was amusing to see them flee before the advancing enemy.

It was the annual field day of the companies of the Massachusetts division of the United Boys' Brigade of America which includes Atlantic and Wollaston companies. Thirty-one companies representing eight regiments participated. Most of them arrived at Wollaston by train or electric car before 9.45 A. M., and there were lively scenes about the station until ten o'clock.

A line of march was taken toward Third Hill via Newport avenue, Brook street, Safford street and Beale street, the boys attracting lots of attention en route.

The brigade was divided into three regiments for the attack, and there was a well defined plan. The first regiment continued along Beale street and constituted the chief attacking body. The other two regiments went up Winthrop avenue, the second regiment turning into Lincoln avenue, and the third regiment into Warren avenue. These regiments were used largely as a reserve but supported the first regiment and made a spirited charge at the last, making the victory decisive.

There were no defending companies on the hill, but there was an imaginary foe there. The attack was not made in one grand rush, but with all the strategy of war. Pickets were posted, spies sent out, and the companies were so distributed that they almost encircled the hill. When not charging the men were flat upon the ground picking off the enemy with will directed shots. One company would advance about 25 feet, and then another company, until the summit was nearly reached, when there was a grand onslaught, and the victory was won.

Each regiment was accompanied by a hospital corps. The corps from Dorchester with the First regiment was in command of Com. R. W. Morse, the corps from Melrose with the Second was in command of Corp. Morrison, and Act. Corp. Elliot had charge of the Wollaston corps with the Third.

Between 12 and 1 mess was enjoyed and the boys had a little rest.

The band arrived late and it was nearly 1.30 before the line of march was taken for City Square, Quincy. Mayor Thompson was to have reviewed the brigade at City Hall, but in his absence Councilman A. H. Gilson represented the city, Rev. E. N. Hardy the clergy, and there were representatives of the press in the reviewing party.

Most of the companies made a very creditable exhibition as they marched by. Most of them were company front, but one had the cross formation. They wheeled into Temple street, and then marched to Merrymount park, arriving about 3 P. M.

At the park the brigade was reviewed by Maj. Gen. P. A. Bridgham and staff, which included Col. W. R. Musson of Antrim, N. H., who was assigned as inspector for the day; Sergt. Fred B. Perkins, and Corp. Shattuck.

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ATLANTIC.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kolseth of Walker street are making preparations to sail for Norway early in May.

The engagement is announced of Miss Grace G. Coles, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coles of Faxon road Atlantic, to Mr. George K. Snow, second son of Mr. and Mrs. William Snow of New York.

Miss Ruth Bassett of Walker street, has gone to Dorchester for the remainder of the week.

The Squantum Yacht club has opened its series of enjoyable dance. The first one was honored by a fairly large attendance, although, not as much was made of the opening night as last year.

One of the charities in which St. Chrysostom's Episcopal church has interested itself is the founding of the Sailors' Haven in Charlestown. This refuge has saved the lawlessness which follows newly paid sailors in an idle space on land. The seamen are found ready and willing to have their thoughts directed toward the delights offered by music and elocution and into the higher channels of church intercourse. Monday evening many members of St. Chrysostom's church with numerous Atlantic persons gave a pleasing concert and social in Charlestown in which the sailors took active part. The program alternated between the visitors and the visited, and the tars were found to be jolly entertainers. Buns and chocolate were served and everyone was made happy in a good cause.

Cars are now running between Squantum and Neponset.

Combination No. 2 of Atlantic organized Tuesday evening with John McKenna as foreman. The company is the same as last year.

Miss Ethel Hill of Walker street has been the guest of Miss Bertha Crafts of Somerville this week.

The N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. is touching up the approaches to the Atlantic station, but is not grading them with granolithic as the residents of Atlantic were led to believe would be done this spring.

Open cars were run on the Neponset street car line Patriots' day. It was a little cool, however, for their use on most lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coles of Faxon road, announce the engagement of their daughter Grace, to George Snow of New York, formerly of Atlantic.

District School.

At eight o'clock there was "standing room only" for those desiring to attend the old time district school given in the chapel of First church on Tuesday evening by the Quincy Historical society. The audience began to gether at seven o'clock and soon every seat was taken; more seats were brought in but then some thirty had to stand.

The stage setting was particularly accurate being reproduced from an old district school room of years ago. The desk used was very old, belonging to Price Greenleaf, and there was a Boylston Adams and a Charles Breck chair. The scholars' seats were the rude affairs so common in old days. Instead of desks long benches were used for books, slates, etc.

The program opened with a short historical address by Mr. Emery L. Crane. He told of the old schools in Quincy; the teachers and anecdotes of their peculiarities, salaries and the customs of the time.

At half past eight Schoolmaster Hezekiah Pendergrass entered the school room and rang the bell. The scholars came trooping in of all ages and sizes, as is usual in district schools, each politely courtesying to the teacher before hanging up their hats and going to their seats. Tin pails and baskets contained lunches, and rosy cheeked apples, striped sticks of candy, big pickles and gum were soon in evidence.

Following the roll call and registering of new pupils, the school opened the session by singing, "Rosy Morning." The youngest scholars were called to the blackboard to read and made ludicrous mistakes. The older classes recited in history and geography, the answers being far from correct.

After the school committeeman came the scholars "extinguished" themselves in composition and declamation.

It could hardly be called an orderly school, as slates were continually dropping; paper balls flying about, and the scholars indulged in doughnuts, candy and gum to their hearts' content.

The school committeeman made the customary remarks congratulating Schoolmaster Pendergrass on his quiet, well behaved school.

Those participating in the performance were:

Teacher,—Mr. Walter E. Simmons.
Committeeman,—Mr. Emery L. Crane.
Girls,—Mrs. Isabelle Davis, Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Mrs. George G. Saville, Mrs. N. S. Hunting, Mrs. George L. Badger, Miss Georgiana C. Lane, Miss Charlotte Burgess, Miss Florence Faxon, Miss Hattie Sargent and Miss Annie L. Prescott.

Boys,—Dr. N. S. Hunting, Mr. James M. Nowland, Mr. Thomas B. Pollard, Mr. Wilson Marsh, Mr. Ernest D. Gourd, Mr. Charles Sampson, Mr. Houghton Schumacher, Mr. Gorham Nickerson and Mr. Charles H. Hardwick.

The program closed with an old fashioned spelling match, in which some of the audience participated.

Some very cute costumes were worn by those participating, the girls wearing short dresses, and their hair down their backs, and the boys had little sailor hats, blouses, short pants, etc.

By a close score the Abington Y. M. C. A. won in the dual meet on Saturday with the Quincy Y. M. C. A. at Abington. E. S. Bell of the Quincy team did the best work and George Tupper, also of Quincy, was third, but Abington won 1734 to 1680. The events included a running high jump, potato race, standing broad jump, fence vault and shot put. The other three men on the Quincy team were Richard Jones, Stoddard Hardwick and A. B. Hayes.

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The Trustees of the City Hospital of Quincy earnestly appeal for donations and bequests for the Endowment fund. This now amounts to over $60,000, but a fund of at least $100,000 is urgently needed.

Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) will endow a Free Bed to which such name may be given as the Donor may desire, but any sum for this noble institution which stands ready to serve us all in the hour of need, will be most gratefully received.

The Secretary, Timothy Reed, Adams St., Quincy, or the Treasurer, Richard D. Chase, Savings Bank Building, Quincy, will be very glad to confer with any one or to answer any inquiries.

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The Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association of Quincy, with a firm faith in the great value of the work which is being done for the young men and boys of our city, make their appeal for donations and bequests toward paying the mortgage indebtedness on the new Association Building. When the building is free from debt it will serve as an Endowment, as there is a goodly income from the dormitories.

Should the Donor prefer, such sum as might be given could be used as an Endowment for an educational class or classes, the Boys Department, or as a special fund in other ways, and could be designated with the name of the Donor.

The Treasurer, William F. Cummings, 7 Clive Street, Quincy, or the General Secretary, Ernest G. Gay, will be happy to answer inquiries.

PUBLIC RELIEF MEETING.

In view of the great calamity which has befallen the city of San Francisco, with its great loss of life, the ruin of its property interests, disarrangement of all industrial and business affairs, which must create great suffering and distress among many thousands of people, I believe it is proper, and the wish of our citizens, to give expression of their sympathy in some substantial form, and would ask our citizens to assemble in public meeting to be held in

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Saturday Evening, April 21,

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JAMES THOMPSON, Mayor.

Quincy, Mass., April 20, 1906. 2t

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Resignation of R. G. Proctor.

Robert G. Proctor of this city, private secretary to Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, has resigned. The resignation was promptly accepted.

The only reason given out for the resignation is the recent indictment found against Mr. Proctor by the Suffolk grand jury. Mr. Proctor did not deem it proper to retain his official connections with the government under the circumstances.

The resignation came as a surprise in Washington

—A party of Weymouth ladies and gentlemen have this week made a tour of the historical places in the North end of Boston, conducted by Rev. Frank B. Cressey.

Report on Canal.

The Committee on Harbors and Lands of the Legislature voted unanimously on Monday, to report favorably on the petition of the New York, Brockton and Boston Canal Company for incorporation.

The distance from Point Judith to Boston via this canal will be, but 75 miles, where the inside course through Nantucket sound is 170 miles, and the outside course 225 miles.

The route from Fall River is through Somerset, Dighton, Berkley, Taunton, Raynham, Bridgewater, Brockton, Avon, Holbrook, Braintree and Quincy, entering the Fore river a little above the plant of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company.

—Rev. Patrick H. Riley will succeed Rev. Peter F. McCall as pastor of St. Mary's church at Cohasset.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 1906.

WEEKLY ALMANAC,		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon sets
Saturday, Apr	21,	4 54	6 32	10.00	10.20	4.20 A.M
Sunday,	" 22,	4.53	6 33	10 45	11.00	4.47 "
Monday,	" 23,	4.51	6.34	11 30	11.45	6.30 P.M
Tuesday,	" 24,	4.50	6.35	12.00	12 01	7.32 "
Wednesday,	" 25	4.48	6.36	12.15	12.45	8.34 "
Thursday,	" 26,	4.47	6.37	1.00	1.15	9.25 "
Friday,	" 27,	4 45	6.38	1.30	2.00	10.10 "

New Moon, April 23, 11.06 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898
Sunday,	62	48	55	58	42
Monday,	64	52	47	61	49
Tuesday,	61	50	50	49	72
Wednesday,	67	52	54	57	67
Thursday,	60	55	55	61	51
Friday,	65	58	69	61	50
Saturday,	—	58	67	71	60

In calling attention to the fact that no money was used in Horace Greeley's presidential campaign, the historian of the period overlooked the rather insignificant point, that Mr. Greeley lost out.

The report about the officers and crew of the Oregon turning smugglers, was a good story, barring the minor detail that that was not true.

What is the matter with the West Quincy Improvement society that was formed last year. There is plenty of work in this ward for such an organization.

Artemus Ward said he spelled as he pleased "fur fun and uther wurthy objikts." The fun materialized, and it paid better even, than if Mr. Carnegie had been the financial manager.

There is so much to commend in President Roosevelt's address at the laying of the corner stone of the Federal building at Washington that it cannot be abridged. It should be read by every American and we believe it will be accepted as good doctrine. As he points out, indiscriminate criticism or praise of public officials is not beneficial to good government. He said:

"There are, in the body politic, economic and social, many and grave evils, and there is urgent necessity for the sternest war upon them. There should be relentless exposure of and attack upon every evil man, whether politician or business man, every evil practice, whether in politics, in business or in social life. I hail as a benefactor every writer or speaker, every man who, on the platform, or in book, magazine or newspaper, with merciless severity makes such attack, provided always that he in his turn remembers that the attack is of use only if it is absolutely truthful."

Further on the President says: "At this moment we are passing through a period of great unrest—social, political and industrial unrest. It is of the utmost importance for our future that this should prove to be not the unrest of mere rebelliousness against life, of mere dissatisfaction with the inevitable inequality of conditions but the unrest of a resolute and eager ambition to secure the betterment of the individual and the nation. So far as this movement of agitation throughout the country takes the form of a fierce discontent with evil, of a determination to punish the authors of evil, whether in industry or politics, the feeling is to be heartily welcomed as a sign of healthy life.

"If on the other hand, it turns into a mere crusade of appetite against appetite, of a contest between the brutal greed of the "have-nots" and the brutal greed of the "haves," then it has no significance for good, but only for evil. If it seeks to establish a line of cleavage, not along the line which divides good men from bad, but along that other line, running at right angles thereto, which divides those who are well off from those who are less well off, then it will be fraught with immeasurable harm to the body politic.

"We can no more and no less afford to condone evil in the man of capital than evil in the man of no capital. The wealthy man who exults because there is a failure of justice in the effort to bring some trust magnate to an account for his misdeeds is as bad as, and no worse than, the so-called labor leader who clamorously strives to excite a foul class feeling on behalf of some other labor leader who is implicated in murder. One attitude is as bad as the other, and no worse; in each case the accused is entitled to exact justice; and in neither case is there need of action by others which can be construed into an expression of sympathy for crime."

Farewell Reception.

The love of the United Presbyterian church for their retiring pastor and and wife, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Barr, was shown on Tuesday evening at the church, when there was a reception and presentation. There was a large attendance.

John Russell was chairman, and the ushers were Miss Jennie Russell, Miss Effie McDonald, Miss Alice Butler, Miss Jessie McLean and Miss Annie Russell.

Mr. Russell extended a welcome, and then introduced in turn Rev. Dr. McLeod of the First United Presbyterian church of Boston; Rev. W. W. Dornan of Plymouth, Mr. Barr's predecessor; Rev. A. R. Atwood of the Washington Street Congregational church, Malcolm McKenzie and Frank F. Prescott. All were complimentary to Rev. and Mrs. Barr and were interspersed with humor and stories.

Near the close a large rich quartered book-case was unveiled, and presented by Mr. Russell to Rev. Mr. Barr. It was a beautiful piece of furniture with fancy glass doors, and was suitably inscribed as a gift of the church. Mrs. Barr also received a well filled purse.

Mr. Barr responded thanking all for the gifts and the expressions of love. He spoke of the progress of the church, and asked God's blessing to continue with the people.

During the evening the choir under the leadership of Prof. McLeod rendered three selections, and were complimented by the speakers.

The ladies served ice cream and cake, and then there was a social hour when the people renewed acquaintances with Rev. Mr. Dornan, became acquainted with Rev. Mr. Atwood, and said good byes to Rev. and Mrs. Barr, who leave this week for Central Falls, Rhode Island.

Quincy Tennis Club.

The courts of the Quincy Tennis club have been put in condition for the season and are now ready for use. The club house was opened Patriots' day for the season. At the annual meeting held last week, officers were elected for the coming year and twelve new members admitted.

President,—Henry Holden.
Vice President,—A. W. Hall.
Secretery,—W. C. Sampson.
Treasurer,—L. H. Gilson.
Executive Committee,—T. B. Pollard, Sidney Carr, Dr. N. S. Hunting.

—The town having instructed the selectmen to grant the Blue Hill Street Railway Co. the right to carry freight, the selectmen doubtless feel that their responsibility in the matter is somewhat lessened. But now they alone must decide as to the details or conditions on which the privilege shall be granted, and that may be no small task. —Stoughton Record.

AMONG THE CLUBS.

The Friday club was the guest of its Brighton member, Mrs. Frederick A. Tupper, on Friday afternoon, closing the literary work for the season with William Morris as the subject. Miss Alice Putman was chairman of the afternoon. The business meeting will be held next week Friday, April 27th.

Adams Chapter, D. R. and John Adams Chapter, Junior Sons and Daughters of the Revolution are to hold a joint ten cent party at the birthplace of President John Adams this afternoon at two o'clock. Besides home made cake and candy there will be mysterious packages and fancy articles. Every one should visit the old house.

The annual meeting for the election of officers of the Pickwick club will be held next Wednesday evening April 25th at the home Hon. John O. Hall, Upland road.

Mrs. Charles F. Harper entertains the Junior Friday club at her home on Putnam street, on Monday afternoon. The American writes, Louisa Alcott, Edwin Percy Whipple, Lydia Childs, Maria Sedgwick, Helen Hunt Jackson, Harriet Beecher Stowe and Emily Dickenson will be discussed. This will be the last literary meeting for this season. The business meeting will be held on April 30th with Miss Fay Hitchcock at Marshfield.

Invitations have been issued to twenty-seven alliances by the Women's Alliance of First church for the neighborhood meeting to be held in the chapel on Monday afternoon. There will also be several special guests. Mrs. S. C. Emerton of Cambridge, who was to have addressed the March 26th meeting but was prevented by illness, is to attend this meeting and will speak on, "The Unitarian Opportunity." There will be a musical program and a social hour with tea and refreshments.

The Friday club is to repeat it Dickens' afternoon for sweet charity on Friday afternoon May 4th at the home of Mrs. Theophilus King, Adams street. The proceeds go for the Day Nursery work.

Members of Adams Chapter, D. R. were entertained on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nellie M. Farmer, Arlington, the occasion being a reception given by the Dorothy Q. Chapter, D. R.

QUINCY CHARITABLE SOCIETY.

The regular monthly meeting of the Quincy Charitable society was held at the residence of Mrs. Helen Bass, Hancock street, Monday afternoon, April 16th.

After the usual business of the meeting had been concluded, new appeals as investigated were placed before the members for discussion, receiving ready sympathy and relief, the cases so richly deserved.

The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Addison, Monday afternoon, May 21st.

QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

The choral class will meet at the club house on Tuesday afternoon at half past one and hold a rehearsal before the regular club meeting. Rehearsals will also be held every Saturday afternoon at three o'clock at the club house until after the concert. It is important that every singer should be present at every rehearsal.

Next Tuesday will be arts and crafts afternoon with the Quincy Women's club and the speaker will be Rev. Louis B. Cornish of the First Parish, Hingham. Mr. Cornish has been president and an interested worker in the Arts and Crafts society of that town and his talk will be very interesting as the club is now taking up that department of club work.

The exchange will be open during the afternoon for those desiring home cooking, etc.

Members should read their by-laws carefully, and see to paying their dues for 1906-1907 before the annual meeting May 8th. There are several on the waiting list who hope there will be some vacancies this spring.

The Quincy Women's club is now part of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's clubs, joining this week.

The executive board did not meet on the third Thursday of this month as is customary, the meeting having been postponed to the first Thursday in May.

NEIGHBORING WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Children's day was observed on Saturday afternoon, by the Monday club of Weymouth. Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney of Wollaston, told stories most entertainingly, and there was music by violin and piano. After refreshments dancing was enjoyed by the children.

Mrs. Margaret Deland spoke on "The duty of happiness," before the Home club of East Boston on Tuesday afternoon.

The New England Woman's Press club had an especially attractive program Wednesday afternoon at hotel Vendome, Boston. Mrs. George W. Solley, director of the Guild of Home Handicrafts at Winchester spoke on "One woman's experience with home handicraft." Rev. G. W. Solley gave glimpses of an antiquity shop in Massachusetts. There was a display of handicraft and lace making. A musical program was followed by a social and tea.

The Walpole Woman's club had a gentlemen's night on Monday.

A sewing bee in aid of the work of the social service committee of the Milton Woman's club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. D. Wadsworth, Highland street.

Brighthelmstone club had a district nursing afternoon on Monday when several nurses spoke of their work.

Russian Missionary.

The people of Quincy will have an opportunity on Saturday evening to hear a Russian baron tell of the revolutionary times in his country. Baron Waldemar Uxkull, a member of one of the oldest and most notable families of Russia will speak at the Baptist church at Wollaston, and a general invitation is extended to everyone.

His object in coming here is to arouse interest among Baptists of America in his people. There are 60,000 of the faith now in Russia, he says. Millions of others need but little encouragement to make them converts, although the wealthier class frown upon it. He wishes to raise several million dollars in this country for the cause, and it is said he is to interest some prominent wealthy Americans in it. He has made arrangements with the Consolidated National Bank of New York to receive and hold contributions made out in his name.

—Mrs. Clara Boyden, wife of Albert G. Boyden of Bridgewater, the principal of the Normal school, died on Thursday, aged 62 years. She was a teacher for 44 years.

Ministerial Changes.

On Easter Sunday two Quincy pastors preached their farewell sermons, and one church welcomed an assistant pastor.

Rev. W. B. Barr completed a successful pastorate of four years at the United Presbyterian church, and Rev. C. P. Mills a longer pastorate at the St. Chrysostom's church, and E. E. Craig of Evanston, Ill., became the assistant of Rev. E. N. Hardy at Bethany Congregational.

Rev. W. B. Barr preached an Easter sermon at the Sunday morning service and a farewell sermon in the evening. He said that during his pastorate he had endeavered to preach a plain, straight, practical gospel, and he believed that he had been understood, and that he had the confidence and sympathy of the people. They had been earnest listeners.

He spoke of the need of practical sympathy in the world, also more christian sociability and thoughtfulness for others. He would make the world a brighter spot,—a paradise. He told of those who help a pastor, and those who do not, and thanked the former. The church should not get despondent, because a pastor was leaving; they should "Never despair with Christ as a leader."

According to the rules of the Presbytery Mr. Barr declared the pulpit vacant, and added God's blessing on the people.

A farewell reception was given Rev. and Mrs. Barr at the church on Tuesday evening. He goes to the First Presbyterian church at Central Falls, Rhode Island.

Rev. E. N. Hardy gave public notice at the Sunday morning service of the unanimous election of Mr. E. E. Craig as pastor's assistant and superintendent of Sunday school, and extended him a hearty welcome. Mr. Craig was on the platform and thanked the people for the welcome he had already received; he should direct his efforts largely for the children. He read the scripture lesson.

Mr. Craig is a graduate of Toronto University, Canada, class of 1896, and of the Hartford School of Religious Pedagogy, class of 1905. He has been licensed to preach by the Canadian Methodist church. He comes with high recommendations for scholarship, efficiency and character.

Good Music Well Sung.

Before eight o'clock, Good Friday night, the seats of Christ church were filled by the members of the congregation and their friends, to listen to the singing of "The Crucifixion," composed by J. Stainer. The altar of the church was stripped of its hangings and covered with a black frontal. The members of the choir, vested in black cassocks, entered in a silent processional, and the service began with the hymn, "In the Cross of Christ I glory." After the creed and prayers, the oratorio was sung.

It is a simple, but impressive telling of the story of the Crucifixion in music; beginning with a tenor recitative: "And they came to a place named Gethsemane," the oratorio proceeds with the condemnation, the procession to Calvary, the crucifixion, the appeal from the Cross and the Saviour's death. The story is interspersed by the singing of Passion hymns, in which the congregation joins.

The crucifixion has been sung many times at Christ church, but never before by the choir unassisted by outside talent. Last Friday the tenor solos were sung by Mr. Arthur Peverly, and the bass solos by Mr. Fred L. Wheeler, the choir master. Other parts were taken by Mr. Bert Emery and Mr. Walter Holmes basses, and Mr. J. H. Stedman tenor. Mr. Wheeler has a strong baritone voice with many possibilities. Mr. Peverly, tenor, pleased with his sweet tone and expressive rendering; and the bass and tenor duet "For my sake forgive" was the most impressive moment in the service. Mr. Wilson Mogg of the N. E. Conservatory was the organist.

The Christ church choir includes:

Soprano,—Ellis Young, George Reynolds, Henry Warmington, Gordon Emslie, George Orr, William Clements, Virnie Birnie, Alton Chase, John Moyle, Robert Brown, John Murray, William Warmington, Harold Bishop, Samuel May, Edward Warmington, John Dickie, John Reynolds, Lewis Brown, Lester Andrew and George Spargo.

Alto,—Charlie Smith, Charlie Fox, Joseph Mitchler and William Manning.

Tenor,—Messrs. A. Peverly, A. Stedman, George Holden, Adams, W. Carter, E. Chase and W. Luce.

Bass,—Messrs. A. Emery, C. Prout, E. Ricker, N. Holmes, G. Hanson, E. Fowler and H. Bean.

Grand Fair.

The annual three days' fair of Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps was successfully opened Tuesday afternoon in Hancock hall. The attendance on the opening night was large and good sales were reported at all of the sales tables.

The opening exercises were in charge of Mrs. E. A. Penniman, president of the corps, and to her efforts, combined with those of Mrs. Mary A. Fox, chairman of the fair committee, the success of the fair is due.

The exercises consisted of brief addresses by Mrs. Agnes Parker; Past National President, of Brockton; Mrs. Alice M. Goddard, Department President, of Brockton; George W. Penniman, Past Chief Mustering Officer of the Sons of Veterans; and Mrs. George Dexheimer, President of the Ladies' Aid. The fair was formally opened by John D. Williams, Commander of Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R.

The tables for the sale of the various articles were arranged on both sides and ends of the hall. They were prettily decorated with colored bunting and looked very attractive. There was a large assortment of articles for sale.

These tables were presided over as follows:

Pop corn table,—Mrs. Andrew W. Gardner, and Mr. and Mrs. Chaplain.

Domestic table,—Mrs. Ella A. Hayden, and Mrs. Elisha Holmes.

China table,—Mrs. Edith Wolfe and Mrs. George Bailey.

Handkerchief table,—Mrs. Mary E. Powers and Mrs. Susan Hewson.

Fancy table,.— Mrs. Annie Brown, Mrs. Rebecca Longhead, Mrs. Annie L. Waterhouse, and Mrs. Marion Baker.

Ice Cream table,—Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, Mrs. Ann Wright, Mrs. Nellie Osborne, Mrs. Adelaide McGrath and Mrs. Celia Baxter.

Ladies' Aid table,—Mrs. Arthur C. Merritt, Mrs. Mildred Dexheimer and Mrs. W. C. Hart.

Grab bag,—Mrs. Emma Stoddard and Mrs. Etta French.

Small wheel,—Mrs. Annie Grignon.

Refreshment table,—Mrs. Electa Field, Mrs. Sarah C. Williams and Mrs. Emma Leavitt.

Magazine table,—Mrs. Katherine Cotter.

Candy table,—Miss Elvira Ewell and Miss Alice M. Waterhouse.

Tonic table,—Lyman Ewell and Charles Hart.

The large wheel in the centre of the hall was in charge of members of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, April 18, 1906.

It is about time that the Senate, the honorable Senate, felt the force of public opinion regarding the way it neglects to enforce rule 61, which were made to keep lobbyists at a distance.

The House has a similar rule regarding the presence of the public and of the lobby in its corridor and reading-room, and its rule is well enforced. Violations have occurred, even by invitation of the members themselves, but the Senate suffers itself to be infested by the lobby to such a degree that it is a scandal. It is the habitual way of lobbyists to enter the Senate chamber, to go upon the floor and to stand or sit behind the rail, where they can watch the senators at close range, where they can be ready to rush out and bring in absentees who are wanted to pass corporation measures or to kill bills which are against the corporations. It is a marvel that the Senate, considering how it is criticised in comparison with the House for its subserviency to corporate interests, will suffer itself to be open to so much legitimate criticism, whereas the House makes a fair show of living up to its rule. Here is a legitimate field for the expression of public opinion against the senatorial custom.

No insurance legislation seems probable to meet the problems which have been raised by the disclosures in New York and by other agitation if the insurance evils of the times. Monday afternoon the special commission to recodify the insurance laws,—ex-Gov. Bates, William Whitman and Former Assistant Attorney General Nash,—sent to the legislature their recodification. It does not contain a word of new matter, but is strictly limited to the purpose expressed in the resolve whereby the commission was established. They recommend that nothing further be done in way of remedying the insurance abuses until after the national insurance convention, which will meet in the fall, shall have shown what seems best to do. Gov. Guild takes the same view of the matter and sent to the legislature recommending that nothing be done at this session. From one point of view, this was a very singular action for the governor to take. Always it is the practice of the governor, whenever he wishes, to suggest legislation, but squitte ii probable that this is the first instance on record of a governor's sending a message to the legislature recommending them not to do a certain thing. However, it goes all right, and that is the main thing.

Mr. Luce of Somerville, supported by Mr. Dean of Wakefield, tried for the second year to get in his bill that the state retain the franchise tax on railroads, instead of distributing it according to the residence of the stockholders. They put in some remarkable figures. Nahant gets $30 per head of this railroad corporation tax, whereas Lynn, adjoining, gets 30 cents, and Swampscott, near by, gets three or four cents. There were plenty of other figures to show how the tax-dodging places get off with light taxes and yet have lots of money to spend, whereas other places pay more and get less. Nahant spends $50 per pupil in the public schools and yet it is but $1.14 of her tax rate. Somerville spends but $18 and yet it is over $5 of her tax rate. These inequalities are tremendous all over the state. But the House was against the bill, as it has been before. Mr. Luce expects that a bill be reported for a tax on direct inheritances.

John B. Moran of Boston, who expects to be democratic candidate for governor this fall, was boomed a bit in the House Tuesday by Mr. Mellen of Worcester, who described him as honest, capable and courageous. Moran wants opportunity to have police and detectives detailed for his service as district attorney of Suffolk county whom he can trust. An adverse report had been made upon his petition and Mellen got a reconsideration, debate to occur latter.

Tuesday afternoon, after protest by Messrs. Bossidy of Lee and Norcross of Monson, the House killed the bill to give a right of search without a warrant to the fish and game commissioners and their deputies. It was thought to be too much of an invasion of personal rights, but the law is very loosely enforced for lack of such power as the bill gave.

The Senate has put its seal of approval upon the midnight liquor bill this afternoon by a vote of 26 to 7 after it had rejected an amendment offered by Senator Felker of the Berkshire-Hampshire district to limit the bill to Boston alone. This makes it certain that the bill will pass the Senate unamended. Now the only chance of the opposition is when the bill comes up in the House for enactment. It is too late on that stage to offer any amendment except striking out the enacting clause. The last that was heard from the opposition, it was determined to make the effort to defeat the bill on that stage, and it is probable that the political argument that the passage of the bill will hurt the republican party will be used for its full weight.

The Senate without any debate, and by 13 yeas to 17 nays refused to order to a third reading the bill which the House had passed after much discussion to legalize the practise of peaceful picketing during strikes.

Another thing the Senate did, was to throw out by vote of 11 yeas to 24 nays on ordering to a third reading the House bill of Mr. O'Rouke of Worcester to require street railway companies to equip their cars with lifting jacks and other apparatus to be used in case of accident.

The Senate followed the recommendation of its ways and means committee and rejected the bill to require a civil service examination of men for the work of suppression of the gypsy and brown tail moths, the examination to have special regard to the eye sight and ability to climb trees and ladders.

Rule.

Sheriff Mystified.

Charles E. Dornan of this city, walked into the County Prison at Plymouth, on Patriots' day, and asked Sheriff Porter to lock his best handcuffs on his wrists. The sheriff fastened one pair on his wrists when he went into another room at the prison, but almost instantly returned with the handcuffs opened, and gave them to Mr. Porter. Four pairs of handcuffs were then fixed on Mr. Dornan's wrists at the same time. He retired, and returned in three and one half minutes with the four pairs in his hand opened. The sheriff then produced a special pair of his own, manufactured by the Mattatuck Co., of Waterbury, Conn., from which there seemed to be no escape. Dornan looked them over for a while, and had them put on. Almost instantly he released himself. Several of the jailors witnessed the surprising feats.

Delcevare King of this city is the largest creditor of the Perfect Golf Co. which was petitioned into bankruptcy on Wednesday, having a claim of $2,173.50.

Knights of Columbus Ball.

A Monday night following Easter would not now be complete without a grand ball by Quincy council, Knights of Columbus. On the elaborate scale these annual parties are conducted they take rank among the most brilliant balls of the season. Everything possible is done to make them enjoyable and attractive.

Lighted Chinese lanterns at the entrance to the hall reminded people that something unusual was scheduled for the evening. Within the hall was brilliant and attractive with large foliage plants and flowering plants on the platform, the front of the platform festooned with green, and everywhere American flags and the National colors.

An unusually good concert was given from 8 to 9, which included vocal selections as well as instrumental, most of which were encored. The instrumental numbers by the Vendome orchestra included:

March—Quincy Council K. of C. O'Shea
Overture—"Caliph of Bagdad" Cornelius
Enter Acte—"Poppies" Powers
Operatic—"Fantana" Luders
Finale—"A' la Minstrel" Ives

The vocal numbers were particularly pleasing, inclucing a tenor solo by Mr. Thomas Campbell, a duet by the Misses McCarthy, and a double quartet by Mrs. John O'Connell and Miss Josephine McCarthy, Sopranos; Miss Angelina McCarthy and Miss Genevieve White, Altos; Mr. Peter Sullivan Mr. D. J. Seward McCurdy, Tenors; and Mr. Joseph Barus and Dr. Reardon, Bases. Miss Mary McConarly was the Accompanist.

The grand march at 9 o'clock was a pretty feature. Although there were 164 participating, which crowded the floor, the manœuvers were all executed and it was an imposing sight when the sixteen coup'es abreast marched down the hall, led by Grand Knight Peter J. Cahill and Miss Nellie Riley, Postmaster Charles L. Hammond and Miss Catherine Roche, James F. Burke and wife, Michael T. Sullivan and wife, John J. Cunniff and wife, William T. Shea and Miss Shea, John W. Walsh and Miss Susie McKellar, T. J. Dunphy and Miss Alice Ring.

Dancing followed the grand march, and continued until 2 A. M. It was a very pretty party, all the ladies being attired in white or light colored gowns including many delicate shades. Most of the gentlemen were in full dress. Fully 300 were present, many enjoying the scene from the balcony.

During the evening lemonade was served in the rear of the stage, and at midnight a grand supper by caterer Whittemore which gave good satisfaction.

Grand Knight Peter J. Cahill was chairman of the committee of arrangements, and also the floor marshal. The floor director was Timothy J. Carey, and he had three assistants and a large number of aids. The chairman of the reception committee was William T. Shea and he had over thirty assistants.

Church Wedding.

A very pretty church wedding was solomnized Wednesday evening at St. Chrysostom's church, when Miss Anna F. Whiteacre, daughter of Mr. Robert Whiteacre of 236 Safford street became the bride of Alfred P. Jenney, Jr., son of Alfred P. Jenny of Plainfield, N. H.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Carleton P. Mills, assisted by Rev. Albert E. Clattenburg. Miss Margaret Mills was maid of honor and the bridesmaids were Miss Marjorie B. Lowney of Dorchester, Miss Alice Knott of Sioux City, Ia., Miss Maud Briggs of Atlantic and Miss Leah Hennigar of Wollaston.

Charles Whiteacre, a brother of the bride, was best man and the ushers were Messrs. Archie Briggs, Charles Kolstead, Frank Snyder and Percy L. Davidson. Miss Beatrice and Miss V. P. Whiteacre, sisters of the bride, were flower girls, and the ring bearer was Lester Fuller.

As the bridal party entered the church the vested choir sang the "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin, and at the recessional "Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart."

The bride's gown was a white radium over white silk and Mousseline de soie with yoke of Irish lace trimmed with rosewood medalion lace. Her tulle veil was caught up with orange blossoms and she carried an ivory covered prayer book.

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride. The bridal couple were assisted in receiving by Miss Harriet Jenney. Mr. and Mrs. Jenney will reside in Plainville, N. H., and will be at home after May 2.

High Shool Reunion.

A reunion of classes which have recently graduated from the Quincy High school was held on Wednesday evening in the school hall. Prof. Erastus Osgood of this city gave the entertainment which included half an hour of impersonations and musical numbers. Dancing followed and it was a very enjoyable occasion.

The hall was very prettily decorated with colored lights, greens and crepe paper.

The matrons were Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Allen, Miss Fish, Miss Souther, Miss Thompson and Miss Tucker.

During the evening fruit punch was served by Miss Houston, Miss Packard, Miss Fay and Miss Bates of the class of '06.

Untimely Death from Drink.

Thomas Joyce, aged about 35 years, an employe at the Fore River shipyard, died from the excessive use of alcohol at the Quincy police station about 3 o'clock Sunday morning.

Joyce came from Neponset Saturday night on the car due in Quincy at 9.30 He was in a stupor and the conductor H. W. Thayer, unable to arouse him to collect his fare, called Officer Goodhue when the car reached City Square. Joyce was perfectly helpless, and had to be lifted bodily into the patrol wagon.

Between 2 and 3 o'clock Sunday morning Officer Holloran who was in charge of the police station noticed that the man was hardly breathing and called Medical Examiner Jones. Dr. Jones was unable to do anything for the man and he passed away.

But little is known about the man other than he boarded at the Fore River house. In his pockets was a letter from his brother and a pint of whiskey.

Our Street Railway.

H. W. Poor & Co. publish from the pen of Hollis French and Allen Hubbard a 26-page pamphlet, scientific and engineering report on the Boston & Northern and Old Colony street railways, chiefly considered as a physical proposition, with a map of the two systems and half-tone cut of the interior of the new power house at Quincy, all of which is of interest to students of values and those personally concerned as investors in the securities of the Massachusetts Electric Companies, owning the roads mentioned.

Fore River B. B. C.

The Fore River base ball team will open the season on Saturday, April 28, on the new grounds in the rear of the Ship builders clubhouse at Quincy Point, with the strong Fort Warren nine as rivals. The line up will be as follows:

Duggan, l.f.; A. Dunn, s.s.; Donaher 3b.; Drake, c.; J. Dunn, c.f.; Mullane, 2b.; Birnie, 1b.; Rooney, r.f.; and Paterson, p. The umpire will be Joseph Regan.

Several games have been scheduled with Roslindale, Dewerys, Ipswich, Cambridge, Lowell, Neponsets and other teams of like strength.

The new grounds will not be enclosed as was intended, sufficient money not having been raised. The club has $168.00 in the treasury to start the season. Manager Black promises some fast ball.

The W. R. C. Fair.

The three days' fair under the auspices of Paul Revere Women's Relief Corps closed Thursday night. There has been a good attendance on all days, that of the closing night being exceptionally large.

A short but pleasing entertainment was given on the closing night. Sales at the several tables was brick and a good sum will be realized from the fair. The exact amount has not been determined as yet.

One of the interesting events of the closing night was the awarding of cash prizes ranging from fifty cents to $10, to season ticket holders.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

LOW SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning close of morning service. Special Easter service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. Mr. Cole of Cohasset in exchange with pastor. Sunday School at 11.50. All invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon service at 2.30. Series of sermons on the Christian churches. Subject: "The Baptists." The choir will sing, "The Resurrection" by Charles Fonteyn Manney. Sunday School at 3.30. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "God's Quest for Man." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. The Easter music will be repeated. The large choir will be aided by outside talent, with Miss Alice Williams, violinist, and Mr. F. N. Beale, 'cello. There will be special music both morning and evening.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Rev. Ernest W. Hunt, minister. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by minister. Subject: "Immortality." Sunday School at 12 M. All are invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "A Well in the Valley." Quartet will sing. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Topic: "The Lord's Day; How to Keep it Holy." Evening service at 7. Let everybody come.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Topic: "The Preparation." Sunday School at 12 M. Topic: "The Sinner's Friend." Junior C. E. at 4. Topic: "The End of a Wilful Life." I Sam. 31:1-6. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30, with reports from the County convention. Topic: "How to keep Sunday." A service in charge of the young men of the church at 7.30. Topic: "Choosing an Occupation; What shall I do?" Second in the series "Young Men and the Times." All seats are free at all services; we have a place and a welcome for all.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Pythian Hall,—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Everlasting Punishment." Golden Text: "We are not of them who draw back unto perdition; but of them that believe to the saving of the soul." Hebrews, 10: 39. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. at Christian Science hall, 460 Washington street, south of Hollis avenue testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5. All are welcome.

The District Court.

The liquors seized from John F. Walsh at Quincy were forfeited.

John McKennon was arraigned for drunkenness and creating a disturbance on a street car at Quincy. He was fined $15 for drunkenness and the other complaint was placed on file.

James W. Dundon was arraigned for evading fare on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. and was fined $5.

Joseph Dawson was fined $15 for

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Poetry.

The Little Country Paper.

'Tisn't filled with cuts and pictures, nor the latest news dispatches;
And the paper's often dampened, and the print is sometimes blurred.
There is only one edition, and the eye quite often catches
Traces of a missing letter, and at times a misspelt word.
No cablegrams nor "specials" anywhere the eye engages;
The makeup is, maybap, a trifle crude and primitive,
But an atmosphere of home life fills and permeates the pages
Of the little country paper, printed where you used to live.

How the heart grows soft and tender, while its columns you're perusing!
Every item is familiar; every name you know full well,
And a flood of recollection passes o'er you as you're musing
On the past and weaves about you an imaginative spell.
You can see the old home village, once again, in fancy, seeming
To be clasping hand of neighbor, and of friend and relative,
And their faces rise before you as you're idly, fondly dreaming
O'er the little country paper, printed where you used to live.

And you seem to leave the city, with its rush and roar and clamor,
With its busy, bustling atmosphere of turmoil and of strife;
Leave the multitude of surging, eager workers, and the glamor,
For the quiet, soothing blandishment of restful country life,
And you note a vine clad cottage, with the roses nestling round it;
Hear the voice of mother calling for the long-gone fugitive.
While the echo of her pleading, memories repeat and sound it
Through the little country paper, printed where you used to live.

Every printed line reminds you of the days long since departed,
Here a boyhood chum is mentioned; there a schoolmate's name appears;
And the eye grows moist in reading, while the soul grows heavy-hearted
O'er the changes Time has wrought throughout the swiftly passing years.
Memory's scroll has deep impressions stamped upon its face forever
Of sweet pleasures which the city life can never, never give;
And, in fancy, you are roaming through the quiet town whenever
You peruse the country paper, printed where you used to live.

—Sunset Magazine.

Notes and Comments.

—The editor of the Newburyport, Mass., News has entered the new spelling class. Following is his first essay in the course: "The movement for spelling reform which is now xtant iz one that will of korse sckure awl the endorsement of those who beleve that there shud be sum improvment in this direcshun. The people of this kuntry hav ben educating the yung people along the lines of old-time way long enuff, and it will not tak more than 76 or 100 yeers to get them out of the habit into which they hav ben led and start them anu in the method that sum of the speling reform men want. We kum to this konklusion from the fact that it has taken us about 15 minits tew think how poorly we mite spel this paragraf." Nuff ced. He can go to head of class.—Athol Chronicle.

—"To lift any race out of barbarism into civilization, the prime force is daily productive work in freedom. This uplifting work must be steady, day after day, and year after year. It must create home life, implant new wants and desires, and improve the means of gratifying those desires," said President Eliot of Harvard, in his address before Tuskegee College.

—Probably no one would be foolish enough to maintain that the destruction of property is, in itself to be commended, and yet here is the New London Day declaring that "a good fire is not a bad thing after all" and citing instances in many places where old wooden buildings destroyed by fire have been replaced by handsome modern structures, put up under strict building regulations, and adding greatly not only to the appearance of the locality, but also to the assessed valuation. Numerous instances will be easily recalled in which what seems like a terrible disaster has in reality proved of immense value to the community affected. Baltimore furnishes a striking example of this. In the great conflagration in that city a few years ago, property valued at millions of dollars was swept away in a moment, but the Baltimore of today, which was made possible only by the literal wiping out of a large section of the city, is so great an improvement that the people now rejoice in what at the time seemed such a terrible disaster.—Milford Gazette.

—It seems that the number of persons assessed for poll tax in Boston who failed to pay the same, is increasing each year. By the last report 183,421 polls were assessed and only 32,460 paid. If all poll taxes were collected, the income would be $366,842, but the city actually received only $64,920. Ward 6 makes the poorest showing and Ward 11 the best, with Ward 23 only a shade behind.

—The town of Dalton has a tax collector who succeeds in collecting the entire tax assessed in the town. He has a record of doing this stunt, for 15 consecutive years. He attends right to the business, takes pride in accomplishing it, and makes no distinction between the $2 poll tax payer who tries to dodge the assessment and the wealthy manufacturer. He gets the money from both classes. The tax collector in Lenox has a similar record, and although he has been at the business but three years his success assures him of a lengthy term in office. The Dalton man has been in the business 30 years, part of that period in another town. His methods might be studied with profit by tax collectors generally.—Hingham Journal.

—Although one of the mildest of winters on land, the past season has been one of extraordinary severity on the seas, and particularly on the north Atlantic ocean. Marine insurance companies complain of unusually heavy losses. They are not ready to give exact figures, but say that the destruction to shipping from the furious storms of the winter will involve them to the extent of $4,000,000 or more.

—When Vesuvius has finished its work of desolation, the inhabitants of the devasted districts will return again, as they have done for thousands of years to seek from the soil a living. The terrible monster has deprived the intrepid Italian of his home and fireside, times without number, and times without number has the human ant rebuilt its habitation and dared the volcano to do its worst. Greater bravery it would be hard to find anywhere in the world than at the foot of Vesuvius.

—There is a growing and an insistant demand all over the country, in the face of the present circumstances, that coal be placed upon the free list, and that a trial be given free coal by those who heretofore have been so fearful of allowing the American people this right that is their due. "The duty is more than the entire labor cost of breaking down a ton of coal in the bituminous fields, so that it cannot be used as an argument for protecting the miners and laborers," said H. T. Schaefer in urging its resolution, recently. This sentiment has truth to back it up, and it is gaining adherents from the most conservative.—Boston Courier.

—The indictment of Senator Lodge's private secretary on a charge of larceny of campaign contributions is astonishing. It is to be hoped that he can explain his connection with the money satisfactorily. If he cannot it will be most unfortunate.—Banker and Tradesman.

—New York city has several street car lines operated by horse power. These lines are operated in the thickly settled portions of the lower East side, and public sentiment is being aroused in opposition to the continuance of this antiquated mode of transportation in the great metropolis. The state board of railroad commissioners have been appealed to, and there is high hope that the commission will order that the four crosstown horse car lines be electrically equipped and provided with decent cars. The amazing thing to the rest of us is that these small, slow, dirty and cold cars have been so long endured. They have always run on a go-as-you-please schedule. Is there any one-horse town in the United States still using horse power, and such miserable cars?—Milford Gazette.

—One hundred printers discharged from the public printery for lack of work means that President Roosevelt will have to bear the brunt of the blame; whereas, the fault can be traced to administrations a long time prior to those of Roosevelt or McKinley, when the printery was allowed too free a hand in the publication of documents whose value was nil from year to year, so far as their profitable use by the general public was concerned. Too bad for the printers, but good for the reform.—Boston Courier.

—At last the movement to abolish that most detestible style of writing, the verticle, is well started. The school committee of Fall River has voted to discontinue it in its schools and the school board of Taunton are considering a similar action. Just how the fad ever got hold in the public schools is not known, but how any sane person having control of the schools in any city or town allowed it, is beyond comprehension. Let it be hoped that Medford's committee will not be the last in line to wipe out this system, one that is rejected by all business men as unsuitable.—Medford Leader.

Better Granite Facilities.

There has been considerable complaint among the granite men at the lack of proper facilities for shipping their product from Quincy Adams. The tracks assigned for loading granite are on the west side of the railroad. As there is but one derrick that is now used for the purpose of loading, it is no uncommon thing to see six or seven teams of granite waiting for their turn at the derrick.

The N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. has purchased the plant of the Mitchell Granite Company and will demolish the buildings. It has also secured an entrance from Water street by purchase from McGrath Bros.

The plans include more tracks, powerful derricks or overhead cranes and probably new scales which will weigh 50,000 tons. It will be good news for the granite manufacturers.

Unity Club.

The last meeting of the Wollaston Unity club for this season was held in the Unitarian vestry April 13th. A large number of members and friends were present. The secretary and treasurer's reports for the year were read and accepted.

Mrs. F. H. Bishop, the chairman of the nominating committee, reported and the secretary was authorized to cast one ballot for the club. The officers are:

President,—F. W. Plummer.

Vice Presidents,—Miss Turner and Rev. E. A. Hunt.

Secretary and Treasurer,—George E. Brown.

Executive Committee,—Mrs. Robert Park, Mr. Kingsbury, and C. R. Taylor.

A vote of thank was extended by the club to the retiring board of officers.

The speaker of the evening was F. A. Bates, of Braintree, who spoke on "Enemies to fruit and shade trees." Mr. Bates gave a most instructive lecture on the brown tail and gypsy moths, describing them in their different stage of growth. He showed stereopticon views of parts of Medford and other towns north of Boston, where the moth has carried on its work of devastation. He said that in 1900 this region was no worse than Quincy is at present. Mr. Bates portrayed the different methods of fighting the moths and concluded by appealing to each and all to help in the work of exterminating these pests.

For the Children

To succeed these days you must have plenty of grit, courage, strength. How is it with the children? Are they thin, pale, delicate? Do not forget Ayer's Sarsaparilla. You know it makes the blood pure and rich, and builds up the general health in every way.

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Regarding Pure Ice.

The reader is asked to consider the relationship which ice bears to civilized life, with a view of becoming familiar with facts that may be of service and which may shed light on this important subject so strangely disregarded.

Before considering the dangers of the indiscriminate use of ice, and the sources from which these dangers arise, it might be well to give briefly some facts regarding water,—its purity or non-purity and pollution; for what, after all, is pure water will be pure ice, and the ice formed from polluted water would be impure and dangerous.

During the past few years, investigations have proven that low temperature does not kill bacteria. Formerly no consideration was paid to the kind of ice used, for the reason that all ice was thought to be pure and absolutely safe, because it was presumed that any temperature below the freezing point purified.

Diseased germs have been frozen down to a temperature of three hundred degrees below zero. This excessively low temperature caused them to become inactive, but they were by no means destroyed, and became again active and full of life upon being restored to a higher temperature. For this reason, the consideration of ice and its purity as used by civilized men to-day becomes an important and serious question and worthy of the careful attention and study of every householder.

Polluted ice in many respects is more pernicious and farther reaching in its influence and ill effects than impure water, for those who are careful and cleanly and who observe the rules of hygiene in both their houses and about their persons, who keep familiar with the sanitary improvements and advances made from day to day and year to year, and are receptive to advice given by those who are in a position to give it, are often made to suffer through the carelessness of others, because ice, as now harvested, is rarely consumed where it is harvested, and thus an innocent victim may be made to suffer, because of the filthy habits of some thoughtless person hundreds of miles distant. Ice cut from rivers along which towns are located and into which much of the sewage goes, making the water unfit for use, poisoning it and carrying, as it does, typhoid fever and other germs with it, is frozen in the winter time, cut, stored, and housed, and shipped into market to be used indiscriminately.

A great many serious diseases, which have always been abundantly with us because we have not known what caused them, may be curtailed and their spread diminished by a little attention to sanitary laws and progress and by avoiding well-known dangers instead of harboring fancies and beliefs which are born in ignorance or continued with indifference. It is indeed a wanton and almost criminal disregard of well-known truths to use the ice furnished from many of the storehouses located along the rivers, ponds, and lakes.

Intelligent people need only to be warned and have pointed out to them existing dangers to apply remedies. There have been many important revelations within the past few years about the relation of good water to good health and bad water to bad health, and all of them, with very slight differences, must be applied to ice,—water in its solid form.

The purity of surface water depends very much upon the locality from which it flows, especially on the behavior and energy of the people who live in the vicinity. Whilst the degree of purity depends upon this, it must not be understood that ponds, lakes, and rivers furnish an absolutely pure water, as they contain foreign material such as dust and other fine particles, surface sewage and decayed vegetable matter, all of which make it unwholesome.

No natural water is wholly free from some foreign ingredient, and water which has received sewage shows millions of germs to every pint.

The sanitary problems which the use of natural ice for domestic purposes presents are finding their solution in the employment of artificial ice made from distilled water.

In the first place, manufactured ice, commonly called artificial ice, is frozen water.

To correct any misconception regarding artificial ice, it will doubtless be of interest to the readers of this article to note a few facts about the process of manufacture. It will be noticed that the word "manufactured" ice is made use of. The word "artificial" is incorrect. The cold which freezes the water is artificially produced, but the ice is frozen just the same as any other ice, excepting that it is pure, which being always assured by distilling the water and using the necessary precautions incident thereto.

The only chemical used in an ice factory is ammonia, and this does not come into contact with the water to be frozen in any shape or manner.

There have been attempts made to create a prejudice against manufactured ice because ammonia is used in the process of manufacture, and very many people believe that it is "chemical ice," or that chemicals are actually used in the water. That such statements or impressions are false and erroneous is plain.

In the common process of ice manufacture, the water, which has previously been distilled, is placed in large metallic cans of the shape and size of the finished cake. These cans are placed in a large tank, filled with brine, through which circulate pipes carrying ammonia. The ammonia passing through these coils of pipe, according to scientific principles, removes the heat units from the brine, and by so doing lowers the temperature to any desired degree, usually about ten degrees above zero, or, in other words, twenty-two degrees below freezing point.

This is the character of ice that should be be used by the families in the home for all domestic purposes, for the reason that it is pure, can be relied upon, and cannot possibly contain any harmful material.

Drowned at Quincy Neck.

James Costello, a Fore River workman, was found floating in Bents creek Monday opposite the berth of the Vermont. It is supposed that the body had been in the water since late Saturday night or Sunday.

The last seen of the man was Saturday afternoon, when he drew his pay. It is supposed that he visited Boston that night, and in some way fell into the creek on his return.

But little is known about the man other than he boarded at 86 East Howard street. He was apparently about 30 years of age. The body was removed to Hall's undertaking rooms.

City Council Meeting.

An interesting debate on water meters was the feature of Monday night's meeting of the City Council. The debate arose over adopting the recommendation of the Finance Committee to refer the order for $20,000 for water meters to the Joint Committee on Ordinances, Water Supply and Finance to draw up an ordinance. After an hour's spirited debate the recommendation was adopted.

Councilmen Cannon, Flaherty, Ferguson, Gilson and Nichols were absent.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were received from the Mayor giving notice of a hearing by the Harbor and Land Commission on petition of the Tide Water Broken Stone Co., to build wharf in Rock Island cove. To Committee on Legislative Matters.

From the Mayor appointing Edgar F. Hayden as sealer of weights and measures. Confirmed.

From the Mayor appointing Michael B. Geary as registrar of voters for three years. Confirmed.

From the Mayor enclosing petition of the Commonwealth Cemetery Corporation for a right to conduct a cemetery in the city of Quincy. To Committee on Public Buildings.

From the Polar Star Athletic Association inviting the members of the City Council to attend its exhibition. On file.

From Mayor enclosing petition of the Citizens' Gas Light Co. for permission to lay gas mains. To Committee on Streets.

The Mayor forwarded a communication announcing the appointment of the following assistant assessors: Ward One, Geo. K. Moorehead, Ward Two, Joseph A. Delory; Ward Three William Pratt; Ward Four, Robert J. Hayes; Ward Five, Charles R. Sherman; and Ward Six, Lyndon D. Gurney. Placed on file.

PETITIONS.

The Old Colony Street Railway petitioned for the approval of its operating a trolley freight from the Quincy Point bridge to City square; on Quincy avenue between the Braintree line and School street; on Willard street from the Milton line; Copeland and Water streets to Franklin street; from City square to the end of the line at Houghs Neck; from the junction of Adams and Hancock streets, over Adams street, Newport avenue, Beall, Farrington and Squantum streets; to Hancock street, around Norfolk Downs; from Hancock street over new Sagamore street, Atlantic street, Newbury avenue, Billings and Squantum streets to the end of the line at Squantum. Referred to the Committee on Streets.

A large number of petition for minor licenses were received and referred.

A petition was received for resurfacing of the sidewalks on Pond and Milk streets. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Stone presented a petition for the acceptance of Pray street. To Committee on Streets.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets reported leave to withdraw on the petition of the Quincy Gas Light Co. for approval of its franchise. Accepted.

The Committee on Public Buildings reported reference to the Committee on Streets of petition 48 of 1904 to lay out land as park at junction of Standish and Old Colony avenues. Accepted.

The Committee on Streets reported an amendment to the order for street watering, making the item "Newport avenue from Warren avenue to Brook street" read "Newport avenue from Lincoln avenue to Brook street." Rules suspended and order passed.

The Committee on Fire Department reported ought to pass on the order accepting certain sections of Chapter 108 of the Revised Laws relating to reserve police. Rules suspended and order passed.

The Committee on Finance reported no legislation necessary on the communication from the Mayor relative to bills for aid rendered soldiers, as the matter had been taken care of in the appropriation order. Accepted.

The Committee on Finance reported no legislation necessary on the order for $2,500 for collection of ashes as the matter had been provided for in the appropriation order. Accepted.

WATER METERS.

The Finance Committee reported recommending that the order appropriating $20,000 for the purchase and installation of water meters be referred to the joint Committee on Ordinance and Water Supply and Finance to draw up an ordinance.

Councilman Stone was called to the chair.

President Piper, taking the floor, opposed the adoption of the recommendation. Every one realizes the importance of this matter. It was very essential to get at it as soon as possible. It will be several weeks before the committee could report an ordinance. It was outside the jurisdiction of the Council to instruct the Commissioner how to install meters.

Our superintendent is one of the best in the state. He thoroughly understands the matter, and it should be left to him where he shall put meters.

Councilman Polk—We should have an order which the department could work under instead of going at it in a haphazard way. No details were furnished the committee. It was the Committee's opinion to refer to joint committe that an ordinance could be drawn up under which the Commissioner could act.

Councilman Hull—The Commissioner seems to think it advisable to have some ordinance where meters should be placed.

Councilman Crane asked if the Finance Committee did not amend the order to $17,000.

Councilman Polk replied no.

Councilman Spargo—That was talked over. It was said that $17,000 was all we could appropriate under the water act if the order for $25,000 for extensions passed.

Councilman Piper asked what the committee had in mind for an ordinance.

Councilman Hull—That has not been gone into. Some are in favor of having all buildings with more than three faucets, metered. Some certain line of systematic work should be adopted.

Councilman Moir—The Commissioner has power under the water act to go ahead as he sees fit. He could expend what money he had and then ask for more.

In reply to a question by Councilman Hull, Councilman Polk said we have but $42,000 remaining of the $400,000 authorized by Chapter 401 of 1891 for water extensions. One of the two orders must be cut.

Councilman Bass asked if the act said anything about incurring loans for installing meters.

City Solicitor Thomas replied that he had looked into the act and that it was broad enough to unable the installation of a meter system.

Councilman Chase—Without any statement as to what system is to be adopted the matter should be considered. The reference to this joint committee will give us an opportunity to find out. He hoped an ordinance would be passed designating in detail how money should be expended.

Councilman Piper—We might as well create an ordinance telling the commissioners how to care for public buildings. The Superintendent said it was his idea to commence at some point and meter every service. The losses are not on the full plumbed houses but on the one and two faucet houses.

Councilman Moir—We must consider $20,000 will not meter the whole city. If the metering is not done as we want it then we can make an ordinance.

In reply to a question by Councilman Hull, Commissioner Burke said he did not tell him he wanted an ordinance, but that he would be satisfied with anything the Council passed.

Councilman Bass—In the first place the water rates have got to be overhauled. The questions of rates should be considered at the same time.

Councilman Hunter opposed acceptance of recommendation. We should put this matter where we can get at it.

Councilman Polk no one can now say what ordinance should be reported.

Councilman Chase objected to having the Commissioner going ahead and doing as he saw fit.

Councilman Moir—If the Finance Committee had been alert they would have known that every manufacturing plant was using meters. We cannot say what the rate for houses will be until we know what we are to do.

Councilman Sawyer—No department official had a statement to make, as to how this money should be used. We should have some idea where to start in before we appropriate this money.

Councilman Chase was anxious to see a scheme embraced as soon as possible.

Councilman Moir—An ordinance at this time would be of no assistance whatever.

Mayor Thompson—All agree that meters shall be installed. He felt that not less than $20,000 should be expended this year. In about three years at this rate all services would be metered. If no steps are taken now on this matter, and later the other order passed, this order must be changed. As to the cost of meters, the kind the superintendent wants, cost about $10.50 each.

The question is, are we to prolong this matter. In regard to where a beginning shall be made, it makes no difference. The income from services is not sufficient to meet changes the law says shall be made. In order to make up the deficiency we have had to carry part in the tax rate. We cannot change the charge for water until we have at least two-thirds of the services metered and some data.

What difference does it make where you begin if you take every service. We cannot reduce the receipts. We ought to increase them. There was no justification for a change until we know. It may be sometime after the order is placed for meters before we get them. We cannot begin any too soon.

Previous to Jan. 1, all takers under contract were notified that after Jan. 1 they would be charged meter rates. All with one or two exceptions had been connected with meters early this month. New houses are metered upon request.

Councilman Moir moved the previous questions. Voted.

The question was then on the adoption of the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

The recommendation was adopted by a vote of 10 in favor and 7 against.

Councilman Moir moved reconsideration. Lost; 8 voting in the affirmative and 9 against.

WATER EXTENSIONS.

The Finance Committee reported an amendment to the order for $25,000 for water extentions by adding a borrowing clause.

Upon motions of Councilman Polk the order was amended to make the amount $20,000.

Rules suspended and order passed.

A recess was taken for five minutes.

RESERVE POLICE.

Councilman Stone offered an order amending the Police ordinance so as to provide for a reserve police force of seven men, who shall receive $2.50 per day when detailed for duty. To Committee on Fire and Police and Ordinances.

Councilman Gelotte offered an order for two lights on Upland road. To Committee on Streets.

Upon motion of Councilman Sawyer it was voted that when the Council adjourn it be until April 23.

Upon motions of Councilman Stone the joint committee on water meter was requested to report at the next meeting.

GAS HEARING.

After recess the Committee on Streets reported an order for a public hearing May 2 on the petition of the Citizens' Gas Co. to lay mains.

CALENDAR.

The order granting the American Telegraph and Telephone Co. a location on Adams and Common streets was passed under suspensions of the rules.

Adjourned at 9.46 until April 23.

A Fast Runner.

H. F. Miller, Jr., of Wollaston a graduate of the Quincy High, was winner of the mile run at the annual spring handicap games at Harvard college April 13th in a spirited contest.

The Globe says: "The mile run developed some fine sport in the last two laps. Minot, Hubbard, Turner, Dana and Miller changed their order several times before Turner finally hit up a killing pace. The other two men stuck to him, and on the back stretch Miller forged ahead, to take a lead that won him the race. At the finish he was four yards ahead of Turner and 11 ahead of Minot."

The Herald says: "In the mile run H. F. Miller, Jr., '08, the old Marathon runner, came to the front and run a grand race, defeating Howard Turner, Harvard's best miler, in good style. Miller kept well up with the bunch, starting from the 10-yard mark, and did not make any attempt to forge ahead until the fourth lap. Turner was running along easily in the lead, when Miller began to creep up on him with about an eight of a mile to go. At the third turn Miller passed him and beat Turner by about five yards. The time was 4m. 31 4-5s., six seconds slower than the record for distance at Harvard."

A Good Worker.

Practical Politics says: "One man who, more than any other perhaps, has had a big hand in the forwarding of the public opinion bill has been Representative Hultman of Quincy. To the majority of the republicans this measure had quite a socialistic flavor, and there were many ready to shy stones at it. But Hultman maintained, and with considerable force, that whether it had that flavor or not he believed in it, and insisted that it would be vastly better for the whole people if they had more of a say in legislation before it was forced on them. It was his tenacity on the matter that helped to save the day for it."

It was this measure which prevented Mr. Hultman from viewing the Brockton canal route recently with the committee, he being in charge of the bill that week.

Easter in the Churches.

Easter Sunday which in the early morning gave promise of a fair day was somewhat of a disappointment. The rain, however, did not come until after the hour for the morning service. Many got caught in the smart shower that began shortly before noon. Special services were held in all the local churches and large congregations were reported at each. Music was a special feature. Following were the observances at some of the churches.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Music was a special feature at all of the services at Christ church. The first service was at 7.30 A. M. at which holy communion was celebrated. Easter carols were sung by the choir.

At 10.30 there was morning prayers and holy communion. A very elaborate musical program was rendered by the choir under the direction of Fred L. Wheeler. The rector, Rev. William E. Gardner, preached a sermon appropriate to the day.

A service for children of the Sunday school was held in the afternoon at 4 o'clock. There was singing of Easter carols by the Sunday school, and distribution of plants to the members of the school.

The evening service was at 7 o'clock, and included preaching by the rector, and special music by the choir. All of the services were very largely attended. The interior of the church, especially about the chancel, was decorated with flowers of which lilies formed a large part.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL.

Large congregations enjoyed the Easter services on Sunday. Easter lilies were used for decoration. Instrumental as well as vocal music was a prominent feature of the services, some excellent soloists assisting the choir. The pastor's subject in the morning was "Life's forward look." An excellent Easter concert was given in the evening under the direction of Mr. W. E. Blanchard and Mrs. S. I. Wood.

FIRST CHURCH.

Easter lilies were used about the pulpit of First church with good effect for the Easter services. The church quartette was augmented by a 'cello and violin, with most pleasing results. The Easter music was well selected and rendered. Rev. Ellery Channing Butler preached a strong sermon taking for his text, "They have taken away my Lord, and I know not where they have laid Him." At the end of the days service the Easter lilies were distributed to the sick and shut-ins.

The processional was a pretty part of the Sunday school service at the First church. There were Easter hymns and carols, remarks by the superintendent and pastor, recitals of scripture, poem, etc. Plants were presented to the children.

AT WOLLASTON.

Easter concerts were given by most of the Wollaston Sunday schools on Sunday. At the Unitarian church the service was was held at the regular Sunday school hour. Easter hymns were sung and recitations given by some of the younger scholars.

In the afternoon there was a fine concert at St. Chrysostom's church including recitations and carols.

At the Congregational church a varied program was given included Easter carols with orchestra accompaniment.

Sunday evening there was one of the best concerts at the Park and Downs church which the Sunday school has ever held. It included recitations and appropriate music.

The Baptist Sunday school also gave a concert in the evening. There were exercises by the scholars, Easter hymns and a prayer and address by the pastor.

AT ATLANTIC.

The Easter concert at Atlantic Memorial church Sunday evening was largely attended and meritorious in every detail. The program, given by members of the Sunday-school included an address of welcome, songs and solos, recitations, exercises, readings, a pretty floral acrostic, etc.

AT QUINCY POINT.

The threatening sky of Sunday morning, did not prevent a large congregation from participating in the Easter service at the Point church. The chorus-choir, under the competent direction of Mr. T. B. Pollard, sang six times very well; three Easter anthems and three hymns. The pastor preached from the text "Who shall roll us away the stone from the door of the tomb?" Anticipated difficulties need be no drawback to true progress both in the material and spiritual realm. The pastor was assisted in the service by his father, Rev. Lewis P. Atwood. The floral decorations, consisting of Easter and calla lilies, roses, ferns and potted-plants covered the platform and presented an artistic arrangement and beautiful picture of Easter purity.

The Sunday school gave a good concert in the evening to a large and appreciative audience.

OTHER CHURCHES.

Rain was falling in torrents at 2.30 the hour of the Easter service at the Universalist church, preventing a large attendance.

Music was a feature of the services at the Catholic services which were all largely attended.

Granite City Club.

The annual meeting of the Granite City Club was held Saturday evening. There was practically no contest over the principal offices. The reports of the various officers for the past year were very gratifying. They showed all bills paid and a good balance in the treasury. The membership was reported as 103 a slight gain over the previous year. When it is considered that during the year there have been a number who have severed their connection with the club the net gain is a good one.

The officers elect:

President,—Dr. Charles W. Garey.

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Treasurer,—W. W. Ewell.

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House Committee, — John Q. Cudworth.

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Entertainment Committee, — Charles H. Burgess, Hallock H. Hill and Herman F. McIntire.

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A rising vote of thanks was extended to Dr. F. E. Jones, the retiring president for his very efficient services for the past three years.

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—The new Industrial Committee of Weymouth will have committees on reception and entertainment of visitors, on publicity, on promotion of local trade, on transportation, on available lands and buildings, on new enterprises and outside business, and on taxation and insurances. Each ward will be represented on each committee.

Household Receipts.

Little Neck Clam Salad. Roast two dozen small little necks, put them in a bowl and cover them with a plain dressing; let them stand half an hour. Put into the salad bowl the inside leaves of two heads of lettuce, add to it half a pint of cooked shrimps, cold. Add the clams next and cover with a remoulade sauce, which is made the same as mayonnaise, with the exception that hard-boiled egg yolks are used instead of the raw egg.

Browned Rice. Put some well washed rice on a baking tin in the oven and let it brown, shaking frequently so that it will color evenly. It is a good plan to keep a stock of this rice ahead in glass cans, ready for immediate use. When needed put two or three tablespoonfuls in a frying pan, cover with hot water, salting to taste. Let the rice cook thoroughly, adding more water as it swells, but do not stir it. Shake occasionally to prevent sticking. The Spaniards made this richer by then adding a little sliced onion, tomato and garlic, and covering with the boiling water.

Cream Biscuit. Sift one pint of floor, one level teaspoonful of salt and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder together. Mix with enough sweet cream to make a soft dough. Roll out, cut in rounds and bake in a very hot oven. Use pastry floor for baking powder biscuits.

Lucanian Eggs. Cut five hard-boiled eggs in eighths, lengthwise. Add one cup of cooked macaroni, one-half a cup of grated cheese and one and three-fourths cups of white sauce; season with salt, paprika, onion juice and anchovy essence. Turn into a buttered baking dish; cover with buttered crumbs and set into the oven long enough to brown the crumbs.

Anecdotes.

"James," said the chief to the secretary, "you were intoxicated last night."

"Yes, sir," replied the secretary with appropriate shame, and yet with a knowing smile.

"James," continued the chief softly, "so was I." And he added sternly, "Let us see to it that it doesn't happen again."

The mother of a little three-year-old had been away from home over night, and on her return asked:

"And how did my little boy get to sleep last night without mamma?"

"Oh," he replied, "papa twied to sing to me like 'ou does, an' I des went to sleep weal twick, so I touldn't hear him."

Customer—"What have you in the shape of oranges?"

Grocer—"Well, we have baseballs."—Harlem Life.

Mrs. Bingo—"I wish you would tell that servant girl that we don't require her any more."

Bing—"Certainly, my dear." (Later to servant) "Bridget, Mrs. Bingo wants to see you."

Fitzody—"How many directors are there in this company, boy?"

Office boy—"Six and myself."

Fitzody—"You a director? Absurd."

Office boy—"Yes, sir; I'm the director of envelopes."—Roxbury Gazette.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

Bertha Kalich who will appear at the Tremont for a fortnight's engagement beginning next week, will be seen for the first half of her stay in Maeterlinck's powerful and poetic play, "Monna Vanna," which Harrison Grey Fiske, her sponsor as a star, has produced in a lavish and beautiful manner. The introduction of Madame Kalich to the English speaking stage has added to its stars a player of apparently limitless emotional force; much temperament and finished technique. Her portrayal of the heroine of Maelerlinck's big and impressive drama has been a revelation to those unfamiliar with her work in other tongues. Vanna is a dominant figure in the modern drama, the centre in interests in a remarkable story that has back of its tremendous scenes a bold and broad philosophy. It is set in the atmosphere of mediæval romance, yet the emotions and impulses of its characters are the elemental ones that ruled human nature since the world began. The story is told with fine cumulative interests and the suspense is sustained until the fall of the curtain.

Empire Theatre.

At the Empire Theatre next week the attraction will be the stage version of Stanley Weyman's romantic novel "Under the Red Robe" made by Edward Rose originally produced at the Haymarket Theatre, London, ten years ago. The play proved an instant success and soon found its way to this country being given its first production at the Empire Theatre in New York where its London success was repeated. "Under the Red Robe" is announced for only a single week, and all who attend the Monday afternoon performance will have an opportunity to inspect the Music Hall Zoo and its collection of rare birds and animals without extra charge.

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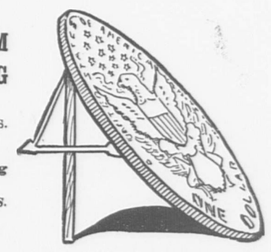
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Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	188,78 .01
Amount of Cash Surplus.	$480,329.42
Contingent Assets,	356,144.37
Total Available Assets,	1,020,059.80
Gain in Surplus,	4,783.27

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Amount of Cash Surplus,	$109,869.73
Contingent Assets,	114,617.7
Total Available Assets,	285,629.77
Gain in Surplus,	3,215.44

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Deposit Notes - - - -	627,581.17
Available Assets - - -	1,134,990.24
Total Liabilities - - -	338,543.29
Cash Surplus - - - -	168,86 5.18
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - -	7,458.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	103,055.43
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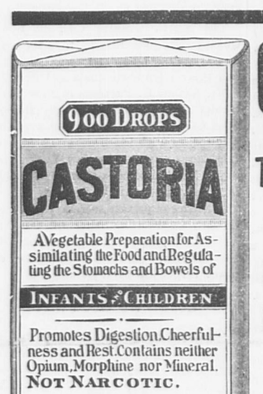
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All should dance with the sunbeams and make the world glad
In the bright golden summer days;
Then sound the flute and vibrant string!
Let everybody sing.

There are songs in the night for the sorrowing one;
In the struggle Hopes clarion rings clear;
True joy is repeating, and life renewed;
And Heaven is always near;
Then sound the flute and vibrant string!
Let everybody sing.

The stars will glow brighter because of our song,
The flowers more fragrant be,
The sun will peep forth from the hiding cloud
The blessed world to see;
Then sound and flute and vibrant string!
Let everybody sing.

—Old Colony Memorial.

Miscellany.

A HARD BARGAIN.

There was something in Miss Wrenfall's attitude, as she stood slim and graceful leaning against a pillar on the broad portico at the normal school building, which was at variance with the fresh buoyancy of her surroundings. Spriug was in the air; not the enervating warmth and damp sogginess of an inland climate, but the fresh breezy brightness and fragrance of a California springtime; yet there were weary, depressed lines about her pretty mouth and haunting misery in her beautiful eyes.

"Good afternoon, Miss Wrenfall," was the greeting in a friendly masculine voice, which roused her from painful thoughts to see Prof. Henderson standing beside her, "tall, fair and debonair," a typical finished scholar and gentleman.

"Allow me to congratulate you, Miss Wrenfall, on your algebra test. You stand easily first this term, and there was one problem for which you only gave the correct solution, and I should like to have you explain it to-morrow, if you will."

Professor Henderson spoke easily, but sincerely, and Miss Wrenfall's face brightened as she answered eagerly yet hesitatingly, "If you think I can."

"Of course you can. Your solution is beautifully clear. It will be only fair though, to give you the number, so you will have it in your mind. Come with me and I will give it to you."

"I believe our paths lie in the same direction," he said a few minutes later, as still chatting cheerily he walked beside her down the terraced lawn on to the hard, glazy pavement of the sloping streets, for he had noticed her depression from the first, and was determined to dispel it by cheerfully ignoring its existence; but her apathy returned upon her, and she accepted his friendly escort in troubled silence which she broke by an impulsive appeal.

"Professor Henderson," she began, but stopped embarrassed as she saw that he was regarding her with sympathetic attention.

"Miss Wrenfall, at your service," he replied with mock seriousness, which relieved her confusion, while behind his lightness of manner she felt his real desire to help her.

"Professor Henderson," she began again, "can you help me to account for the great difference relatively,—mind I say relatively—between my capacity for gaining knowledge and my ability to impart it? Not that my learning is remarkable, but it seems to be very disproportionate to my teaching ability. What is my deficiency?"

Confronted by such an appeal, made with trembling lips and eyes, which said, "Help me, my friend, if you can for I need it," Professor Henderson raised his handsome brows in perplexity, but there was real sympathy in his eyes. "Really, Miss Wrenfall, you ask a great deal of me. Your expression suggests 'highway robbery,' and you have taken me unawares. I am really 'not prepared.' If you will agree to devote your undivided attention to this hedgerow and walk very slowly, I will try to answer your questions, but not one word doth this oracle utter till we reach the top of this hill."

Miss Wrenfall accepted his raillery in the spirit in which it was given, and turned her eyes obediently to the fantastically trimmed cypress hedge which she had passed daily for nearly a year, and walked demurely in silence until they had quite reached the top of the hill, when she looked again at her companion with the trustful expectancy of a child.

Professor Henderson's face had become very grave as he commenced his argument with the seriousness which her appealing confidence and a sense of the trust imposed in him warranted. "As a beginning to a real understanding of your dilemma, Miss Wrenfall, I must tell you that I differ from you concerning your ability to learn. I do most emphatically consider your scholarship remarkable. 'Absorbing capacity,' you expressed it exactly when you called it that. That is just the phrase I have been wanting ever since I have known you. Do you know, Jennie Wrenfall, that such attention as you give, and such ready perception as you show is very flattering to a teacher?"

"No," answered Miss Wrenfall sadly. "I have never experienced such attention from my pupils. It must be that there is something inherent in the successful instructors which commands the attention of their pupils, and I lack it. No; don't interrupt me, please. I haven't explained so that you understand. It is just this: my reports from all my studies this year are very good; but from the training school it is bad, bad. I went to Mrs. Bertram with it. I thought maybe if she would tell me where I had failed I could do better." A shiver went through the slender figure, but she continued bravely, "I can't repeat what she said, but she made me realize that my work in the training school is all wrong; in short a failure." Miss Wrenfall's lip trembled, and she could say no more.

"Are you aware," Miss Wrenfall, answered her friend with grave courtesy, "that probably two hundred girls in this school have reports from the training departments that are fully as bad as yours? Fully half the young ladies who went laughing and chattering past you this afternoon had marks which were worse than yours. I am revealing a state secret I know, but while the training department is undoubtedly a great bug-a-boo in our institution, the majority of our students have evidently resolved to ignore its verdict. Of course it may mean an extra year in that department if Mrs. Bertram's rulings are sustained, but don't you see that the complaints of the students are so universal that they are hoping for a reversal by the Board. It is a terrible breach of all that is professional for me to tell you this, I know, but it is a shame that you should be suffering so much from what your classmates are only giving a passing thought."

Professor Henderson's deprecating tone brought a fleeting smile to his companion's face as she said, "Your confidence, Professor Henderson, is safe with me and I thank you for it because I know you would never have told it except for your desire to help me, but my trouble is deeper than you know. If Mrs. Bertram's condemnation was all I have to bear, I should be greatly encouraged, but her statements only verify my previous experience. I'll have to tell you all of it before you can understand. I graduated from High school at seventeen and I began teaching the next fall. I worked hard and earnestly, but I felt my lack of training, my youth and inexperience, keenly. Everybody understood that I was trying hard and did all they could to help me. I had a great deal of advice, kindly meant, but the most of it couldn't be followed and troubles accumulated until I was desperate. I struggled through to the end, but I was ill for a long time."——"And small wonder!" Interrupted the Professor. "What a pity Atlas could not behold the spectacle! Why didn't you undertake to govern the whole of the solar system!"

"Now you are sarcastic, Professor Henderson. Girls with more meagre preparation than mine have succeeded." "Possibly in very rare cases," was the dry rejoinder. "But I'll venture that those very exceptional successes were made by girls who were satisfied with the advancement and discipline of their pupils, and wasted very little thought on public opinion and the advice of patrons, trustees and their kind."

"I don't understand," replied Miss Wrenfall wearily. "But you can't form a correct judgment unless you know the rest, I stayed at home for a year and gained some courage from thinking that my failure was due to youth and inexperience which faults time would remedy. So I attended a Normal school at X——the next year. I was in my element there. We had methods and theoories ad libitum, but no training school. My health and spirits improved so much that I felt equal to any experience. Then last year I taught again and it was the same old story. I strained every resource, but the result was the same, except that my strength was greater and my sensibilities calloused enough to prevent the intense mental suffering of my previous trial.

I wanted to give up teaching entirely, but mother encouraged me, and, as I am her only dependence we decided that I should have a course here. Although this afternoon's verdict may not be final, for all, don't you see that for me it proves my unfitness?"

To this final appeal Professor Henderson answered only "I see," which to the sore-hearted girl sounded like clods upon a coffin lid, the coffin in which were to be buried her hopes and ambition.

Why, you say, should a winsome young girl open such a chapter of disappointments and blighted hopes, for the judgment of a man, who though evidently her senior by several years, was yet young, handsome and successful? A man in whose eyes any girl might wish to appear to advantage for indifferent and self-sufficient as some of them seem, twentieth century girls are women still?

The explanation to such a conundrum of femininity lies in the fact that between these two young people there existed a bond of friendship which is not uncommon in this land of many changes.

In the New England town from which they both had come, the Wrenfalls and the Hendersons had lived close friends and neighbors for generations past, and John Henderson when he had left home for college, had kissed four-year-old Jennie Wrenfall fondly and promised to bring her a "dolly" when he came home; but such is the uncertainty of human destiny that they had never met again until a few months before the opening of this story; yet the strength of the old attachment was not broken and it was as to a loved and trusted elder brother that this fatherless girl confided her failure and humiliation.

She most earnestly desired his help and comfort, yet she could accept neither without full confession. No generalization or evasion would suffice for this child of the Puritans. She drained her cup to the bitter dregs. She felt that his implied verdict was just and justice was her most cherished virtue; yet, such is the perversity of human nature, a feeling of resentment rose in her heart against this man to whom she had entrusted her pitiful secret.

After a protracted silence Professor Henderson roused himself and noticed the mask of stony indifference which had settled on the face of his little friend. "Forgive me, Jennie, I was only thinking" and his face eloquent with contrition was altogether sufficient apology for his apparent indifference.

They were passing the magnificent pile of the county court-house and, as if an inspiration had come to him he said, "Have you ever climbed the court-house tower?" "No," she answered surprised at his sudden change of conversation. "Will you climb it with me now? Or are you too tired?" "If you wish," she answered. "No, I am not tired." Her face belied her words, but Professor Henderson seemed eager to go but suggested that the elevator would make the ascent easy for her, and though elevators gave her a sensation of deathly sickness, she was really too exhausted to climb, so she gave a Spartan consent; and soon they stood beside the broad parapet looking down upon the city.

On the streets below them the people walked ceaselessly to and fro, tiny specks on the glaring pavement. For several minutes they watched the movements of the miniature world spread out before them; then Professor Henderson spoke gravely and earnestly, "Suppose, Jennie, that those people down there were your bitter enemies; should you fear them as you stand up here?"

"Surely not," laughed Miss Wrenfall at the insignificance of her supposed enemies. "What could you fear? Nothing, so long as this tower stands."

"Good!" exclaimed Professor Henderson well pleased. "Now, Jennie Wrenfall, he said, speaking slowly and looking straight into her wondering eyes, "will you allow me to apply my little object-lesson? You live always in a tower although you sometimes forget it. Yours is a fortress stronger than any built of bricks and mortar but you open the doors and let the rabble come in. Some come with good intentions, some with bad, and some with none. You try to believe them all. Your lack, your great lack, Jennie Wrenfall, is self-esteem. It is not that that you do not do right, it is that you are not sure that you do right. You distrust your own motives because others do. Can you not realize that God is your strong fortress, that you are responsible for your actions to none but Him and that He will sustain you. You have only to establish yourself firmly on your Rock of Safety, Jennie, and your success in life is certain!"

More than a year had passed away and again they stood together on the court-house tower. She, radiant and hopeful was saying, "Yes, I have overcome my besetting sin. Daily and hourly I have repeated your lesson. God is my strong fortress. I am responsible for my actions to Him alone and He will sustain me.

The result is that I closed the door of my schoolroom last week with peace in my heart and, what is more tangible proof of my success, the trustees have elected me to the same position with an increase of salary!"

"Did you accept it?"

"I haven't yet but I expect to. Could you suggest anything better?" She asked, seeing his dissatisfaction.

"I could," he answered coolly.

Miss Wrenfall looked at him in astonishment. Would she ever understand this grave, scholarly friend who so willingly extended a helping hand to her in trouble and so deliberately showered cold water on her enthusiasm?

In answer to her unspoken question, Prof. Henderson said, "Do you believe me that when we talked here last year, I spoke with your best interest at heart?"

"Why should I doubt it?" she replied wonderingly.

"Do you believe me now, when I tell you that I had a bitter struggle with myself to compel myself to tell you those simple truths? Can you believe that I was capable of consuming jealousy of the success which I knew you would make?" He spoke vehemently, quite unlike his usual calm manner.

Miss Wrenfall was greatly confused, but she smiled brightly, saying, "Either you speak in riddles, Professor Henderson, or I am dull today, for I can't understand you. I think I'll go and ask President Wheeler if he isn't jealous of me and my success!"

"Not yet," he said quickly. There was a strange rigidity in his face which alarmed the girl. "Sit here, please," he said, pointing to a ledge which afforded not only a comfortable seat, but a screen from observation.

As obedience was Miss Wrenfall's strong point, she took the offered seat and he sat down beside her. When he spoke again it was in his natural tone.

"Do you remember the wood-shed at your old home, Jennie?"

"Certainly I do! You know I was twelve years old when we came away."

"When I was a boy and thought there was no place quite as fine for whittling or cracking nuts, an old coat used to hang there on the south wall; do you remember it?"

"Yes, it was still there when we left."

"Why was it never taken down?"

"Because a wren built her nest there every summer in the same old pocket. I thought you knew that! Oh, I wonder if it is there yet! Sometimes I am homesick for the dear old place!"

"So am I, Jennie! Do you remember how that pocket hung open as if inviting Mistress Jennie to come in and make her home there?" Professor Henderson spoke very softly, very eagerly.

With eyes suffused with the tenderness of those childhood's memories, Miss Wrenfall looked shyly toward him, but turned quickly away. Something in his grey eyes was searching her heart, which fluttered as the wings of her name-sake bird. Nearer he leaned, till she felt the silky touch of his mustache on her hair as he whispered, "Dearest, do you know that my heart has been waiting like that pocket, hoping that my Jennie Wren would discover it and make her home there?"

He tried to see her face, but it was cast down, and a deep blush overspread it from neck to forehead.

"It is a warm safe nest, Jennie, dear, and it has been waiting for you so long!" There was a suspicious break in his voice, but there was no answer.

"Jennie, quick, some one is coming!" he pleaded.

The negro janitor coming around a corner a minute later saw a handsome man and a pretty little lady, who was saying, doubtfully, "Perhaps I might take it on trial for a year."

"Certainly," answered the gentleman, "you are not expected to take permanent possession at once, but I think three months ought to be entirely sufficient."

The janitor passed on, and climbed the ladder to fasten the trap-door, but he heard the gentleman say, "First payment in advance, always."

"Not here — not now!" pleaded a smothery little voice.

"Right here—and—right now!" came the answer in immensely satisfied tones.

"Mean cuss," commented the ebon-hued auditor. "Drivin' a hard bargain 'ith the lady. Oughter hev his neck wrung! Real estate agents are low-down."—Mary T. Bowler.

Accommodating.

The sheriff was talking politics when a constable drove up with a man in the buggy.

"Majah, this yere is Jim Howland, who has been sentenced to jail fur ninety days by the court over at Marion," said the constable.

"Jim Howland, eh?" queried the sheriff. "What's the sentence fur?"

"Stealin' two pigs," said the prisoner.

"Waal, yo' orter be sent to jail. Look yere, Jim Howland, what sort of a man might yo' be on the average?"

"Purty squar', kurnel — purty squar'."

"Because," resumed the official, "one end of the jail has caved out, the roof has sunk in, and the niggers have ripped out all the floors. It's a mighty lonesome place to put a white man in, and I don't reckon he'd stay but over two minutes, I don't want to be bothered goin' around thar, two or three times a day, and I don't want to put yo' to the trouble of breakin' out."

"I see," mused the prisoner.

"And so yo'd better pass yo'r word not to get onery and skip out, and yo' kin hang around town, and come up to the house fur meals."

"I druther be in jail, kurnel. Fact is, I've allus wanted to be sent to jail, but sunthin' has allus happened to prevent."

"But consider the circumstances, Jim. Yo' hain't nuthin' agin me, hev yo'?"

"Oh no; but it 'll disapp'int the ole woman and children if I'm not put behind the bars."

"Thar hain't a blamed bar or bolt or lock about the shanty, Jim."

"Couldn't I be chained to the wall?"

"Y-e-s, yo' could, but it would be bad fur yo'r health. Yo'd hev chills inside of three days'. They'll have the new jail done next year, and then, if yo' feel that yo' must go to jail, I'll take yo' in fur thirty days."

"Waal," said Jim, "I don't want to be onery to nobody, and as yo' seem to want to do the squar' thing, I'll agree to hang around town, but remember, kurnel, that the next time I'm sent to jail I'm either goin' thar or rip the cotton out of one hull side of this country!"

And Jim got down, and was soon seated on the platform, telling the crowd of idlers what ailed the county and the remedy for it.—Harper's Magazine.

Bewitched the Beefsteak.

Charles E. Tripler, the famous experimenter in liquid air, recently went to Boston to visit his friend, Elihu Thompson, the electrical expert. He took with him a can of liquefied air. It was a simple looking can, and might have held baked beans or cold coffee so far as its outward appearance went. But it contained a fluid so cold that a cake of ice acts on it like fire on water. It makes it boil. It is so cold that it freezes alcohol stiff, and turns mercury into a substance hard enough to drive nails with. It was a quart of the coldest thing on earth that Mr. Tripler had in this tin can, and he took it with him to luncheon, where he put it on the floor by his chair. They lunched in a hotel cafe, and ordered a steak. After it had been brought in, and while the waiter's back was turned Mr. Tripler lifted it from the platter, opened the can and exposed it to the liquid air. When he put it back on the platter it was hard as a rock.

"Waiter," called Mr. Tripler. "Come here." The waiter obeyed.

"What's the matter with this steak?" he asked anxiously.

And he lifted it from the plate by two fingers and struck it with his knife. The frozen meat rang like a bell.

"I d—d—on't k—n—now, sir," he faltered, and he started for the beau waiter on the run.

Mr. Tripler, by the way, is one of the fiercest looking men in the inventing business. His mustache is of the pirate cut, and his eyebrows bristle and meet in the middle. Therefore the head waiter approached him with tituidity.

"Do you serve your s e s e t is as a rule?" asked Mr. Tripler, as he struck the time of day on it.

"It's that fool chef," explained the head waiter as he started for the kitchen.

A few minutes later the chef appeared with the head waiter He recognized the steak by sight at once. Then Mr. Tripler took it up and made it ring again.

"Mercy! Gracious!" ejaculated the chef, piously crossing himself. "I didn't do it, sure!"

Then Mr. Tripler smiled, and Mr. Thompson laughed. A new steak was ordered, and the frozen one was carried below to fool the rest of the kitchen.—The Saturday Evening Post.

Meat vs. Vegetables.

In old countries the lower orders, as a rule, have but a low vitality. It may be truer to say that the vital volition is weak. Let the learned settle the definition. The fact is easily accounted for. During generations upon generations, the majority of European agricultural populations live upon vegetable food, like the majority of eastern Asiatics, and with the same result. Hard labor produces hard muscles, but vegetable food yields a low vital tension, so to say. Soldiers know it well enough. The pale faced city clerk who eats meat twice a day will outfight and outlast and out-starve the burly laborer whose big thews and sinews are most compounded of potatoes, corn and water.—Marion Crawford.

The ladies of Quincy having papers, magazines or books to dispose of are kindly requested to send them to Mrs. E. G. Pratt, 49 Spear street, to be distributed among the poor sailors and soldiers who will be very much entertained by them and no doubt very thankful that the W. C. T. U. are still alive to the good work they have always done in this line.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, April 21, 1906.

The frightful calamity which has befallen San Francisco has for the time displaced all other topics of discussion in the National Capital. As in all other big cities crowds are assembled about the newspaper bulletin boards all day and well into the night and the extra editions of the papers are sold out almost as soon as they are on the streets. On the cars, in social gatherings, in the homes and in Congress everyone is asking for later news of the holocaust. Washington which is largely made up of the residents of other cities and states has a small cityfull of Californians within her borders and anxiety of these as to the safety of their friends and concern as to their losses are shared by all who know them. In Congress the feeling has been unanimous that the country had experienced the greatest calamity in its history and during Thursday's session all other business was discontinued until some expression had been given to the desire to do something for the stricken city. Congress in this instance was prompt to act and without discussion and with absolute unanimity both houses agreed to the resolution appropriating $1,000,000 to be immediately available under the direction of the Secretary of War for the purchase of supplies in open market for the relief of the suffering in San Francisco and adjacent cities.

The President has displayed the keenest interest and sympathy and he has sent personal telegrams to the Governor of California, the Mayor of San Francisco and himself given directions for the sending of all relief contributions to the Red Cross Society of the United States, President Jacob Schiff, New York, in order that they may be wisely administered. He has also issued orders to the heads of all departments that all possible assistance be rendered with despatch for the aid of the sufferers.

Senator Tillman, who is a small volcano in a perpetual state of eruption broke out again this week when he was attacked by Senator Hopkins of Illinois. As in former years he did not attempt to settle the discussion with his fists but no one knows where the wrangle would have stopped if Vice President Fairbanks had not interferred. The excitement arose over the subject of the John R. Walsh bank failures in Chicago and the intimation by Mr. Tillman that Senator Hopkins connection with them had not been entirely clean. Scarcely had Senator Tillman resumed his seat when Mr. Hopkins livid with rage arose and poured forth a flood of denunciation upon the Senator from South Carolina. He began by calling him an ignoramus in business matters and a seeker after notoriety in the newspapers and a person who played constantly to the galleries. He then turned his attention to political matters in the South and declared that before Til man picked flaws in the administration of affairs in Illinois he would better clean his own state of the crime of suppressing the negro vote. Mr. Tillman responded in like manner and for a little while excitement on the floor and in the galleries was at fever heat. Just when the coloquy was getting warmest Senator Gallinger requested that the Vice President enforce the rule against this kind of debate. The rules were read and the combatants were compelled to resume their seats, which they did reluctantly, glaring at each other most melodramatically.

The promotion of Major General Corbin to Lieutenant General of the United States Army was confirmed by the Senate this week which thus enabled him to retire with more prestige and higher pay than would have otherwise been possible. General Corbin is one of the most unpopular men in the army but by push and pull he has attained to the highest rank that the army affords. His nomination to this rank has been bitterly fought in the Department where he is disliked and by as large a part of the army as could oppose him without being discovered in it. On the other hand though he has many friends on the outside and his wife who was a rich woman before her marriage has been very active in working for his promotion and pulled wires, by means of her money and social position, in all directions. The manner in which appointments and promotions of this kind are effected is one of the most interesting features of official life and books could be written giving explanations of the wheels within wheels by which it is done. The day of the female lobbyist famous in story and play is past so far as old time methods are concerned but never has there been a time when women meddled so quietly and so effectively in political and official life as at present. Adams.

A New Requirement.

A few days ago a lady in pursuit of a cook was interviewing and being interviewed at a certain employment bureau. "I shall want you to go into the country with me," she remarked to the mighty personage who was eyeing her from head to foot. "Yez, mam; and do yez have low-neck dinners, mam?" Mrs. Cook inquired. "Low-neck dinners! What do you mean by that?" said the lady. "Well, mam, do yez eat dinner in low-neck dresses? I hev a frind who says she'll not take no place unless the family eats in low necks, an' I thought I wouldn't either." So this is what we are all coming to! Not even our domestics will endure "plain living," and if one wants a six-dollar cook, she can't have her without promising to "eat in low necks!"—Boston Herald.

When it Was Empty.

Little Flora was complaining that her stomach felt badly.

"Perhaps it's because it's empty," said her mother. "It might feel better if you had something in it."

Not long afterward the minister called. In reply to a question as to his health, he said that he was well, but that his head felt rather badly

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1906.

California Relief Fund.

The earlier contributions to the Quincy fund for California relief are acknowledged on the fourth page of this paper. The subscriptions received since Tuesday have been as follows:

Cash	$100.00
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Christ church	52.22
Daniel Desmond	10.00
J. H. Cunningham	5.00
C. Eaton Pierce	5.00
Dr. T. J. Dion	5.00
F. J. Pierson	5.00
C. T. Sherman	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Merrill	10.00
Henry P. Furnald	2.00
Charles L. Hammond and clerks and carriers, Quincy postal service	62.25
E. Menhinick,	5 00
Swedish Congl. church,	20 00
Local Union 762 Carpenters and Joiners,	10 00
Edwin W. Marsh	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. O. Hayward	5.00
T. L. Williams	10.00
Swedish Lutheran church	8.00
Thomas F. Burke	5.00
Thomas O'Brien & Sons	10.00
Mrs. Frank E. Parlin	5.00
Dennis J. O'Neil	2.00
James H. Churchill	10.00
F. J. Steward	25.00
Mrs. H. Nelson	1.00
A. S. Nelson	1.00
J. P. Moran	1.00
Branschied and Marten	10.00
F. D. Fellows & Co.	10 00
Newell O. Parker	1 00
G. M. McCormick	5 00
J. A. Sedgwick	5 00
S. G. Emanuel	10 00
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wadsworth	10 00
Joseph L. Whiton	25 00
Calvin T. Dyer	1 00
Walter Randall	1 00
Gustine Gourley	1 00
David Crothy	1 00
George Reed	1 00
Martin McConnell	1 00
Thomas Connelly	1 00
William Hayden	1 00
Cornelius Desmond	1 00
Timothy Collins	1 00
Isaac McNeil	1 00
Joseph Fletcher	1 00
Timothy Shea	1 00
George Williams	1 00
A. Gustafson	1 00
Daniel Sullivan	50
Granite Conclave Heptasophs	10 00

The total amount contributed to the San Francisco relief fund on the papers in charge of City Treasurer H. G. Fay is $2,165.43, the larger part of which has been paid to him.

In addition to this there is a paper in circulation among the employes of the Tubular Rivet & Stud Co., one at the Park and Downs church and one with the firemen.

These amounts have not been received by the City Treasurer as yet.

The Unitarian fund of $400 and the offerings of some of the other churches are not included.

President Miller of the Granite Manufacturers' Association called a special meeting of the association for Wednesday evening to see what action they would take in contributing to the California Relief Fund. The meeting voted unanimously to give $500. This with the $300 recently voted our hospital speaks well for this association.

A paper for contributions to the relief fund is being circulated among the permanent and call men of the fire department, and will probably net $50.

The Tubular Rivet & Stud Co. have forwarded $1,000 to Kidder Peabody & Co. for the relief fund.

Kidder Peabody & Co. report the receipt of $1,506 from Quincy citizens Wednesday for the California fund.

Rev. S. L. Carlander says that the contribution of the $15 toward the Quincy fund for the California relief, which was credited to him, should have been credited to the St. Paul's Swedish M. E. Church.

A dispatch in a Wednesday night, Boston paper from Portland, Oregon, stated that Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sanborn of Quincy, Mass., had arrived in that city with nothing, but the clothes they had on.

Word has been received from Dennis F. Greaney formerly of Elm street who was in San Francisco, that he is safe and is now at Alamedes.

A letter has been received by Julius Johnson from Fred Bergern giving information of the Swedish people who went to San Francisco some weeks ago. The others in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carlson, Andrew Westerberg, Claus Carlson and Oscar Carlson.

According to the letter received Bargern was the only one in San Francisco at the time of the earthquake. The house was demolished where he stopped but he escaped in scanty clothing. He remained out in the streets all that night without anything to eat or water to drink. The next night he spent in a boat, and the following day made his way to Berkley where the remainder of the Quincy party were. They also had quite an experience. The plastering in their house was knocked off by the shock and they hastily escaped into the street. The scene about San Francisco according to the letter was undescribable.

The family of Rev. Michael Carey, C. S. P., of San Francisco have received a telegram from him stating that the church and house were destroyed but that he was safe and well.

Miss Sarah A. Mundy has received a telegram from her brother John Mundy of San Francisco, stating that he was safe on a river boat.

Milton citizens have contributed $3,500 to the San Francisco fund.

J. E. Carley of South Braintree who was in San Francisco at the time of the earthquake arrived in Boston on Wednesday night. Mr. Carley was a guest at the Palace hotel which was destroyed.

The Massachusetts Relief fund amounted April 26th to $543,561.82. The Unitarians have also raised $21,060.33, and there are other funds.

Quincy people receiving letters from relatives and former residents of the city, who were in California at the time of the earthquake, are requested to notify the Daily Ledger promptly.

Rebuilding with Energy.

The San Francisco earthquakes are over, although they had another slight one this week which killed one women. The ruins are being cleared rapidly, and active preparations for rebuilding are in progress.

The city has so far regained her courage that she invites her citizens and the rest of the world to come and witness the growth of the new city.

The relief fund from the country is $25,000,000, while the Massachusetts and Boston list is above $580,000. The want of water, food and clothing has been rapidly supplied.

Ringmaster King cracked many jokes at the great Y. M. C. A. circus.

CITY BRIEFS.

Next Tuesday will be May day.

The Hancock cemetery is receiving its spring cleaning.

The Mt. Wollaston bank was first incorporated April 28, 1853.

Local markets are displaying all the early spring vegetables, and they look very inviting.

Some very handsome furniture has been added to the furnishings of the Granite City club.

Collections are being taken in the local fraternal societies for the San Francisco relief fund.

The city will probably expend more for water meters than it saves in Metropolitan water assessments.

Officers will be elected by the Quincy Cooperative bank next Wednesday evening.

Quincy lodge of Elks has donated $50 to the Elk fund for the San Francisco sufferers.

The Parker A. A. defeated the Honeysuckle nine Saturday by a score of 23 to 19.

The Police patrol wagon which has been undergoing repairs has been put on duty again.

The Bigelows ball team defeated the Holbrook A. C. of Jamaica Plain at Quincy, Saturday, by a score of 7 to 2.

The Citizens' Gas Co. are all ready to commence work laying pipes as soon as permission is granted by the City Council.

Open cars were run on the Neponset street car line all day Sunday. Extra cars were run on all lines and crowds of people were carried.

Among the New England people at San Francisco, at the time of the disaster who are reported as being safe, is R. W. Gorman formerly of Quincy.

Miss Harriet Spooner of Revere road was the winner of the ten dollar cash prize, given at the W. R. C. fair held in Hancock hall last week.

Mrs. Cady Loud of Wibird street who was operated upon at the city hospital on Saturday for appendicitis is reported as resting comfortably.

Rev. E. C. Butler is to take part in the meeting of the Federation of Young People's Religious Unions on Sunday evening at the church of the Disciples, Boston.

The searchlights on one of the battleships at the Fore River shipyard were tried out Wednesday evening. Their rays were thrown over the city for an hour or more.

Court John Ericson, Foresters of America are to hold a whist party and dance in Plumer's hall, this evening, for the benefit of the suffering people in San Francisco.

There are busy scenes on the Cavanagh garden farm at Houghs Neck. Several acres have been ploughed and Italian women are engaged in sowing seed.

Charles E. White of Union street who has been absent at Panama for eight months returned to his home Sunday on a six weeks' furlough, looking very much improved in health.

A telegram was received by James F. Hogan of 107 South street, Sunday, from his sister, Mrs. John J. Donahoe in San Francisco, stating that she and her family are safe, but that her belongings had all been destroyed by fire.

Chief Engineer Litchfield is issuing new fire alarm cards of generous size, and type that can be read easily at night as well as day. They have all the new boxes and changes; also the running rules for each company and a new half tone of the Central fire station.

Mr. Ralph Winslow has won the second prize in a competition for designs for a boat, submitted to The Rudder. This is a gratifying result to the latter and interest our young Quincy citizen has manifested in the work in which he has been employed.

Miss Zita Pitts of Hancock street gave an exhibition of fancy dancing on Patriots' day in the Lawrence school, South Boston, of which Miss F. R. Faxon is a teacher. The exhibition was for the benefit of the Art fund.

Chief Burrell, Lieut. McKay and officer Goodhue raided the rooms of Frank N. Benson in the Johnson block, in City Square, Saturday night, and seized 150 bottles of beer and 15 pint bottles of whiskey.

One of the attractive features at the fair of First church Wednesday evening was fortune telling booth where Mrs. Young of South Walnut street read the palms. She is professional and told her clients many interesting facts.

Mr. John Hall, one of Quincy's popular young business men, and Mrs. Grace G. Edgarton, daughter of ex-Councilman John P. Bigelow of Franklin street, were quietly married on Wednesday evening by Rev. A. A. Ellsworth. They left that night on a short wedding trip, and upon their return will reside in the Revere apartments.

The First Church (Unitarian) of Quincy, Thursday forwarded to the American Unitarian Association a remittance of $400 as its contribution to the San Francisco Relief Fund. This amount is additional to many individual contributions of the church members to the general fund raised throughout the city.

The managers of the Copeland club and Merrymount baseball teams have arranged a series of games for the coming season. The first one will be played at Merrymount park on the morning of Memorial day; the second at West Quincy on July 7. Both clubs claim to have the strongest team in Quincy; therefore a close and exciting series is to be expected.

Mr. James Fures has had a busy time the past few days answering questions and receiving congratulations. It seems that on April 17th, a little lady eight pounds in weight, demanded admission to the Fures household, corner Maple place and Washington street, and was most cordially welcomed. Congratulations to both Mr. and Mrs. Fures and Grandma Clark.

Mr. Charles H. Johnson, Superintendent of the First Parish Sunday-school had a pleasant surprise for the officers and teachers on Sunday. The superintendent in behalf of Mr. Henry M. Faxon presented each officer and teacher a card with the compliments of Mr. Faxon and an order for $5.00 with which they could purchase to that amount at the fair in the church on Wednesday of the Fragment society. The total gift to the teachers amounted to $115.

Several members of Maple lodge K. and L. of H. of this city were guests of Unity lodge of Boston, Friday, May 20th it being the last visitation of the grand officers for the term. Over three hundred were in attendance and it was one of the liveliest and jolliest meetings of the season every one present was presented with a souvenir pin which will be highly prized. Ices, cake coffee and chocolate were served after which dancing was enjoyed until the wee small hours.

Children's May festival this afternoon at Quincy Music Hall.

Miriam Hardy who has been sick with the measles is now fully recovered.

The City Council Committee on Ordinances will meet next Monday evening.

An addition is being built on Scamuells' shop on Quincy avenue.

Quincy is responding nobly to the appeal for the people of California.

Charles E. Haskins of Boston will occupy one of the new Angler houses on Goffe street.

P. J. Starr has accepted a position with H. P. Tracy as manager of the Greenleaf stables.

The derailing of a car near Atlantic early Thursday evening delayed all trains for a time.

Henry Edwards is one of the class day committee of the seniors at the Boston University law school.

The Prescott cottage on Spear street was rented last week to Boston people who will take possession May first.

C. F. Carlson is making a number of improvements at his store on Depot street.

The axle of the watering car broke while the car was in use on Tuesday. Repairs were made at the Quincy car barn.

The Sons and Daughters of St. George will attend services in a body at Christ church on Sunday evening, after their annual custom.

Rev. F. W. Brooks of Lynn, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Galahad Brotherhood at Christ church, Sunday noon.

Rev. F. G. Vial, of Fitch Bay, Quebec, a brother of W. S. Vial of Edison park, will preach at Christ church Sunday morning.

William B. Nichols, local manager of the Citizens' Gas Co., has leased one of the Angier houses on Goffe street and will become a resident of Quincy.

Gen. Taylor of the Boston Globe will be the speaker at the annual banquet of the Bethany church Brotherhood on Monday evening May 7.

Active work has been commenced widening and laying out Maple place as a public street. Trees are being cut and trimmed, edgestone has arrived and is being set and fences have been moved back.

Several hundred may-baskets have been prepared for children's festival to be held Saturday afternoon at Music Hall. They are large and small and of every conceivable shape and color.

Fences are being moved back on Maple street, preparatory to widening and trees are being cut down.

The Grammar schools of the city have organized a base ball league which will play on Tuesdays and Thursdays during May, completing the schedule June 5.

The street railway are having some handsome fifty-foot combination cars built for its Quincy-Dudley street route. The cars are larger than any now in use and have all the latest modern equipments.

Mrs. J. O. William of Goffe street has received a letter from her brother at Oakland, Calif., written on Wednesday the day of the earthquake, which reports his house badly damaged by the quake, but none of the family injured.

Dr. Isaac Farrar, a prominent physician and lecturer of Boston, died Monday at his home 28 King street Dorchester, after a lingering illness. Dr. Farrar was born in Quincy in 1830, but has not resided here since a young man.

The Corinthian Yacht club has challenged the Mauchester Yacht club for the Quincy Yacht club Challenge Cup. As the Quincy club has also challenged for the cup it looks as though there would be some interesting races the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollins Abrams of The Greenleaf and Hancock house have taken the fine hotel in Concord, Mass., known as The Colonial and expect to have a house full of people all summer. A large party dined there on the Nineteenth

Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, will attend holy communion in a body at St. John's church at 8.45 Sunday morning. After the communion they will have breakfast at the Greenleaf. In the afternoon they will exemplify the second degree.

Among the June brides will be Miss Christine Bumpus, only daughter of Judge E. C. Bumpus of this city, her marriage to Mr. Remick, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Remick of Marlboro street, Boston, being announced to take place in the mouth of roses,—the prettiest time of the year.

At a largely attended meeting of the Quincy Clerks Association Local 224, held in Dobles hall Tuesday evening, it was voted that immediate step be taken towards securing the Wednesday half holiday for the coming summer months. Several applications for membership were received and accepted.

Edward Hardwick, a well known resident of Quincy, died yesterday at 274 South Central avenue, Wollaston, aged 62 years. Mr. Hardwick was an engineer and ex-member of the Quincy fire department. He has served as engineer of the steamer and also as engineer of the steam road roller. He was a widower.

The White Stars opened their season of base ball by defeating the Granite A. A. by the score 9 to 5 on Thursday after school. The pitcher of the White Stars was well supported by the catcher William Small. The first hit by the catcher was a three bagger. In the first of the third inning one of the Granite A. A. knocked a high fly back of the pitcher and was well caught by the first baseman.

All the grammer schools of the city have entered teams in a base ball league and a schedule of 55 games has been adopted to begin next week. Five games will be played each Wednesday and Friday, beginning May 1. In the schedule below the games will be played on the grounds of the first named club and the master of that school has agreed to attend the game and see that it is properly conducted.

Hancock hall was filled to overflowing Tuesday evening, at the benefit given for Daniel J. Hartery. Dancing was in order until 2 A. M. The floor was in charge of William H. Flynn who was assisted by a large corps of aids. During intermission there were songs by George Johnson of Cambridge, and buck and wing dancing by William Grant of Quincy, John Hurley of Brockton, and James Flynn of Cambridge. A good sum was netted for Mr. Hartery.

The Universalist Dorcas society, celebrated their first anniversary, on the evening of April 17, at the home of the president. Mrs. George Spooner. The evening was very pleasantly spent, with games and music. Vocal selections were rendered by Mr. Varney and Mr. Norton, and piano solos by Mrs. Cutter and Miss Harriet Spooner. Late in the evening ice cream and cake were enjoyed. The first gentlemen's night of the society was a great success and thoroughly enjoyed.

WEST QUINCY.

N. Monihan of Copeland street is installing a fifty-horse power electric motor at his granite cutting plant.

Rev. A. F. Roche has received word from the family of the late Dr. James Sullivan at San Francisco, Calif., that they are all well and safe in their own house.

John and Jacob Hill the two men who assaulted Officer Bradley on Sunday received stiff sentences in court Tuesday. John was fined $100 and Jacob $50. Both appealed. The two women in the case were fined $25 each on Monday.

H. W. Campbell of West Quincy has returned from a few weeks' business trip to Rocky Point on the Cape.

An excellent program has been arranged for the concert to be given by Miss Alice Foley and others next Wednesday evening at St. Mary's hall.

Miss Alice Foley, who has announced a song recital for next Wednesday, is a pupil of Mrs. Wilbur F. Hascall of Boston. Her former teachers were Mr. Clarance Hay and Sig. Birnboni. She has coached with Mr. B. J. Lang.

The evidence in the Samuel Samuelson manslaughter case at Dedham was finished Thursday and the arguments were made yesterday.

Mrs. Johnna Bill of West Quincy and her brother William Doyle were unsuccessful in their attempt to break the will of their sister Mrs. Ann Linnehan of Chelsea, the Supreme court having given a decission on Wednesday sustaining the will. The bulk of the property valued at $21,000 goes to her brother Edward Doyle.

Houghs Neck Fire.

The steamer and hose 1 at the Central fire station responded to a still alarm at 3 P. M., Tuesday, for a blaze at Houghs Neck. Chief Litchfield was at Quincy Point, when he was notified by telephone that the Houghs Neck company would not be able to handled it alone, and he ordered the apparatus above to "get there."

The new combination at Houghs Neck, however, was quickly on the spot, and the fire was admirably handled by Capt. Ross and volunteers, so that the apparatus at Quincy, was not needed.

The fire was in a two-story, two-room cottage in the rear of the Great Hill House, owned by the Steamboat company and occupied by Augustus Tirrell, who lives alone. He was away at the time, the fire being discovered by Benjamin Sturgis. Mr. Tirrell lost all his furniture and clothing, on which there was no insurance. The cottage was damaged $300. The new fire apparatus was admired by those who assembled, who feel that they now have some protection. The water service was good.

School Board Meeting.

A regular meeting of the School Committee was held Tuesday evening. Dr. Record was the only absent number.

The special committee appointed to examine the specifications of the Hurd & Gore plans for the proposed school building at Atlantic recommended the approval of the specifications as amended.

It was voted to accept the report of the Committee and to approve the Hurd & Gore plans, and specifications subject to the approval of the district police.

The resignation of Arthur F. Campbell, sub-master of the High school, and of George R. Bennett, as janitor of the Quincy school were received.

It was voted to fix the salaries of teachers and janitors according to the schedule proposed by the Finance committee in making up its annual budget, to go into effect in September.

The expenditures of the department to date were reported as follows:

Salaries	$36,119.35
Janitors	2,463.16
Books, Supplies and Sundries	3,055.12
Rents	335.00
Fuel	1,585.70
Transportation	461.80
Evening Schools	0.00
Totals	$44,019.93

First Church Fair.

First Church chapel presented a festive appearance Wednesday afternoon when the doors opened for the fair held by the Fragment society of the church. Booths were arranged about the hall with a large one, octagon in shape, in the centre. All were trimmed with wisteria vines, the blossoms hanging in large purple clusters. The supports were wound with green; the whole being artistic and pleasing to the eye. The ladies' parlor had been converted into a room for the children and the large booth in the centre in charge of the Sunday school was admired by everyone. It was in lattice effect, covered with peach blossoms.

At half past six a delicious salad supper was served to over three hundred. So many wished supper that the tables had to be spread the second time.

All the booths were well patronized, in fact nine o'clock showed most of them stripped, and the attendants preparing to leave.

It was one of the most successful sales ever held and the financial results should be most pleasing to the ladies who have worked so hard for its success.

Benefit Concert.

Since the awful calamity in California the Wollaston Glee club have decided to give the net proceeds of their Spring concert to the Quincy Relief Fund for the sufferers in California. The concert is to be given on Wednesday evening next May 2, at the Congregational church, Wollaston. It will be one of the best concerts ever given by this organization and it will afford an opportunity for the many friends of the club to assist in extending the hand of brotherhood across the continent in a substantial way. Those who have already given liberally will no doubt be willing to patronize this entertainment, and thus insure the financial success of this effort to help the sufferers from earthquake and fire. The indications are that food will have to be supplied to many thousands of people for a long time to come, and the various relief committees state that a continuance of the contribution of money is necessary.

Tramp Social.

About fifty young people enjoyed the "Tramp Supper" and social by the Junior Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday evening. Each young lady furnished lunch for two. This was eaten by the people scattered in groups in the hall. During this time a few of the ladies sold home-made candy.

After the supper there were games, jog-along being the favorite. There was a brief entertainment next including scenes by several of the members, reading by Miss Dulah Miller and violin solo by Margaret Brown. There was a lively auction for a cranberry pie which was sold for $1.10, T. King being auctioneer. A pleasing feature of the evening was the singing of their Y. M. C. A. song by the Auxiliary members.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills absolutely cure Rheumatism & Neuralgia. Entirely vegetable. Safe.

WOLLASTON.

Miss Isabel Estabrooks, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Henry L. Estabrooks of this city leaves this week for Dubuque, Iowa, where she will visit her brother Louis B. Estabrooks. Miss Estabrooks will also visit in Detroit and Chicago, returning the last of June.

Base ball fans will miss the popular player, Horace Taylor, from the diamond this season. He has accepted a position as civil engineer of the new gas company and will be busy Saturday afternoons.

Mrs. Joel Pillsbury and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall of Wollaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Baker, of Wollaston, are spending the week in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred P. Jenney, Jr., nee Whitacre, who were married on April 18th are at home to their friends after May first, at Plainville, N. H.

Mrs. Francis Lawrence of Pepperill, Mass., has been the guest of Mrs. J. F. McLeod of Arlington street, Wollaston the past few days.

Walter H. Nichols has sold his Cape Cat Idler to W. Hayes of Quincy and has purchased the Cat Mildred of F. H. Coleman. He will race her in the Cape Cat Association races this summer.

Friends of the Wollaston Glee club will no doubt be much pleased to know that Prof. Leon Van Vliet, the cellist, has been engaged for their spring concert to be given on May 2. Prof. Van Vliet is easily one of the finest players of this beautiful instrument in New England if not in this country. He needs no introduction to lovers of music in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright of Hingham, (Helen Sibley) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Miss Marion Lewis of Wollaston, has been home from Wheaton Seminary for a few days.

Several Wollaston people attended the "Tech" dance in the New Century building, Wednesday evening.

Kenneth Lewis has returned to Bethlehem, Penn., after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis of Wollaston.

Mr. Taylor, the Superintendent of the Plymouth division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., has leased the house on the corner of Beach and Muirhead streets.

The closing party of Miss F. J. Corlew's Wollaston dancing class will be held a week from today. Owing to the incapacity of Wollaston hall the class will go to Whitney hall, Coolidge corner, Brookline.

Harry Stevens the well known base ball player has been appointed captain of the Merrymount team.

Cuff's Orchestra will furnish music at the dance to be given by Louis Whitehouse and John B. Atkins in Wollaston hall next week.

Manager Baker has recently put in an order for new suits for the Merrymount base ball team and the boys will present as attractive an appearance on the diamonds as in previous seasons.

DOWNS AND PARK.

Master Townsend Hingston, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hingston, of Beach street, entertained a dozen of his little friends on Tuesday afternoon to celebrate his seventh birthday. With games and music a good time was enjoyed by all. The table was very prettily arranged in red and white, the flowers being carnations of the same colors. On the top of the birthday cake in addition to the seven candles rested a white stork. Twelve red ribbons fastened to its legs extended to the plates of the guests where each was attached to downy white chick.

John E. Poland is putting up four houses near the Tubular Rivet & Stud Co. plant.

A land syndicate is trying to get control of the vacant land on both sides of Hancock street, between Beale street and Billings road.

An Afternoon Reception.

Last Tuesday, April 24, Mrs. George Fleming of Wollaston gave a delightful reception from 4 to 6 o'clock to her friends and neighbors in honor of her sister, Mrs. Copland of Brockville, Canada. Mrs. Fleming was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. Wellford, and every guest was made welcome in a charmingly informal manner. Both these ladies have won a great many friends during their few years' residence in Wollaston and it was a real pleasure to meet another member of their family. A succession of smiling faces, pleasant voices and friendly greetings were sufficient to make a good time, without the delicious refreshments which were served in the dining-room. Miss Hinckley, Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Edgar served, and Mrs. Moorhouse poured the coffee.

Mrs. Edward Chase, Miss Fanny L. Johnson, Mrs. Streeter, Mrs. Collyer, Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Henry Barnes, Mrs. Howard Barnes, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Emery, Mrs. Harding, Mrs. Frank Coe, Mrs. Huntington, Mrs. Jewell, Miss Turner, Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Burke, Mrs. Seavy, Mrs. Loring, Mrs. Poole, Mrs. Leavitt, Mrs. Ford were a few of the guests.

Crane—Cameron.

Miss Ida Jane Cameron, daughter of Mrs. Isabella Cameron of Quincy street, was united in marriage Wednesday afternoon to Mr. Thompson Baxter Crane, son of Mr. George Crane of Washington street. The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. Edwin Noah Hardy of the Bethany church. The double ring service was used.

There were present only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. The bride wore a traveling suit and was unattended. The bride was untill recently a popular teacher at the Wollaston school, and the groom is a Technology man, '96.

The number and elegance of the wedding gifts were a token of the esteem in which the young couple are held by their many friends.

They left for an extended trip to New York, Philadelphia and Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Crane will be "at home" to their friends after June fifteenth at 403 Washington street.

Sunday Performance.

Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston, who does not seem to have much respect for the New England Sunday, gave special licenses to the theatre last Sunday to open their doors to raise funds to aid those in distress in San Francisco.

Sunday at the Tremont theatre James K. Hackett and Mary Mannering and their company presented "The Walls of Jerico," which has been crowding the Tremont for the past fortnight.

Mayor Fitzgerald granted a special license, so that Mr. Hackett might give this production, which, by the way, was the first time on record, where a play in its entirety, with all the scenery and accessories, was ever given in Boston on a Sunday night.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of The Kind You Have Always Bought
Chas. H. Fletcher.

ATLANTIC.

Mrs. Williams Whitcher of Webster street gave a Shakespeare tea Monday afternoon in compliment of the birthday of the great master of poetry. Members of the Shakespeare club attended, numbering among them a few privileged substitutes in past meetings. Miss Badger of Everett read a delightful paper on English travels, bringing in home characteristics of Ruskin and other literary artists of the Mother country. The reading was vitalized by a collection of pictures gathered at odd times of travel and adding the finishing touch to Miss Badger's charming discriptions. Later in the afternoon, Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Miller presided at the tea table, after which cake and ices were served. The hostess, Mrs. Whitcher, is president of the Shakespeare club of Atlantic and is keenly appreciative of the masterpieces which have been taken up in detail during the past months.

Mrs. James Toas (nee Blanche Bristol) of New York, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Hill of Walker street.

Mrs. Joseph Pillsbury and children have returned from the South to visit Mrs. Pillsbury's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall of Muirhead road. Mr. Pillsbury has gone to Labrador, on business connected with the government.

Miss Helen King of Worcester, is spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Safford of Clive street.

Mrs. Alfred Jelinck of Botolph street, has gone to Washington, D. C., for a week's trip.

The demand for real estate in Atlantic increases very day now that the spring is at hand.

The back stop on the Atlantic playground has been patched and painted for the summer season.

Lotta Crabtree, one of the largest land owners in the city of Boston has leased the Burkhardt estate at Squantum for the summer with a view to buying.

George Melzard of Botoph street has discontinued his connection with Hooper, Lewis & Co., of Boston, as the typewriter department, which he was the head, has been done away with.

One of the most popular and pleasant walks in Atlantic is to follow the boulevard from the beach to the Sailors' Home, a privilege hitherto denied on account of intervening creeks and wharves.

A peculiar accident happened at the South Terminal station in Boston at 7.50 A. M. Tuesday, when a car of an inward train loaded with passengers entered the station broad-side. At the switch the wheels of one truck took one track, and the wheels of the rear truck the next track. Fortunately, no one was seriously injured, although many were standing in the aisle at the time.

Edmund R. Wade has leased his house on Prospect st., Atlantic the northerly side to Albert D. Proudfit of M. Steinert Sons, Boston; and the side to the south to George B. Dennis, artist with the "Boston American;" who will take possession, April 24th. Mr. Wade will be at Mrs. John Carver's on Billings street, with his family, saving the visit which he will make his brother in East Bridgewater until the first of June, when he will go west for a stay of several weeks.

Mrs. Roger Wilde of Billings street is ill with the grip.

Charles Alden of Botolph street is having a new garage built for his auto.

Mrs. Bruce, wife of Dr. D. A. Bruce of Atlantic, went last week to St. Paul, Minn., for an extend visit with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kolseth of Walker street are making preparations to sail for Norway early in May.

Harry B., the 16-year old son of George Doring, of 126 Faxon road, Atlantic, died Saturday from injuries received by falling out of a window while walking in his sleep. His skull was fractured by the fall.

The funeral was held from his late home, Monday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Henry G. Megathlin, pastor of the Park and Downs church officiating. The body was escorted from the house to the grave by Company B. Atlantic Boys' Brigade of which Harry had been a member. Taps were sounded. Burial was at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Mrs. Thomas Hinkley of Billings street has the sympathy of her many friends in her present illness.

Thomas Gurney, with public spirited enterprise, has personally superintended the setting out of a stripling maple tree on the corner of his land on Newbury avenue and Walker street. The beauty of this tree is that Mr. Gurney has raised it from the seed to its present prosperous state.

Many Atlantic people will take part in the May festival in Quincy Music Hall.

MILTON.

Llewellyn Martin, who left East Milton some years ago for Vinal Haven, Maine, is now located on a farm in East Pembroke, N. H., where he is one of the prominent citizens. He is married and has one son.

Commencing this week the stores will close every Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

A house-to-house collection is being made at East Milton for the San Francisco fund.

The ladies' matinee whist club met with Mrs. Littleton Bolton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Shirk, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bearse, have returned to New York.

E. J. Tinker has returned from a visit to Vermont.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. French of Grafton avenue on Tuesday.

Dr. E. R. McIntosh has moved to the Dowden house on Belcher circle.

G. W. Field of Grafton avenue has moved to the Perry house on Bates road.

H. M. Thomas of Bates road has sold his house to a Mr. McIntosh of Newton.

A. T. Bates of the E. E. Harriman Co., has a new steam runabout.

It is understood that Patrick Maguire is to put up a business block on Willard street.

Mrs. Charles Kelley of Granite avenue is quite seriously ill.

Ladies night was observed by the Thursday evening club of East Milton this week. The program included a musical entertaintment, followed by whist and refreshments.

Rev. Samuel Morrison, a retired Congregational minister, died at his home, 43 Maple street, Braintree, Friday afternoon, aged 75 years.

Quincy county tax will be a few dollars less than last year, being $22,656.00 this year and $23,261.09 in 1905. The total tax is $225,000, this city paying over one-tenth.

Representative Hultman voted on Thursday in favor of striking out the enacting clause of the midnight liquor bill, which had another close call. There were 99 in favor and 104 opposed, with ten pairs, and the bill was enacted. Representative Sandberg was absent.

SOUTH QUINCY.

John Kelman of Quincy street passed away on Thursday. He was a member of Clan McGregor, O. S. C.

Mr. Oscar Bowser of Hudson, Mass. spent Sunday with his cousin Miss Cora Schofield of Water street.

The alarm from Box 138 at 1.30 Sunday morning was for a fire in a hen house on Center street, owned by Forbes Craig. The fire was caused by an incubator. Loss about $25.

Mrs. John R. Richards is seriously ill of pneumonia, at her home on Center street.

Miss Florence L. White of Bennington street who has been quite ill since February was able to walk out last week. Her many friends hope to see her attending to her regular duties before long.

W. T. Spargo & Co. are cutting a very handsome monument of sarcophagus design. The die and cap are very elaborately carved.

The Smith Granite Co., at South Quincy are installing a fifty-horse power electric motor at their plant to run their pneumatic tools and derrick.

Mr. Arthur H. Paterson of New York, formerly of Quincy and his fiancee, Miss Olive T. Williams, after spending a few days with his brother at Melrose Highlands returned to New York Tuesday. Mr. Paterson is now night agent for Penn. R. R. at New York and is also acting as private secretary of Clarke Griffith, captain manager of the New York Americans. Mr. Paterson still thinks Quincy is it and says he can never forget his birthplace.

Lose Two Good Men.

The Quincy Y. M. C. A. is to lose two of the valuable assistants to Secretary Gay. They are F. F. Bugbee, physical director, and R. W. Noon, the boys' work director.

Mr. Bugbee handed in his resignation Monday evening to take effect May 15.

He has another situation in view but nothing definite has been decided upon.

Mr. Bugbee has been with the Quincy Association two years and has proved very efficient and popular.

Mr. Noon has not handed in his resignation as yet, but it will go in at the next meeting of the directors. Mr. Noon's resignation will take effect June 15. He resigns to accept a position with a larger salary at Northampton.

To Become a Resident.

Miss "Lotta" Crabtree, who has been at Savannah, Ga., since last Nov., has returned to Atlantic, where she has resided with her sister-in-law Mrs. Harris, on Atlantic street, and will now spend the summer at the Burkhardt, Squantum place. Her brother, Mr. J. A. Crabtree having leased that beautiful crest in her interest with provision for purchase if desired. Seventy-five acres of lovely headland, with grassy slopes for the two pet ponies to gambol upon; and frontage on the bay for admirable approaches of Mr. Crabtree's yacht will be enlivened to the view of Atlantic people who have such a fine opportunity of seeing Squantum from the shore.

Miss "Lotta" has delighted the world with "Fanchon the Cricket," and her other fascinating stage productions and she is now laurel-crowned and wealthy, enjoying the retirement to which her genius has so gracefully fitted her.

Odd Fellows Anniversary.

Mt. Wollaston lodge No. 80 I. O. O. F. celebrated the 87th anniversary of Odd Fellowship on Thursday evening with an entertainment, smoke talk and collation at Odd Fellows hall.

Members were privileged to invite friends and the gathering was a large one and a thorough good time was enjoyed. On such occasions as these there are usually surprises in store for some one and this affair proved to be no exception to the rule.

The surprise came half way through the evening when Past Grand Hobart arose to the occasion and presented Past Grand William J. Williams with a past grand's collar. Brother Williams was completely taken back by the gift. He thanked the members for their gift and assured them that he should prize it very highly.

The entertainment for the evening included phonograph selections by Henry P. Furnald, violin solos by M. Savage, readings by C. M. Houghton, songs by John Tate, Luther Mason and the Odd Fellows' trio, banjo and harmonica duet by Charles Barron, buck and wing dancing by L. Cleaves, and cornet solos by George Critchley.

There was also an address by Past Grand Master Kavanaugh and remarks by District Deputy Grand Master Silas Wescott. A collation and cigars were all that was necessary to complete the evening's pleasure and these were provided.

Midnight Liquor Law.

Governor Guild received on Thursday the midnight liquor bill and it is said that there will be no hasty action by him on the measure.

The temperance workers will make quite a demonstration at the executive office. They have got to the point where the Governor must veto the bill or be prepared to meet a prohibition candidate at the polls next fall.

Miss Eva Brown of Quincy, who is the head of the Faxon temperance bureau, gave a reporter a statement the other day, in which she said that the temperance issues would hang solely on this bill. The Touraine bill, the abutters' bill, the screen law and other measures, she said, had been passed by agreement, but this was a measure with which they could have no sympathy at all, and the governor must be prepared to take the consequences.

The bill passed the house by a very close vote,—104 to 99.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. George Doring and family of No. 125 Faxon Road, Norfolk Downs, wish to thank their friends and especially members of Company B, 3d Regiment, U. B. B. A., for their kind sympathy and condolences.

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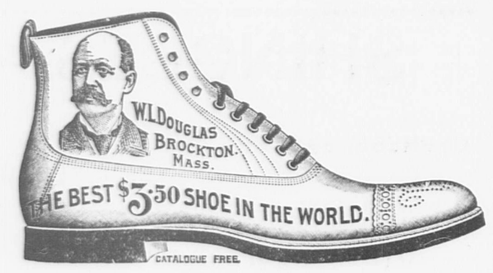
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WEEKLY ALMANAC,		Sun Rises	Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Eve	Moon sets
Saturday, Apr	28,	4 44	6 39	2.15	2.30	11.11 P.M
Sunday, "	29,	4.43	6.40	2.45	3.15	11.59 "
Monday, "	30,	4.41	6.41	3.30	4.15	12.15 A.M
Tuesday, May	1,	4.40	6.43	4.30	5.01	12.42 "
Wednesday, "	2	4.39	6.44	5.15	6.03	1.22 "
Thursday, "	3,	4.37	6.45	6.15	7.09	1.79 "
Friday, "	4,	4.36	6.46	7.15	7.45	2.34 "

First Quarter, May 1st, 2.07 P M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898.
Sunday,	59	62	45	60	66
Monday,	44	64	55	61	62
Tuesday,	55	61	67	67	45
Wednesday,	55	67	63	64	48
Thursday,	58	60	74	55	48
Friday,	69	65	56	58	45
Saturday,	—	61	50	71	42

Another new industry is to be established in Quincy, having purchased of Benjamin Johnson the large brick building at Wollaston recently occupied by the United States Standard Scale Co. The new industry is William Hall & Co., manufacturers of hardware and locks. It is understood that the company will build a large addition to the present building and will move their plant from Boston. The company is now employing 65 men. This number will be largely increased when the Quincy plant is in operation.

Quincy Relief Committee.

The relief committee appointed at Saturday night's meeting for the California sufferers met Monday evening in the office of Mayor Thompson at City Hall.

It was decided to establish places in the several wards where subscriptions could be received. The places decided upon were as follows:

Ward One,—Mt. Wollaston, Granite and Cooperative banks, drug store of C. C. Hearn and E. J. Murphy.

Ward Two,—L. C. Cook's drug store, H. H. I. Smith post office store, Jacob Peterson's store and S. F. Newcomb's store.

Ward Three,—Henry McGrath's office, Harlow's drug store and A. I. Dixon's store.

Ward Four,—L. G. Murray's and J. H. Walsh's drug stores, office of A. W. Loud.

Ward Five,—The two drug stores of S. F. Copeland.

Ward Six,—Branscheid & Marten's news store, Thomas Gurney's store and Paul J. Brown's drug store.

Houghs Neck,—Arthur H. Dunham's post office store.

It was voted that an appeal be issued to the citizens to be published in the local papers. The Mayor and secretary were empowered to draw up the appeal.

It was voted to have a general committee which should cover all wards. The names of the general committee will be found under the appeal in another column.

The City Treasurer was instructed to forward what money had been collected to the custodian of the State fund.

The meeting then adjourned subject to the call of the Mayor.

Carroty Nell.

Again April 20th it was evident that Quincy needs another hall, one larger than Colonial and smaller and more moderate priced than Quincy Music hall. Long before eight the hall was filled and extra seats brought in.

Since the announcement a few weeks ago that the pupils of Mrs. Isabelle Davis were to give a play there has been a great demand for tickets and many more could have been sold if the number had not been limited.

The play given was a two-act farce, "Carroty Nell," with the following cast:

Carroty Nell, orphan	Minnie R. Hardwick
Primsey, orphan	Ruth Packard
Evalina, orphan	Marjorie Welch
Janie, orphan	Blanche Morrison
Cherrie, orphan	Elizabeth G. Pattee
Miss Smith,—The Matron	Annie R. Black
Sarah,—The Housekeeper	
Mrs. Cartwright,—A wealthy widow	Mary A. Thomas
Beth,—Her little daughter	Mary M. Faxon
Gladys Gale, Gushing Charlotte Breeze, Society Girls	Ruth Penniman, Maud W. MacFarlane
Hebe,—Beth's German Maid	Lucille Elwell
Miss Crocker,—A Sour Old Maid	Dulah C. Miller
Bella Slowe, Eila Stiff, Helpful Gleaners	Catherine Saville, Bee Morrison

The leading role of Carroty Nell was taken by Miss Minnie R. Hardwick, and she was ably assisted by the rest of the cast; Miss Lucille Elwell being particularly good as the German maid.

Every participant was letter perfect, and carried their part in a way that reflected much credit on their teaching—the play being given with a snap and without long waits or pauses. It was a remarkably good performance for such youthful actors.

Miss Louise Pray of Braintree, at the piano, entertained the audience before the play and between the acts.

The proceeds go to the Quincy Day Nursery, and a handsome sum was realized.

Among the audience were people from all parts of the city, as well as from out of town, Braintree being especially well represented.

Wollaston Unitarian Parish.

About fifty members attended the special meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian parish April 20th. President Bishop called the meeting to order at 7.45. The first business was to vote on the names of any who desired to become members of the church. F. G. Thayer was unanimously elected a member.

The motion was then made, seconded, and unanimously carried that Rev. E. W. Hunt be requested to continue his services as pastor of the church.

Subscription sheets were passed around and amounts promised for the benefit of the American Unitarian Association. Frank A. Page was elected a life member of this association.

Mr. Bishop thanked those present for coming to the special meeting and the meeting adjourned at 8.15.

National Red Cross Association.

The Masssachusetts Branch of the National Red Cross Association has established headquarters at 4 Joy street, Boston, where supplies of clothing are being received from those wishing to send aid to San Francisco through this organization. Accurate information from official sources in regard to the most pressing needs will be furnished on application. Telephone "Haymarket 1339." All contributions of money should be sent to Gardiner M. Lane, Treasurer, 44 State street, Boston.

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AMONG THE CLUBS.

Monday afternoon the Junior Friday club met at the home of Mrs. Charles F. Harper, Putnam street for the last literary meeting of the season. The business meeting has been postponed until May 14th when the club will meet with Miss Fay Hitchcock, at her home in Marshfield.

The May meeting of the Mother's club will be held Wednesday afternoon, May 2d in the chapel of Bethany church at three o'clock. Mrs. Albert G. Coffin will have charge of the devotional exercises; Mrs. Walter E. Burke will read a paper and there will be songs by Mrs. Rev. K. Whiton. These mothers' meetings are entertaining and instructive.

Daughters of the Revolution are leaving Boston today to attend the annual meeting of the National Society which meets in Philadelphia the week of April 30th. They will be away over a week and some fine excursions to historic places have been planed for their enjoyment.

The Friday club closed its club year on the 27th when the annual meeting was held at the home of Mrs. George W. Morton, Spear street. The retiring officers are: president Mrs. Wilson Marsh; secretary, Mrs. D. E. Wadsworth; executive committee, Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. Wadsworth, Mrs. Zenas Arnold, Mrs. Frederick A. Tupper, Mrs. Ernest Cockayne.

A number of prominent Boston women with representative women from suburban clubs have recently incorporated as The Workers' Guild. Their purpose is to establish for the benefit of all interested in certain departments of philanthropic exchange, introducing them as seems best, and adding to them as need arises. They are listed as follows,—home-cooking, needle work, and hand crafts of various kinds. Lunch-room, tea-room and rest-room, shopping by mail, women guides for shopping and sight-seeing, chaperons for misses and children, nurse's bureau, readers bureau, advisory bureau, information bureau, day-workers, special sales bureau, hand loom rug-weaving, parcel-room for use of city visitors and excursionists. And open meeting is to be held next Wednesday, May 2d at 3 P. M. Room 63, 501 Washington street, near West street, Boston. Reports will be read, and present and future plans discussed. Any one interested is invited to attend. The entire list has been prepared with a view to establishing an outlet for women wanting and needing to earn. To assist both trained and untrained worker.

On Monday evening at the parsonage on Hall place the Alpha club met and, as usual, enjoyed themselves. Thirty-five members and one visitor were present. The committee in charge were: Mrs. Mary McCormick, Miss Hilda Francis, Miss Ada Scott and Miss Hannant. "Letters from Afar" were read. From New Brunswick, read by Mr. Tyler; Brooklyn, Miss Shackley; Florida, Miss Georgietta Thayer; Indiana, Miss A. B. Scott; Washington (State), Mr. C. H. Trask; South America, Mrs. F. W. Fuller. Miss Belle Moir read an account of a trip to Scotland. Refreshments and sociability added to this program contributed to make the evening very enjoyable.

Tha Quincy Women's club was welcomed to the Federation of Women's Clubs held at Middleboro yesterday.

QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, first vice president, was in the chair at the meeting of the Quincy Women's club on Tuesday afternoon.

The announcement was made that the club was now a part of the Mass. State Federation of Women's clubs and was entitled to delegates to the meeting to be held at Middleboro on the 27th. The club will be well represented, several members signifying their desire to attend.

The afternoon's program was in charge of the arts and crafts committee. Rev. Louis B. Cornish of Hingham who was to have spoken was detained by parish duties and his place was taken by Miss O. M. E. Rowe of Boston, vice president of the New England Women's club. She was a most interesting speaker and many thought it one of the best addresses of the season.

The musical part of the program was also exceptionally fine, being songs by Mrs. Herbert Y. Follett of Wollaston, who was in good voice and sang beautifully, receiving appreciative applause.

Some special guests were present, members of The Philergians of Braintree, who enjoyed their first visit to the club and were pleased with the club house.

At the close of the program the woman's exchange was found attractive to many as there was a variety of cake, doughnuts, fancy cakes, etc.

The choral class now meets every Saturday afternoon at three o'clock at the club house for rehearsal and is about ready for the concert to be given in May.

The time has about expired for the payment of dues for the year 1906-1907. The By-laws read "If the fee is not paid before the annual meeting, the person from whom it is due, having been notified in writing shall cease to be a member." The annual meeting is on May 8.

WOMEN'S ALLIANCE.

Over a hundred ladies were present at the closing meeting of the Quincy branch of the National Alliance of Unitarian Women, held in the chapel of First church on Monday afternoon. It was a neighborhood meeting, hospitality being extended to about thirty other alliances.

The speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. S. C. Emerson of Cambridge, who spoke upon "The Unitarian Opportunity,"—a most helpful, and entertaining paper which received the closest attention from her listeners. Duets were sung by Mrs. Hunting and Mrs. Tirrell.

The ladies' parlor had been converted into a tea room and looked pretty with its daintily spread table, Bouquets of daffies, palms and ferns added a spring-like effect.

At the table the pourers were: Mrs. George G. Saville, Mrs. N. S. Hunting, Mrs. Clarence Burgin and Mrs. Arthur H. Doble. They were assisted by a bevy of young ladies of the parish who dispensed hospitality most graciously. Delicious sandwiches, cake, cocoa and frappe were served.

NEIGHBORING CLUBS.

Every day records the end of the season for active club meetings among the various clubs in this vicinity and annual meetings have been the rule this month. As spring comes, endoor pleasures wane and thoughts turn in other directions.

The Wednesday Morning club enjoyed an outing Wednesday. A private trolley was taken from Boston to Concord, where luncheon and driving to historic places were enjoyed.

Monday afternoon, April 30, the New England Women's club will meet in Allston hall, Boston, and it promises to be a delightful afternoon as Mrs. Laura E. Richards is to read from her own writings.

The Hyde Park Current Events club closed its season Wednesday, holding its annual meeting.

By invitation of the Cabot club the April meeting of the State Federation was held in Middleboro on Friday April 27, in the Unitarian church, beginning at 10.30. The Quincy, Braintree, Weymouth and Milton clubs sent delegates.

Heptorean club of Somerville has closed its club season, although it will do much philanthropic work during the summer.

Mrs. James B. Jones and Mrs. M. E. Hawes represented the Monday club of Weymouth at Middleboro on Friday and Mrs. J. R. Heckman, Miss Lillian McGregor and Mrs. Jennie B. Worster at the May meeting in Melrose.

Y. M. C. A. Circus.

The second annual gymnastic exhibition of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. took the form of a Circus, which opened Tuesday evening in the Association building, and was easily the "greatest show on earth." The whole membership was enthused over the show, and it had been extensively advertised so that the attendance was large crowding the balcony and more than half of the gymnasium floor.

From 7.30 to 8.30 the side show claimed attention, and there were so many attractions for the great show which opened at 8.30 that it was necessary to omit some the opening night.

The side show was in the Association hall, and was truly marvelous. The wild animals were in huge cages on one side of the hall, and the freaks upon platforms on the opposite side, and the electric display in a dark side room. The program enumerated the attractions modestly as follows:

Goliath 2d, only living descendant of the old giant race. Have a look and see how small you feel. H. Thomas.

The Tattooed Man, a wonderful specimen of art. See him before he is sent to the Smithsonian Museum. C. A Anderson.

The Missing Link, two rare specimens in confirmation of the Darwinian theory of evolution. R. Jones and C. Patch.

Poo Poo the Wild Moro, brought from the Phillipines to show at St. Louis. His only appearance in the East. H. Holton.

Maud, the famed mule and keeper. Come and see one of whom you have read so often. And her name was Maud. Don't he haw, it makes Maud nervous. G. Tupper and W. Jones.

Bruno the Bear, one of Teddy's latest prizes. He refused to be shot so was presented to our wonderful aggregation. He never saw Wall street. F. Bugbee.

Mme. Hairmug, the lady with the capillary appendages on her nether jaw. If you want to grow a goat buy some of the Madam's elixir for sale at the gate. Brooks.

Bill, the largest bird ever hatched from an egg. He's a swell duck. R. Noon.

Religious Bovine, brought all the way from Egypt. Let the children see this animal from the far East. Hardwick and Taylor.

The Siamese Twins, the only healthy, sound minded pair in existence. W. Pratt and F. Baker.

Bones, the living skeleton. He thrives on shadow soup and wind pudding. Don't misplace your sympathy, he is perfectly healthy. Tirrell.

Buster Brown and his dog Tige, the original buster, and Tige his pup. Just made new resolutions. Maloney and Morris.

Pussy, the largest cat in existence. Parker.

Osee, eats 'em alive. The beautiful snake-charmer. Manuel.

Electrical Display, it will make your hair rise. X-Ray sights.

Tom Thumb and his wife, the smallest couple ever married. Sure to interest. Sturgis Hunt and Wm. Holt.

Blat-Blat Band, the best German band ever given a license in this city. Leader, Savage.

The barkers and the venders of peanuts, lemonade and pop corn were busy and there was something doing all the time. The children enjoyed it greatly.

MAIN SHOW.

The great German band gave the grand concert at the main show, and the "Grand Entree" when all the stars marched in and around the sawdust ring, was a big feature. Theophilus King, Esq., was the ringmaster.

The show included some meritorious work on the horizontal bar and parallel bars by C. F. Melendy, B. D. Solomon, C. F. Brown, C. H. Ryder and W. J. Bartlett; walking of a slack wire by B. Smith; and illuminated club swinging by E. A. Barrier. These were interspersed with music (?) freaks, clown acts, hobby horses, tumbling, etc. The clowns were Messrs. Schofield, Marsh, Dunn, Jones, Thomas and Tarbox.

Charles Dornan, a Quincy young man who is a machinist at the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, appeared as Howdidi, and was very successful in mystifying the audience. He escaped from handcuffs and from a packing case. At one time Officer Goodhue, of the regular Quincy police force, placed five pairs on his wrists at once. He emerged from the cabinet in a few minutes with hands released and the hand cuffs opened. It took but ten minutes for him to get out of the box which was roped and locked as when he entered it.

There was even a larger crowd at the circus on the second night than on Tuesday evening, and it was a repetition of the opening success. First the side show was the attraction and then the main show.

The wild animals and freaks had been fed only on raw meat and were more or less dangerous. One seldom sees such an aggregation.

The ringmaster for the main show was Mr. Walter H. Bentley, the new master of the Coddington school, who is one of the active workers of the Y. M. C. A., and he made a great hit in the new position into which he was suddenly called.

There were several new features in the program, including Prof. Robertson, who gave an exhibition with the punching bag; the juvenile tumblers, the pyramids, etc.

There was regret that Howdidi could not give his packing case trick, but he was indisposed and not in condition to be confined in a close box. He gave with success, however, an exhibition of how he escapes from handcuffs.

All the Y. M. C. A. boys are entitled to great credit for the success of the circus, but especially Physical Director Bugbee, General Overseer Miller and Raymond W. Noon. A good sum will be netted, and the Association will gain many new members.

Quincy High Wins.

The Quincy High base ball team played its first game on Tuesday and defeated Braintree High 14 to 2 at Merrymount park. The score by innings was:

Quincy,	2	1	3	2	4	0	0	2		—14
Braintree,	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 2

For the Quincy Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, April 25, 1906.

Taxation progress promises to amount to nothing this year, and the principal reason is the unfortunate state of affairs inside of the taxation committee as well as a desire to get through the session promptly and not do the work which the people have sent here to have done for them. The committee has been in a serious discord and it has not done nearly all the work which it should have done. Thus it happens that almost at the end of April there remains a half dozen or so highly important measures upon which they have not given hearings and upon which they are not ready to report. Most important of these is the direct inheritance tax. The committee now wants to have all these matters and the revision of the tax laws as a whole referred to a recess committee. This would let out this committee from its just duties. The House has adopted the order for a recess committee without any discussion to speak of upon its merits. As a matter of fact, these recess committees of the legislature amount to but little. Their reports are made to a legislature which had nothing to do with creating the committee, their work must all be heard anew by the new legislative committee on the subject, and the recess committee cuts a pretty small figure by the time that action is due. Hence there is no special reason to suppose that this committee will be an exception to the rule. They get their summer job. The state pays the bill and the subject remains as much of a puzzle as ever. Compensation for state work is always good. The special insurance committee, for two months' work, wanted $10,000. The senate committee on ways and means, which had the matter, thought that $5,000 was sufficient, and they compromised on $7,000. Recess committees never suffer from lack of members who would be glad to sit on them.

One of the bills which is going through solely by the impetus of philanthropic friends is that to change the law for the assignment of wages so as to prevent any assignment from being for more than two years. Poor people, who buy on the instalment plan, have a way of getting over head in debt. The sellers of goods have them in their power and their entire lives may be passed in a hopeless struggle against overwhelming debt. The purpose of this law is to stop such a burden and to prevent working people from signing away their liberties and happiness so completely. There was opposition in the senate,—though none was made in the house,—and yet it had no effect in stopping the bill. The good offices of the newspaper have been asked for and it is evident that they have been freely given in the good cause.

Somehow or other the public lighting companies are able to block all legislation looking to the relief of the people from monopoly. Several propositions have been proposed to change the present cast iron law whereby the corporations hold cities and towns so closely in their grip. The progressive side has been very weak in debaters. Two or three have spoken for the bills, and have done creditably, but there is in both house and senate a marked lack of that strong debating power which can take up a proposition, see its strong points and speak for them to the entertainment and conversion of the listeners. The people at home need to pick out stronger men for their public representatives and have men here who can take up a matter of principle and handle it like a master, and, at the same time, be so true to labor and the public that it would make a deep impression. Our people are not careful enough to get strong thinkers and speakers for their representatives.

Our colored population will doubtless be angry with the republican party, for the legislature has refused to demand official guarantee that the colored people shall be as well treated at the Jamestown celebration as the whites. The House refused to give them any such consideration at all. But the Senate on Tuesday adopted an amendment to the appropriation of $50,000 providing that before the governor should appoint his commission to represent the state he should make himself satisfied that the colored people should be treated as well as if the celebration were to be held in Massachusetts. Today that was reconsidered and was refused adoption by vote of 17 to 18 on roll call. Then there was a vote of 24 yeas to 10 nays on the matter of making any appropriation at all, and among the ten were such conservative Senators as Cummings of Norfolk, Harding of the Cape, Clark of Middlesex and Parker of Hampden. The matter is not wholly ended yet, but it is not probable that there will be any change from the situation, which is that the state will appropriate $50,000 and will be represented with no further assurance of non-discrimination against the negroes than was contained in the assurance of the agent of the managers that no discrimination of color should be observed on the grounds or in the buildings.

The public franchise league is doing what it can to secure the adoption of a sliding scale for the price of gas in Boston and it believes, by its counsel, Messrs. Anderson and Brandeis, that it has secured such a system as will protect the consumers and not enable the company to pay big dividends without first giving the cream of the income to the public. Gas commissioners Barker and Schaff are against the bill as likely to fasten large charges upon the public.

The committee on taxation is reported to be about evenly divided on the proposition to tax college property such as dormitories, boarding houses and professors' residences. Whichever way the committee reports, therefore, there is sure to be a contest. It is a hot contest and has been growing in intensity for years. The issue is old. It has been settled before in favor of the colleges and the fact that the cities and towns which have colleges would give much, rather than lose them, indicates what is the real situation, in spite of the plausible charges which are made and the great temptation to the assessors and the tax payers it must be of seeing a large block of property right before their eyes and not paying taxes. It is too early yet to give any indication of the way the legislature will stand on the proposition to tax.

Water has become so much of a question, particularly in connection with the problems for Boston and Springfield that the water supply committee has reported a bill to compel cities and towns to meter their water service, except such as is used by the fire departments, in all cases where the source of the supply is out side of the municipal limits. The metering is not to be made compulsory all at once, but it must begin and proceed by 5 per cent, annual instalment until the whole is covered.

Adverse reports have been made on the petitions to exempt state and municipal bonds from taxation, but no action has been taken yet by the House where the reports were presented. High authority, even State Treasurer Chapin, and others, is for the exemption, but conservatives are against it because it increases the exempted classes.

Rule.

Water Ordinance.

The proposed amendment to the City Ordinances relative to the water meters is emphatic on one point, that the Committee favor the installing of water meters all over the city, but possibly they are taking this step as blindly as the others.

It will take four to five years to install meters for the whole system if $20,000 is appropriated annually, but the ordinance as reported has no suggestions to make as towhere a beginning shall be made whether in manufacturing plants, mercantile houses, stables, boarding houses, depots, halls, dwellings, schoolhouses and public buildings, or where.

The rental rate is very important but the ordinance leaves it entirely with the Commissioner of Public Works, who serves only two or three years on an average, sometimes only one year. He might charge ten or forty cents per 1,000 gallons, or he might have different prices, and favor this one or that one. As at present, little is known about water rates, whether they are uniform or equitable.

It may cost $100,000 to install meters for the whole city, as the city may have 7,000 to 8,000 services in five years. Should the city save less than $10,000 per year on its Metropolitan water assessments, the appropriation for meters would not be very profitable.

The proposed ordinance reads:

That Ordinance No. 26, an Ordinance concerning the management of the Water Department of this City of Quincy, be amended by adding thereto sections 11 and 12 as follows:—

Section 11. The Commissioner of Public Works shall install a system of metering the entire water service of the City.

He shall attach some standard make of meters to all house services and also to all other services supplying water for any and all purposes, excepting such as may be used by the Fire Department in the extinguishing of fires.

All meters shall be furnished, installed, maintained and renewed at the cost of the city, and rental shall be charged therefor. Rental rates for meters shall be fixed by the Commissioner of Public Works.

Any meter injured through the negligence of water taker shall be repaired or replaced at his expense.

No meter shall be moved, disturbed or repaired except under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Section 12. All premises where water is taken may at any reasonable time be inspected by a properly authorized officer whenever the Commissioner of Public Works shall deem it for the interest of the department that such inspection should be made.

New Books.

The following is a list of new books at the Thomas Crane Public Library:

	Shelf No.
Bangs, J. K. Mrs. Raffles: adventures of an amateur crackswoman.	241 39
Brown, Abbie F. Flower princess.	j 283 57
Collodi, C., *pseud.* Adventures of Pinocchio.	j 268 42
Devine, E. T. Principles of relief.	63 77
Dillion, Mary. In old Bellaire.	297 64
Fiske, A. K. Modern bank.	65 104
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Haggard, H. Rider. Poor and the land: report on the Salvation army colonies in the United States and at Hadleigh, England; with scheme of national land settlement.	63 60
Hampson, William. Radium explained: a popular account of the relations of radium to the natural world, to scientific thought, and to human life. [Practical science series.]	493 100
Hopkins, A. A., *and* Bond, A. R., *compilers.* Scientific American reference book.	Ref. G
Hyslop, J. H. Problems of philosophy; or, principles of epistemology and metaphysics.	552 66
Jespersen, Otto. How to teach a foreign language.	77.45
Laycock, Craven *and* Scales, R. L. Argumentation and debate.	77 50
Lecky, W. F. H. History of England in the 18th century, vol. 7, 8, 2v.	372 85,86
Lounsbury, T. R. Standard of pronunciation in English.	77 44
Mabie, H. W. Fairy tales every child should know: selection of the best fairy tales of all times and of all authors.	j 280 1
Margoliouth, D. S. Mohammed and the rise of Islam [Heroes of the nations.]	457 37
Martin, E. S. Luxury of children, and some other luxuries.	543 64
Moore, J. B. American diplomacy: its spirit and achievements.	68 87
Murphy, E. G. Problems of the present South.	68 66
Older, Mrs. Fremont. Giants.	327 81
Page, C. H., *editor.* British poets of the 19th century.	514 37
Parker, F. W., *and* Helm, Nellie L. Uncle Robert's geography. [4. River journey.]	j 481 56
Phelps, Albert. Louisiana: a record of expansion [American commonwealth.]	398 17
Phelps, C. E. D. Accolade; or, the canon of his ye man.	232 64
Richards, Rosalind. Nursery fire	j 710 65
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Sidgwick, Henry. Lectures on the philosophy of Kant, and other philosophical lectures & essays.	552 69
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Skinner, C. M. Little gardens: how to beautify city yards and small country spaces.	465 11
Stephen, Leslie. English literature and society in the 18th century.	78 41
Stone, Gertrude L., *and* Fickett, M. Grace. Every day life in the colonies.	j 391 99
Stringer, Arthur. Lonely O'Malley: story of boy life.	250 78
Warwick, C. F. Mirabeau and the French revolution.	364 42
Weingartner, Felix. Symphony since Beethoven.	490 51
Who's who in America, 1906-1907.	Ref. C.

Earthquake at Shipyard.

At the Union Iron Works yard at San Francisco last week the big passenger steamer Columbia which was building on the ways was toppled over on her side by the earthquake. The government warships were uninjured.

—A mass meeting of the citizens of Braintree will be held in the Town hall Sunday afternoon, April 29, at 4 o'clock for the benefit of the sufferers from the eartbquake in California. Music by Cuff's orchestra.

California Letters.

The family of Mrs. Katherine Billings of Glover avenue, were greatly relieved Thursday afternoon, when they received a letter from relatives in San Francisco, stating that they had escaped injury.

Ever since the earthquake they have watched the papers carefully for news of William S. Barker and of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barker, formerly of Quincy, but now located in California.

The letter received was from William S. Barker and gives an interesting account of his fighting his way through the fire in search of his parents.

Mr. Barker, the writer of the letter, was until a year ago an officer in the Salvation Army. Since that time he has been engaged in the real estate business in San Francisco, having an office on Market street opposite the Palace hotel.

The letter which was dated on Sunday, said in part:

"Just a line to let you know that all our lives have been saved, but nothing more, except my furniture in Berkley. San Francisco, is completely destroyed from the ferry to 20th street, and the report this morning says that it has gone out to the ferry.

"Mother's place was still standing this morning. I have my house yet and enough food for a few days. No doubt we will be able to get some supplies from the relief station.

"The people are calm and the government is doing all it can. Reports of disorder, shooting and riot have been greatly exaggerated in the papers.

"My wife's people are with me, and my brother Richard and his wife and her people are camping on the hills.

"Immediately after the earthquake I started to San Francisco to see if I could find my father and mother. After fighting my way through the fire, I found them in the kitchen of their home, 413 Bartlett street, which is only one block from where the fire was raging.

"They were eating bean soup and making corn mush instead of bread, that being all they had or could get.

"I urged them to return to Berkley with me, believing that it would be but a short time before their home would be destroyed as the fire was in a very short distance of the house.

"They preferred however to remain where they were, saying that they wanted to stay as long as possible, and that they would not go until they were driven out.

"Our money is not all gone unless the bank fails. Kind regards to all.

Francis Veazie has received an interesting letter from his son Frank A. Veazie, who was in the San Francisco at the time of the earthquake, telling of his experience during these trying times. Frank is well known in Quincy where he passed his early life. He has been in California for about ten years. The letter in part is asfollows:

San Francisco, April 21, 1906.

I suppose you are anxious to learn if I am still in the land of living, after such a calamity as we have had. Well, it is hard to kill some people, and I guess I am one of the hard ones, for which I am very thankful. So I will simply say both myself and wife are so far all right. I will try and give you a slight idea how things are here, but suppose you can learn more from the newspapers then I can tell you.

Wednesday morning at 5.15 we had the most severe earthquake California ever experienced. Surely I thought my time had come. Our house seemed to lay down, then stand up, then try it all over again; not once, but man times. It seemed that it would never get settled either one way or the other. So all we could do was to hang on to each other, and stay with it.

But finally all became quiet, and the house still was right side up, minus the chimney, but almost everything in the house had made a move as if trying to get away. Vases and everything movable was broken all over the house.

We were up at once, and into our clothes about as soon as we could, but never left the house until everything was quiet; then only to find that many houses were flat on the ground.

Such a sight I hope never again to ook at. Not being satisfied with what had been done, fire broke out near C and Howard street, also in Hay's valley, and as the earthquake had broken the water pipes there was no way to stop the fire, so ever since then things have been a little warm around here.

At this time Saturday 7 A. M., it looks as if the worst was over. I do not know just how much there is left of San Francisco, but this much I do know there is very little. I understand that 300,000 people are homeless, and hungry,—no water, or lights, or food. But so far I know of but little suffering.

My wife and her father and myself are among the most fortunate, as we were well supplied with food of all kinds, but we have shared the largest part of it with some families with children who have nothing at all to eat. We all expect relief to come in a day or so. We can get a little water, enough to drink and make coffee with, but that is all. We cannot make any fire in the house. All fires must be made in the street and all cooking done there.

"The city is under martial law and everyone carries a gun of some kind, for times are desperate, and the people are like mad. They will not stand by hungry and see anything eatable, but what they must have some, and so we must all look out for ourselves the best way we can.

The marshal was here just now asking us if we could give him something, so he took some baking powder which my wife gave him, as we were well supplied with it. He was very thankful. All the stores out this way have been opened up by the law and everything given out to anyone who can get it.

The fire is all out in this part of the city It was stopped at 21st street about four blocks from us, so we fear nothing more from that.

We lost very little and are in no danger of hunger at present. The most we want is bread and crackers, which are impossible to get. Otherwise are all right.

There is much I might write you, but I am rather nervous and tired and the paper will give you a better account then I can, so will try and send this as soon as possible.

Address 240 Chattanooga street.

—At All Souls church in Braintree on Sunday $180 was subscribed toward the California fund.

—At the Dedham session of the Norfolk probate court on Wednesday administrations were granted on the estates of Margaret Mannex of Quincy, T. C. Mellen of Weymouth, H. C. Mellen of Weymouth, and Mary Buckingham of Milton. Accounts were allowed C. N. Deshayes of Quincy for $1,986.27, Leticia Jameson of Quincy for $1,871.24, and Mary Sanford of Milton for $1,652.88.

—J. Nickless sub-master of the Weymouth High school has been elected as principal of the Brookfield High school.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 8.30 A. M., Holy Communion. 10.30 morning prayer and sermon. Sunday School in the Parish house at 12 M. Galahad Brotherhood in the church at 12.10 M. Evening prayer and address at 7 o'clock. Evening prayer and address at Pythian hall, Braintree, at 4 o'clock. All welcome.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 11.50. All invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon service at 2.30. Series of sermons on the Christian churches. Subject: "The Unit

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Poetry.

My Part.

PHILIP B. STRONG.

Not mine to count the cost of right,
Its gain or loss, its boon or bane;
But mine to do with fearless might
What God through conscience maketh plain.

Not mine to judge another's deed
In phrase severe and harsher thought;
But mine with constant care to heed
What action by myself is wrought.

Not mine by certain sight to walk,
In sure success from day to day:
But mine, whate'er my plans may balk,
In faith to find or win a way.

Notes and Comments.

—"Graft" and the appropriation of money of other people, judging from the reports published daily in the public press, do not appear to be confined to officials of the great corporations. The universality of the habit would apparently warrant the invocation of the book of common prayer; "God be merciful to us miserable sinners," and "God have mercy upon us and incline our hearts to keep this law."

The Washington Post says: "John Quincy Adams of Massachusetts, and later of New York and Philadelphia, who was seen at the Raleigh last evening, is a distinguished-looking gentleman, and evidently worthy of the great name which he bears. He is in direct descent from that Samuel Adams, who did such a glorious work in paving the way for the revolution, and who was near of kin to those illustrious men, who became presidents. Mr. John Quincy Adams is in Washington on a most patriotic and laudable mission, that of presenting to congress the quaint old brick and stone house in Arch street, Philadelphia, in which Betsy Ross made the first American flag. "This house," said Mr. Adams, "is in a fine state of preservation, and in fact, is about as sound as it was when built over 220 years ago. It was bought by 10-cent subscriptions from the American people at large, and more than 1,000,000 persons of every creed, color, and condition were contributors."

—As a memorial to the late Susan B. Anthony, it is proposed to raise a fund of $75,000 for the erection of a woman's building on the campus of Rochester university. The building is to contain dormitories, a gymnasium and club and reception rooms. The appeal will be to the whole country, and the necessary sum will undoubtedly be speedily pledged. The building will not only be a fitting memorial to one of the most eminent women of the country, but it will also be of great benefit to Rochester university, in which Miss Anthony was so deeply interested.—Milford Gazette.

—Some idea of the scandalous overproduction in the Government Printing Office in Washington of worthless publications, which cannot be forced into circulation or given away, may be formed from the statement of an investigating committee that there are 400 carloads of this dead documentary matter now on hand, and that the Government is renting three buildings at a cost of $12,000 a year for the sole purpose of storing the stuff.—Philadelphia Record.

—The tax on wealth suggested by President Roosevelt is a far more sensible and practical thing than the heavy taxation of the poor who are unable to bear the heavy burden laid upon food products and other articles. The taxation of the rich is one of the first steps toward placing a limitation upon too great riches.—Boston Courier.

—The entertainment of summer guests has long been recognized as New Hampshire's chief industry, and that it has proved highly profitable is attested by many a prosperous Granite state farmer, whose capacious house is crowded every summer with city guests, all eager for more or less extended stay among the rocky hills that have won for the state its world-wide reputation as a summer resort. As an indication that the business is still growing is the fact that $1,700,000 has been invested within the year in new hotels and improvements and summer homes. A splendid hotel is nearing completion in Franconia Notch to replace the long famous Profile house, and a $120,000 hotel is going up on lake Sunapee, not to mention various lesser hotels and smaller houses. New Hampshire is worthy of all the guests it can lure into its delightful precincts.—Milford Gazette.

—The United States is making the right sort of progress at Panama, after all, according to Hon. Louis A. Frothingham's report of conditions on the isthmus. He believes the charges of Poultney Bigelow are absolutely without foundation, as the government is looking out for the workingman, and that the sanitary conditions are all that they should be.—Boston Courier.

—Twenty-five new style electric locomotives will soon be shipped to one of the big railroads in New England, which it is claimed will drive the steam locomotive out of business. They will pull a train of 250 tons each between New York and Boston at an average of 70 miles an hour. They will weigh seven tons each, and each has four 400 horse power electric motors, thus exceeding the power of the average steam locomotive.—Athol Chronicle.

—When General Grant was in Paris, the president of the republic as a special token of respect, invited him to a place on the grand stand to witness the great race on Sunday. It is considered a discourteous act to decline such an invitation from the head official of the republic, but General Grant in a polite note declined the honor, and said to the French president, "It is not in accordance with the customs of my country or the spirit of my religion to spend Sunday in that way." And when the Sabbath came that great hero found his way to the American chapel where he was one of its quiet worshippers.—Christian Endeavor World.

—Sebretary Bonaparte is worried over the lack of desirable new employes in the navy department who are willing to fill the places vacated by employes who leave to accept positions in other departments or with private corporations. As the total number of naval employes on the classified list is about twenty-five hundred, the percentage of resignations and declinations is unusually large.—Boston Courier.

—The railroads of the country receive nearly a million dollars a week for carrying the United States mails, the exact sum in 1905 being $45,279,940.04.

—People who favor Federal control of about everything, should note the difficulty with which some of the branches of the present Government are properly conducted. A case in point is the crop reporting department. It is said that a commission which has been investigating the subject will handle the crop reporting service without gloves and that some of the "disclosures" will be sensational.—Banker and Trademan.

—It is not pleasant to learn of the number of lapsed life insurance policies reported by some of the leading insurance companies, but it only indicates how easy it is to create a panic, where the greatest injury is done to, and by those whose interests lie in preventing any such state of affairs. In the present case of the policy holders, thousands of them are either refusing to pay any more premiums, or are taking the cash-surrender values for their policies. Either of these alternatives is unwise, for they must either re-insure in other companies in order to protect their families, or go without any protection whatever. To re-insure, if they can pass the medical examination, means a great increase in the amount of the yearly premium to be paid, which would be almost prohibitive in some cases, or would oblige the parties taking out a much smaller policy than originally. Supposing all the dishonest acts of all the officers of the companies under investigation were proved, and they were as bad as public opinion might infer, there is not, nor has there been, the slightest suspicion of any defalcation of the written contracts. The companies towards whom the lime light has been most strongly directed, will pay every cent called for by the terms of the policy and considerably more in the way of dividends.—Old Colony Memorial.

—Benefactors such as Henry H. Rogers of Fairhaven are few. It is the lot of some towns like Methuen, Northeastern and Fairhaven to receive great gifts rendering them the envy of other municipalities on account of the beauty of their public architecture, but the new High school at Fairhaven appears to be perhaps the handsomest public building of the kind in the country.—Brookline Chronicle.

Timely Sermon

At Christ's church, on Sunday morning, Rev. William E. Gardner preached a sermon suggested by the California disaster. His subject was: "In Disaster is there Divine Indifference," and his text was taken from II Cor. 2—9: "Eye hath not seen nor ear heard, neither hath entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him."

After commenting on the earthquake and the wave of atheism and agnosticism which always follows any great spectacular disaster, the speaker said: "None before me have degraded themselves by yielding to atheistic thoughts; but I do, however, take it for granted that while your faith may be firm, in your mind you may not be clear, and you would seek to avoid a meeting with an atheist rather than face the possibility in contention.

Antheism arises from disaster because of the loose thinking of men. Most men today have changed their ideas of the universe. They no longer think of this earth or the sun as the centre of everything. We know today that our earth is but a satellite of a sun nearly a million times bigger, and that in the infinitesimal part of space revealed by the telescope we can see fifty million stars, each star a mighty sun, which like our own is the centre of a planetary system full, possibly, of concious life. This is the universe that we think of today.

But while men have changed their ideas of the universe they have not changed their ideas of God. God is still thought of as man enlarged, as having the definite occupation of running things, and we like to think that He is ever leaning down to listen to our particular prayers, and granting or refusing them as He in His wisdom deems best.

If a man has a fairly good idea of the universe based on science and evidence, but still retains an idea of God based on inheritance, he has no ability to cope with the question of God when disaster comes.

The new conception of the niverse demands a new conception of God; and the best scientists of today are far from being atheists or agnostics. They tell us that the grandest evidence of God is in the fact that there is present throughout the universe the element of mind, everywhere is there law and order, everywhere the same law revealing the presence of the same mind. The law of heat and light, and gravitation operate the same in Boston, as in the Pleiades. And the scientists go further, and assert the reality of the spiritual life. History reveals a force in humanity that makes for righteousness. If the dimensions of the material universe seem large, how much larger are the dimensions of the spiritual universe.

With the new perspective we get a new idea of disaster. Everywhere there is suffering. While 250 lost their lives in California, in Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Chicago more than 250 died, victims of disease, lust and crime.

The real question is: "Why does God allow suffering in the universe?" The real answer is: Even God cannot do impossibilities. He cannot make a round square nor two plus two equal three. He cannot make water to moisten and not engulf; nor a law of gravitation that will not kill; nor fire that will not burn. He cannot create a planet with heat conditions right for making the soil productive and electrical conditions of such a nature that our houses may be as light by night as by day, and not have at certain point movements of the earth's surface and volcanic discharges.

There must be pain and struggle, but there is no reason why we should call pain and struggle evils. Most of our trouble arises from the element of fear, we are afraid of pain, afraid of struggle, afraid of death, and because of our fear—our narrow-minded fear we blame God, when in reality he is our wise Creator and Guide. We will ease our fear, we will bear pain manfully, we will gladly struggle, when we realize that "the heavens declare the glory of God" and are convinced that eye "hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither hath entered into the heart of man, the things that God hath prepared for them that love Him."

Relief Mass Meeting.

That Quincy will do its share, toward the relief of the suffering thousands at San Francisco, was evident by the generous way in which the citizens present, at the meeting held Saturday evening at City Hall under the call of Mayor Thompson, contributed their mite toward this most worthy object.

Although the evening was rather unfavorable for a large attendance there were many present. Hands went freely down deep into pockets and a substantial sum was quickly raised as a starter. The total for the evening's work being over $800.

Mayor Thompson called the meeting to order and stated that the meeting was called in the name of humanity, to derive ways in some substantial form for the suffers in California, and to show our sympathy with them in this their hour of need. If our action is prompt we may alleviate much want and distress. Our purpose tonight is to act.

The meeting then organized with Mayor Thompson as Chairman, George T. Magee as Secretary, and Henry G. Fay as Treasurer.

Charles C. Hearn started the ball rolling by moving that a committee of two be appointed by the Chairman from each ward to act as a relief committee.

Paul R. Blackmur believed that if it was generally known that the City Treasurer was prepared to receive contributions that the funds would come quickly and spontaneously.

Theophilus King believed this was a case where every heart was ready to respond. It was a beautiful outburst of enthusiasm of sympathy. Where all want to help and he did not think there would be any need to solicit funds. It might be well however to have committees in every ward to receieve funds and forward them to the Treasurer. It it was desired to give an entertainment in Music Hall the trustees would gladly give the use of the hall.

Councilman Hull thought it would be a good idea to have someone in each ward to receive funds and suggested that an appeal be made in the different churches on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Hardy and Rev. Mr. Butler who were present said that such an appeal would be made in their churches.

Fred B. Rice thought it might be a good idea to have boxes in each ward where people could drop their mite.

Mr. Hearn said that he had received a message from Rev. Fr. Coan of St. John's church that while he was unable to be present in person he was with the movement in spirit and would do what he could.

Mayor Thompson gave a similar message from Rev. Fr. Roche.

Dr. E. R. Johnson said that the Wollaston Glee club would give their service for a concert if it was decided to give an entertainment.

The motion of Mr. Hearn was then voted.

The Treasurer was authorized to acknowledge contributions through the press.

The Committee was also empowered their number if it was thought best.

Mayor Thompson was then made an ex-officio chairman of the committee.

Mayor Thompson then announced as the several sub-committees the following:

Ward One,—Delcevare King, Rupert F. Claflin.

Ward Two,—Eugene R. Stone, W. F. Sidelinger.

Ward Three,—Eugene O'Connor, Alexander Cowe.

Ward Four,—Rev. A. F. Roche, James F. Burke.

Ward Five,—Walter E. Simmons, Wendell H. Hull.

Ward Six,—Roger H. Wilde, Harry W. Read.

Mayor Thompson then announced that there was a subscription paper ready if anyone present wished to contribute and several hundred dollars was quickly subscribed. City Treasurer Fay was then invited to visit the rooms of the Granite City Club. The paper was passed among the members and in a few minutes $185 was subscribed.

Assault on Officer.

Officer Bradley had his hands full Sunday night when he attempted to arrest Jacob Hill in a boarding house on Clark avenue.

Earlier in the evening he had found the young man in the street and ordered him home. Instead of going home the fellow began to create a disturbance and Officer Bradley placed him under arrest.

Jacob was turned over to another officer, but got away and ran into the house with Officer Bradley after him.

Once in the house a lively row was soon in progress as John Hill and two women, who gave their names as Mary and Ida Hill, set upon Officer Bradley.

During the mix up that followed Officer Bradley got a blow over the head laying it open.

Jacob Hill, the original cause of the disturbance, had his head split open with a blow from the officer's club.

Someone sent word to the police station that Officer Bradley was being murdered and a wagon load of officers was quickly sent to the scene.

Jacob Hill was locked up on a charge of disturbing the peace and assault on an officer.

John Hill was charged with assault on an officer and the two women for interfering with an officer.

Dr. Ash sewed up the wound in Officer Bradley's head and Dr. Jones performed the same service for the two Hills.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mrs. A. M. Mischler, Whitwell street, Monday evening. Mrs. Cooper of Milton gave a pleasing recitation and there were piano selections by Mr. A. W. Lawton of Philadelphia and songs by Miss McCue and Mr. Mischler. At 10 o'clock a lunch was spread which was much enjoyed.

—Fire brigades will be organized among the girl students at Wellesley college.

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Citizens of Quincy:

Our President has appealed to the whole United States, our Governor has appealed to the cities and towns of Massachusetts, and the appalling calamity that has fallen upon our fellow-citizens of San Francisco and other places in California has appealed to our hearts.

The Quincy Relief Committee has been formed so that we may better do our part in the great outpouring of practical sympathy which is sweeping the land. All contributions, no matter how small, will be most welcome, and wil be acknowledged daily in the local press. The committee which was appointed at the public meeting Saturday night has been largely increased so that there may be a more general representation.

The Treasurer is at Room 2, City Hall, 8 to 12 A. M. and 1 to 5 P. M.

The following will also receive contributions:—

WARD 1.

National Granite Bank. — Arthur H. Dunham's store.
National Mt. Wollaston Bank. — Hearn's Drug Store.
Quincy Savings Bank. — Murphy's Drug Store.
Quincy Co Operative Bank.

WARD 2.

Cook's Drug Store. — Peterson's Grocery Store.
Newcomb's Grocery Store. — Smith's Grocery Store.

WARD 3.

Dixon's Co-operative Store. — Henry McGrath's Office.
Harlow's Drug Store.

WARD 4.

Murray's Drug Store. — Walsh's Drug Store.
Arthur W. Loud's Office.

WARD 5.

Both Copeland's Drug Stores.

WARD 6.

Branscheid and Martens. — Gurney's Grocery Store.
Brown's Drug Store.

Let us all respond quickly with what we want to give.

QUINCY RELIEF COMMITTEE.
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HENRY G. FAY, Treasurer.

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The contributions received up to noon Monday were as follows:

Mayor Thompson,	$25 00
T. King,	100 00
P. R. Blackmur,	15 00
J. Frank Faxon,	50 00
John A. McDonnell,	10 00
William B. White,	25 00
Employees W. B. White,	11 50
Rev. J. J. Coan,	25 00
Rev. A. F. Roche,	25 00
Police Department,	50 00
Clarence Burgin,	25 00
E. A. Angier,	25 00
R. F. Claflin,	25 00
R. A. Sears,	25 00
L. L. F. Chase,	10 00
C. T. Hardwick,	25 00
Hon. John Shaw,	25 00
P. A. Sears,	1 00
Winslow Sears,	1 00
Sam. P. Sears.	1 00
Horace F. Spear,	10 00
C. C. Hearn,	15 00
W. R. Thomas,	25 00
Eugene O'Connor,	10 00
H. Taylor,	1 00
John Tompkinson,	1 00
Ralph W. Hobbs,	5 00
R. D. Chase,	10 00
W. E. Simmons,	5 00
A. A. Murphy,	5 00
D. King,	25 00
Julius Johnson,	10 00
W. E. Piper,	5 00
Dr. N. S. Hunting,	25 00
H. W. Tirrell,	1 00
Benjamin Johnson,	25 00
Johnson Lumber Co.,	25 00
Dr. C. W. Garey,	5 00
Henry McGrath,	10 00
E. W. Sheppard,	25 00
George W. Prescott,	10 00
James T. Penniman,	5 00
J. Q. A. Field,	5 00
C. H. Burgess,	5 00
Dr. H. C. Hallowell,	5 00
Frank S. Patch,	25 00
C. H. Penniman,	5 00
W. W. Mitchell,	10 00
L. W. Glover,	1 00
H. G. Fay,	10 00
Makaria Fraternity,	17 00
First Presbyterian Church,	38 10
W. H. Cobb,	1 90
Henry M. Faxon,	100 00
Swedish Baptist Church,	11 61
E. D. Gourd,	5 00
Friend,	5 00
Walter S. Pinkham,	10 00
Rev. A. L. Carlander,	15 00
George W. Morton,	25 00
Quincy Mansion School,	25 00
John R. Walters,	5 00
William Patterson,	1 00
Cash,	1.00
R. F. Leach	1.00
J. E. S.	2.00
Friend	3.00
R. W. Poole	5.00
Thomas Lacey and family	25.00
F. A. Page	2.00
E. H. Sprague	5.00
Mrs. Sprague	5.00
Helen M. Sprague	5.00
R. E. Sprague	5.00
Raynold H. Sprague	5.00
Caroline E. Sprague	5.00
W. J. Wellington and wife	5.00
W. E. Rowe and family	5.00
Walter E. Simmons	5.00
Frederick H. Bishop	5.00
Donald C. Collyer	1.00
Friend	5.00
Dr. J. F. Welch	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ogden	5.00
Miss Blanche M. Thayer	5.00
Atlantic Mem. Cong. Church	9.60

The following amounts have been contributed to the city fund in addition to the $1033.00 printed above, and the $725.71 raised in the churches.

Hamilton Flood	$5.00
Cash	1.00
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James F. Burke	10.00
H. A. Keith	10.00
Dr. J. A. Gordon	5.00
Charles H. Porter	15.00
O. A. Blaisdell	5.00
J. Arthur Jewell	2.00
Wollaston Baptist church	72.40
Wollaston Congregational church	60.00
N. G. Nickerson	5.00
A. L. Baker	2.00
F. H. Crane & Co.	25.00
A. Pierson	5.00
W. H. Fay	5.00
Wash. St. Cgl. church	70.00
Peter B. Turner	5.00
Mary J. Turner	5.00
Rev. J. P. Cuffe	15.00
Mrs. L. B. Hatch	1.00
N. S. Robinson	.50
Charlotte F. Cummings	2.00
E. J. Cummings	2.00
Money	.50
George Haldane	1.00
Thayer	.25
Mrs. R. E. Paine	5.00
Mrs. C. S. Comin	1.00
Mrs. George Collyer	2.00
John J. Henry	1.00
Frank W. White	1.00
J. P. Moorhouse	2.00
J. Q. Litchfield	2.00

Quincy Point Contributions.

In accordance with the wish of the Mayor and the City Council, the pastor of the Washington Street Congregational church, Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood appealed to the congregation both morning and evening for money to relieve the immediate needs of the unfortunate ones in San Francisco.

Men at Sailors' Snug Harbor	$ 5.05
The boys' club the "Huscarls"	7.90
Mr. T. B. Pollard's class	14.00
Miss Adams' and Mrs. Bailey's class	1.00
Miss Harris' class	.35
Mrs. Atwood's class	1.50
Miss Lapham's class	1.50
Mrs. T. B. Pollard's class	3.00
Mr. James Corprew's class	2.00
Miss Smith's class	1.50
The Home Department	3.30
Other friends	27.70
	$69.00

Friday evening of this week (April 27th) the church is to hold "A San Francisco service," to which the general public is cordially invited. Those who have visited San Francisco, as well as those who have relatives or friends there, are especially invited.

Church Collections.

Collections for the relief of the sufferers in San Francisco were taken up in a number of the churches Sunday and quite a sum was added to the amount collected Saturday night.

At the First church $500 was collected.

At the Washington Street Congregational $75; and $10 by the sailors at Snug Harbor.

V. E. Miller and D. King were appointed at the Bethany church as collectors.

At Christ church $53 was collected.

A collection was taken at the First Presbyterian church at the evening service and $38 was collected.

City Council Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the City Council was held Monday evening. There was but little business and an early adjournment was had. Councilmen Cannon and Sawyer were absent.

JURORS.

The Mayor and City Clerk, assisted by Councilman Hunter, drew the following traverse jurors; Claus A. Johnson, John T. Johnson, John H. Ryan, David T. Drummond and Walter H. Dunbar.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication was received from the Mayor appointing George A. Stearns a constable. Confirmed.

A communication was received from the Mayor appointing Arthur W. Loud a public weigher. Confirmed.

PETITIONS.

Councilman Polk presented a petition for a concrete sidewalk on Elm avenue from Hancock street to East Elm avenue. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Gilson presented a petition for the acceptance of Irving place and a portion of Saville street. To Committee on Streets.

A number of applications for minor licenses were received and referred.

RESERVE POLICE.

The joint committee on Ordinances and Police reported ought to pass on the order amending the Police Ordinance. Rules suspended and order passed.

WATER METERS.

The joint Committee on Ordinances, Water Supply and Finance reported an ordinance establishing meters. The ordinance provides that all water services shall be metered under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Works. The ordinance was ordered to a second reading.

The committee also reported an amendment to the order for $20,000 for the installation of meters, making the bonds $1000 each instead of $500 and to run for twenty years. Referred to the Ordinance Committee.

NEW ORDERS.

Councilman Hobbs offered an order amending the street ordinance relative to leaving horses standing in the street. Referred to Ordinance committee.

Councilman Gelotte offered an order for a gravel sidewalk on the northerly side of Whitwell street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Donovan offered an order for lights on Winter, South Walnut, Main and Chubbuck streets. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Moir offered an order for lights on Squantum and Royal streets. Referred to Committee on Streets.

JUNK SHOPS.

Councilman Ferguson offered an order amending the junk shop license. The amendment provides that no building for the storing of junk, old metal, etc., shall be located within 500 feet of a street or public building. Referred to Committee on Ordinances.

Councilman Hobbs offered a motion that the Mayor with a committee of two from the City Council be requested to confer with the Metropoloitan Park Commission relative to confining contractors of the Quincy Shore boulevard to the use of certain streets. Adopted.

Councilman Hobbs and Sawyer were appointed.

Upon motion of Councilman Crane it was voted when the Council adjourn it be until May 2, at 7.35.

Adjourned 8.02.

Wollaston Baptist Church.

A large number of people attended the evening meeting in the chapel of the Wollaston Baptist church Saturday.

After the devotional service Baron Waldemar UxKull of Russia spoke on the religious needs of his people.

Before Easter 1905 free religious worship was not allowed in Russia; the established faith was that of the Greek Orthodox church. People of other denominations could build churches but the government would not allow them to use them. Banishment followed any attempt at preaching anything but the Greek Orthodox faith. Savage tribes of the north were converted to this belief; conversion became a business. Missionaries were paid so much per capita and sometimes one man was converted to or three times. Just as soon as free religious worship was granted all returned to their idolatry.

Out of 128 languages in Russia, in only eight is the true gospel taught. Now that the government no longer makes Greek Orthodox religion compulsory Russia needs preachers of the true gospel.

Baron UxKull then gave an exposition of what he considered the true gospel to be. He asked for the American sympathy in Russian religious trouble which is given in political trouble. The meeting closed with a hymn.

Young Men and the Times.

A large congregation gathered in the Point church Sunday evening to hear the second of a series of addresses on "Young men and the times." The topic was "Choosing an occupation; what shall I do?" Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, the pastor, was assisted by Mr. Gay, Secretary of Quincy Y. M. C. A.; also by Rev. Mr. Winter, assistant pastor of M. E. Peoples Temple of Boston, and Rev. Lewis P. Atwood of South Weymouth. The singing was led by a chorus of young men, T. B. Pollard, director. Mr. James Melville, Miss Ermine Selleck and Master Roy Sidelinger rendered violin selections. Miss Gage sang two solos. Next Sunday evening occurs the third in this series, "Young men and the times, with the topic, "The club and the church."

—Governor Folk is well able to get after the mob that takes the law into its own hands. It was quick work that accomplished the thing the other day. Governors of other states where mob law seems to rule cannot lower their standards in patterning after that of Governor Folk.—Boston Courier.

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Household Receipts.

Scalloped Clams. Cook one-fourth cup of soft bread crumbs in half cup milk, and when thick add one tablespoon butter, one saltspoon of salt and pepper, one teaspoon chopped parsley and one dozen large clams chopped fine. Sift in the yolks of two hard-boiled eggs, and then the whites, using a potato ricer. Fill large, clean shells with the mixture, cover with buttered cracker crumbs and bake until brown.

Turnip Souffle. Boil sliced turnip until tender and mash thoroughly. Return them to the fire with the addition of a sauce, made with a tablespoonful each of butter and flour. Season and add a cupful of hot milk. Stir the mixture until it boils. Take from the fire and beat hard, stirring into it gradually two beaten eggs. Pour into a greased porcelain dish and bake in a quick oven. Serve at once.

Stuffed Eggs. Cut six hard-boiled eggs in halves, remove the yolks, and rub them to a paste; add four tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, salt, pepper, mustard and cayenne to taste, one teaspoonful of vinegar and melted butter to moisten, shape into balls the size of the original yolks and place in the whites; arrange on a dish, and pour around one and one-half cups of white sauce. The eggs should be boiled forty minutes in water just below the boiling point. The white sauce may be left out if wished; either is nice.

Anecdotes.

Attorney—"You say you had called to see Miss Billings and was at the house at the time the burglary was committed?"

Witness—"Yes, sir."

"Then how did it happen that when the prisoner dashed into the room and assaulted you, you leaped through the window and went home, making no attempt to defend the lady or give the alarm?"

"I thought it was her father."—New York Life.

Mamma (to Molly, who has scratched and bitten her French nurse, and who won't be sorry for her behavior)—"Oh, Molly, don't you know who it is puts such wicked thoughts into your head?"

Molly—"Ah, yes, the scratching! But to bite Felice was quite my own idea."—Punch.

A little maiden of 7 years attended the wedding of an elder brother. The Episcopal service, heard for the first time, made a deep impression on her mind. A few days after she called to see the bride, and found her sitting on her husband's lap.

Looking at them wistfully for a few moments she exclaimed. "Oh, yes; I see—to have and to hold."—New York Journal.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

Bertha Kalich's first Boston appearance as an English-speaking star at the Tremont this week is a repetition of the success she has met with in other cities. The emotional power and finished technique of this young actress are a veritable revelation to those to whom until this season she was unknown. Her portrayal of the difficult role of Monna Vanna in Maeterlinck's poetic play of that name stamps Madame Kalich as a dramatic actress of exceptional talent, whose place among the foremost players on our stage is assured. Maeterlinck's play, hailed abroad as one of the masterpieces of modern dramatic literature, proves to be all of that in its English version. It has the rare combination of literary and dramatic merit. Fine stagecraft is shown in the construction of its story, which increases steadily in interest and holds the auditor in suspense to the last. The play handles a big subject in a masterly way, and is rich in the poetic atmosphere of mediæval Italy. For her second and last week, beginning April 30th, Madame Kalich will be seen in Zola's masterly drama, "Therese Raquin," which contrasted with the Maeterlinck play will give an emphatic illustration of the range of her talents. 'Therese Raquin" has all the realism which is the keynote of Zola's writings. It is live, reproduced with unsparing photographic fidelity—a story of French middle-class people, tremendous in its strength and irresistible in its progress to a climax that is literally overwhelming. In this play, too, Madame Kalich has won a triumph elsewhere, and entrenched herself in the position she has won among our foremost players.

Castle Square Theatre.

The return of Howell Hansel to the Castle Square stock company this week has been the occasion of a series of ovations at each and every performance of "Soldiers of Fortune." Mr. Hansel whose popularity is unbounded, is proving again his great ability, and his return for the rest of the season is proving the wisdom of the Castle Square management in recalling him to the position, he so ably filled through the whole of last season. For next week, "The Adventure of Lady Ursula" is announced. This is one of the most successful of Anthony Hope's plays, and it vies in ingenuity and popularity with "The Prisoner of Zenda" and "Rupert of Hentzau."

Boston Theatre.

As a climax to the theatrical offerings of the season in Boston, Manager Lawrence McCarty, in co-operation with Thompson & Dundy, will next Monday night present at the Boston theatre the first of the great New York Hippodrome shows, "A Yankee Circus on Mars." Then, for a limited engagement, this stupendous attraction, which is in reality a combination of spectacle, circus, pantomime, drama, musical comedy and specialty performances, and which offers about everything conceivable in the way of a twentieth century entertainment, will be on view at the big New Englaud playhouse every afternoon and evening. The matinees will begin promptly at 2 o'clock and evening performances at 8. Last Monday morning the seat sale opened at the box office of the Boston theatre, and ever since then there has been a very brisk demand. That "A Yankee Circus on Mars" will astound the average playgoer is a foregone conclusion. It will be the biggest stage spectacle ever brought to New England and will employ an army of entertainers. In order to accommodate this aggregation and the massive production itself, extensive alterations have been undertaken on the Boston theatre stage, which with the exception of the Auditorium in Chicago and the Grand Opera house in Philadelphia, not to mention the New York Hippodrome itself, is the only one in this country big enough for the undertaking.

Empire Theatre.

Additional interest has been awakened in the performances at the Empire theatre by the announcement that "popular plays at popular prices" will continue to be the policy at this play house during the coming summer months. The plans already outlined by the Empire management promise to fully maintain the high standard of its productions and afford the play going public excellent entertainment. The play selected as next week's attraction is the comedy drama by Belasco and De Mille "The Charity Ball" always a favorite with Boston audiences. It will be remembered that the plot of this play deals with the social and business life of New York city in a way that teaches a valuable moral and affords splendid opportunities for good dramatic work. Patrons of the Monday matinee are delighted with the restoration of the original chocolate bonbons given free to all who attend these performances each week.

Grand Opera House.

"McFadden's Flats" brightly new and furnished with a glittering new outfit of scenery, costumes, music, jokes and pretty girls will be the welcome attraction at the Boston Grand Opera House next week. This clever farce comedy was founded on themes suggested by the sketches and pictures known as the "Yellow Kids." It has been one of the most successful entertainments ever staged and has made a fortune for its management, who has therefore, not hesitated at a lavish expenditure on this season's production. The players are the foremost in farce comedy and vaudeville. A large and well drilled chorus of pretty girls, beautifully costumed in various attires, give the new musical ensembles life and attractiveness.

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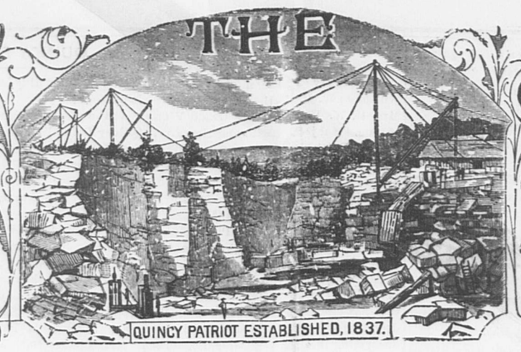
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Amount at Risk,	$24,899,128.39
Cash Assets,	668,915.43
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	188,58 .01
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$480,329.42
Contingent Assets,	356,144.37
Total Available Assets,	1,025,059.80
Gain in Surplus,	4,785.27

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Amount at Risk,	$7,474,575.01
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Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	61,242 47
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$109,869.73
Contingent Assets,	114,517.07
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SURPLUS over Re-Insurance, $455,776.74
LOSSES paid the past year, $42,201.94
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year, $66,032.42
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year, $12,983.04
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year, 20,297.34
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Amount at Risk - - - -	$37,809,990.00
Cash Assets - - - -	507,409.00
Deposit Notes - - - -	667,081.17
Available Assets - - - -	1,134,980.24
Total Liabilities - - - -	338,543.29
Cash Surplus - - - -	168,86.578
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - -	7,458.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	163,055.43
Dividends paid in 1904 - -	68,294.25
Receipts in 1904 - - - -	244,429.85
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Reserve for Unpaid Losses (Fire)	964,542.63
Reserve for Other Claims,	295,725.22
Net Surplus, - -	6,446,851.09
Total Assets,	15,814,054.98

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We get back our mete as we measure;
We cannot do wrong and feel right;
Nor can we give pain and gain pleasure,
For justice avenges each slight.
The air for the wing of the sparrow,
The bush for the robin and wren,
But always the path that is narrow
And straight for the children of men.

Miscellany.

SPRAYS OF ARBUTUS.

"I do wish that we lived a little nearer the village," said Elsie Burton, as she absently drummed her fingers on the window-sill, with her gaze fixed on a distant curve of a winding road that led past her father's farm. She was trying to wait patiently for her father's return from his weekly trip to the post-office. A fine, misty rain was falling, that obscured her view and gave a desolate aspect to the scene without.

"Why do you wish it so much just now?" said her mother, checking the "whirr" of her sewing-machine for a moment.

"Oh, there are so many reasons that I can't think of half of them. It seems to me sometimes as if we lived in a world apart from all other people. We never see anyone except for a week or two in summer. Sunday we ride six miles to church. I never feel at home in my class at Sunday school, for after the lesson is over the girls always talk over so many plans and projects useless for me to think of aiding that I feel as if I might as well be an utter stranger to them so far as doing anything to help them is concerned. I can only sit and listen. After services are over we have to go home again, and prayer meeting is only a name to me as yet," said the girl somewhat bitterly.

"It is useless for me to think of doing such things as they do," she added. "There is no chance here on the farm to do any special work, and I feel—now don't laugh, mamma, please don't—I feel as if I am capable of doing some great work if I only had the same opportunity that other girls have."

"I know it is dull for you, Elsie," said her mother, sighing as she bent over her work, "but this has always been your father's home, and it would break his heart to leave it, or I would long ago have urged him to exchange the farm for one nearer town."

"If father would only let met go to the village to work or teach," Elsie answered, "I could earn good wages and help him about paying off the last of that tiresome mortgage."

"He would never consent to that," said her mother, shaking her head. "Besides, think how lonely we should be here without you," she added with a quiver in her voice. "We cannot let you go away from us."

"I don't mean to run away just yet, motherkin, so don't fret," laughed Elsie, as she kissed her mother's forehead lightly and crossed over to the stove, putting the teakettle on to boil. "Here comes father at last. I wonder if there's any mail."

When Mr. Burton came in, loaded down with bundles, Elsie lost no time in pulling the newspapers from his overcoat pocket and sat down to read of the events of the previous week.

Supper was soon on the table. When the meal was nearly finished Mr. Burton rose suddenly and began to feel in his overcoat pocket. He took out a letter and tossed it over to Elsie."

"Came near forgetting it," he said. "It looks like a letter from Louisa."

"It is," Elsie answered. "Dear Lou! I do love to have a letter from her. She always makes things seem so real that when I read the letters in imagination I am with her, helping her nurse those poor people. It is strange that a girl so gifted as Lou is should have chosen to be a hospital nurse."

"Yes, but Lou was never so happy as when she had some one to coddle and make a fuss over," said her mother. "But it does seem as though she might have found a hospital a little nearer than New Orleans."

"She told me that she went just where she was needed the most at the time she began the work," replied Elsie.

She read the letter over once rapidly to herself and then began to read portions of it aloud.

"Oh, mother," she said, "just listen to this: There is a girl of twenty in my ward slowly dying of an incurable disease. She was of New England birth, I found, and had come to the South when her relatives were all dead, not caring much where she made her home or found a position in which she could earn a living. After she had been in New Orleans some months she was taken ill and brought here, as she had no friends in the city who would take her in.

When I went around the last time for the evening, a few days ago, and came to her bedside, she was talking in her sleep of her old home in the Granite State.

She was dreaming that she was a little girl again, rambling over the fields with her brother and sister in the springtime, looking for Mayflowers and checkerberries.

She awoke a moment later, and when I raised her up to give her the medicines she looked up at me with great teardrops sparkling on her lashes and said:

"I have been dreaming that I was out in the pasture at our old farm and I had found heaps of beautiful Mayflowers. Oh, how sweet they were! It is hard to realize that I am so far from the dear place, dying here alone, with no friend to miss me or take any note of my passing away."

I tried to comfort her, and left her more composed and cheerful. She is a brave little woman by nature, and has taught us many a lesson by her fortitude and unwavering trust in the wisdom of the "Great Physician."

'But her mind dwells on the flowers, and yesterday she said: "Wouldn't you like to have just one tiny spray of pink arbutus? It seems to me I could die perfectly happy if I had only seen them once more. I did love them so much, and it is just the time that they are blooming.'"

"Poor girl," said Mr. Burton. "It's hard lines for her. Too bad she can't be brought up this way."

Elsie finished reading the letter, then tenderly replacing it in the envelope said: "If she cannot come here, a bit of New England shall go to her. It will not cost much to send a box by mail to Lou. To-morrow morning, if it is clear, I will go over in the old Woodford pasture and get a basketful of Mayflowers. They always are open earlier there. But I forgot," she added sorrowfully, "you will not go to the village again for a week, father, and I am afraid they will be too late."

"If a few mayflowers can be any comfort to the poor girl she shall have them," said Mr. Burton, with a suspicious sounding sniff. "You get the posies and pack 'em proper, and I'll see they are mailed to-morrow."

So Elsie brought in a basket running over with long sprays of pink and white arbutus the next morning, and her mother dropped all her other work to help her arrange them for their long journey.

They picked out half-open buds, carefully trimmed off dead leaves and tacked them to the sides and bottom of a large card board box, with long stitches, so that they might be secured from damage by any rough handling they might receive. A layer of cotton batting was sprinkled and laid in lightly over the fragrant flowers. Before she closed the box she laid a little bunch of checkerberries or "ivory plums," as she called them, on top of the cotton, then it was addressed and carried out to Mr. Burton, who was waiting for it in the wagon outside.

"Letter, too, is there?" he said as he placed the box carefully on his knees: "All right, they will be many hundreds of miles away by tomorrow morning if I catch the afternoon mail."

So the flowers went forth with their message of sympathy and love to the lonely girl in the Southern hospital, and Elsie took up her routine of work once more, looking forward to the next letter from Louisa with more than the usual longing.

It came at last and Elsie's face was like an April day, smiles and tears alternating as she read it over and over again.

"Dear Elsie: The flowers arrived in perfect condition. When I raised the lid and saw what they were, I fairly flew upstairs to the girl who was longing so much for them.

"If you could only have seen the rapturous gaze, and the poor, thin trembling fingers that hovered over those precious flowers! She said not a word but took out a great bunch of them and laid them on her pillow looking at them with all her soul in her eyes.

"I left her to carry a few of the flowers and berries to two or three more patients who came also from the North. There they were welcomed and treasured as no other flowers would have been.

"When I returned she said, touching the flowers as if they were sacred, 'When I look at them I can see the hills and woods again and old Chocorua seems to have drawn very near to me.'

"'Chocorua!' I said, 'where was your home, then?'

"'In B—. Father's farm was on the road to H—. My parents died when I was only a little girl and I went to live with relations. Since then my brother and sister have died, and now I am quite alone—no, not alone, for there is One that will never leave me or forsake me.'

"'What is your name?' I asked, as a sudden thought flashed into my mind. Although I had nursed her so long, I had never thought to ask her before, as I have so many names come before me in the course of the year.

"'Bessie Woodford. Father's was Thomas Woodford,' she answered.

"I was silent for a moment, then I asked, 'Do you think you could bear an added pleasure, dear?'

"'I am feeling strong just now. The flowers have been like an elixir to me,' she said, 'It is possible there is more in store for me.'

"'My dear,' I said, as I bent over and kissed her, 'you have the desire of your heart, for the flowers came from the same pasture where you roamed as a little girl.'

"Two hours later a nurse came, swiftly summoning me to her bedside. I was just in time to hear the last faint whisper.

"'Thank them for me and put some of the flowers in my hand when—' that was all and she was gone where 'flowers immortal bloom.'"

"She was buried as she wished, with her treasured flowers, and now I am sure you will be more than glad that you gratified the wishes of a poor, friendless girl, little dreaming that it would prove to be one who had been in times past a neighbor and playmate."

"Bessie Woodford," said her mother, wiping away the fast-falling tears, "who would have thought of such a thing?"

Elsie said little, but resolved that Louisa should have her Mayflowers every spring. She was touched by the love and the longing of the girl in a strange land for the home amid the stern New Hampshire hills, and she was herself less inclined to roam.

She finds many opportunities for doing good. In summer time Mr. Burton usually has a box of flowers to carry to the village, for Elsie spends much time and most of her pocket-money sending wild flowers to many different hospitals. All welcome them, for the sight of a flower like that picked in childhood's days is often better than a tonic to many a poor soul therein.—Annie Lewis Penfold.

—Capt. Richmond Pearson Hobson, of Alabama, who recently won a Congressional nomination by defeating Representative Bankhead at the primaries, is in the field as a Presidential candidate. His principal backer is L. B. Musgrove, who managed Hobson's Congressional campaign.

—The richer you are the higher quality is your indigestion.

San Francisco Letter.

San Francisco, Calif.,
April 22, 1906.

Dear Friends:

I have just got settled down after our shake up and fire, so as to write you and let you know that we are all safe, so far as our lives are concerned. But I have lost my shop and house. Myself and Susie are living with Jane in the Mission. The fire did not reach them, altho we moved out of their place as we thought at one time that it would go. We moved back as soon as the danger was past. But it kept us busy moving for three day.

It was a very severe shock. It happened 10 minutes past five in the morning and the trouble was it burst the water mains so we could not get a drop of water to fight the fire with.

A great many houses fell with the shock and fire started in 5 or 6 places at once and all they had for the first day was dynamite to check it, and that did little good. It burned nearly two miles back against the wind. The second day they were able to get a little water pumped from the bay, but they could not get much force to it having to bring it too far. The wind was driving the fire toward the bay at all the nearer points, so they could not get hose laid. It was a great sight, one I hope never to see again.

They estimate that 400,000 are out of homes, and it is a picture to see all the tents and camps of every kind lining the outskirts of the city. We are all under martial law, and are getting all the food we can eat and plenty of water to drink, and in a few days the water system will be all right again.

There are no real hardships. The Mayor and the militia are working in full accord. They took possession of every store left in the city and took everything to headquarters, and are sending them around free of charge. Nothing in the line of food is sold. It is all given away and also other commodities. If any one is found charging more than the price prevailing before the fire the place is taken from them and shut up. Everything is quiet; no rioting or anything of the kind, and every one is trying to make it as comfortable as possible for one another.

There is a bright side to a calamity of this kind. One must be on the ground to see it. There are millionaires and Chinese and Japanese and the poorest in the city, all getting in line to get their loaf of bread or whatever they are most in need of. Nothing can show the common brotherhood of man better than a disaster of this kind. We in turn seem hopeful and are going to start to rebuild just as soon as the authorities give permission.

We are having fine weather which helps greatly to allay suffering. They are even taking our letters without stamps as nobody has any.

Yours, Joseph Walker.

Water Meter Bill.

Councilman Nichols of Ward 10, Boston, wants information upon the meter scheme for the enrichment of the meter trust, and in submitting an order to that effect Thursday evening he intimated that possibly a few politicians might be interested in the success of the measure, says the Journal. This is the request for information which he offered in the council session:

"Ordered. That the water commissioner, through his honor the mayor, be requested to furnish the Common Council with an estimate of the cost of installation of water meters in this city in accordance with the provisions of House bill 1236; also, whether or not the water takers or the general taxpayers, as such would be required to bear the expense of such installation; also, the probable annual expense of inspection, meter readers, depreciation, repairs, etc., under the provisions of said bill."

According to the Journal it will cost nearly $100,000 to meter all the present services in Quincy, and over $100,000 if the additions for five years are included.

Of the 154,997 services bringing the water of the Metropolitan system to the 950,000 people it supplies, 18,604, scarcely 12 per cent. are already metered. In only two towns, Belmont and Milton, are all the services metered. The following table shows the services in the various towns and cities, the meters and the cost of metering the balance of the services:

Cities	Services	Meters	Cost
Boston	98,503	5,391	$1,562,904
Somerville	11,279	2,092	156,179
Malden	6,829	5,332	25,449
Chelsea	6,423	634	98,413
Everett	4,999	92	83,419
Quincy	5,641	194	92,599
Medford	4,216	336	65,960
Melrose	3,354	110	55,148
Revere	2,700	108	44,064
Watertown	1,802	1,687	1,955
Arlington	1,894	419	25,075
Milton	1,160	1,160	——
Winthrop	1,908	30	31,926
Stoneham	1,275	22	21,301
Belmont	710	710	——
Lexington	685	15	11,390
Nahant	400	72	5,576
Swampscott	1,219	——	20,723
	154,997	18,604	$2,318,681

The cost of installing meters is from $17 to $20 per service, although the superintendent at Winthrop gets it done for $9.60.

The "Meter bill" in the Legislature was ordered to a third reading on Thursday in the House. It is mandatory on all cities and towns.

If a State law orders meters, Quincy must comply, but should it not use its influence against the passage of such a bill?

The only saving which can now be made in the Metropolitan water expense is in the item of maintenance, which is less than one-sixth of the annual cost.

Secretary Davenport recently sent these figures to the Daily Ledger on Metropolitan water expenses.

	1904.	1905.	1906. (estimated)
Sinking fund	$397,321.08	$513,568.32	$532,000
Interest	1,330,634.00	1,335,393.91	1,337,000
Maintenance,	372,845.29	328,624.16	343,000
Total	$2,100,800.37	$2,177,586.39	$2,212,000

The items for sinking fund, and for interest will not be reduced by any legislation relative to meters, and these comprise over five-sixth of the assessments upon cities and towns.

For example the Metropolitan water assessment upon Quincy, in 1905 was $35,832.50, of which $30,000.00 was for maturing debt and interest.

The only saving can come in the item of $328,624.16 which the State expends annually for maintenance and for which Quincy is assessed about $6,000.00.

If this whole item could be wiped out by introducing meters, it would not pay a city.

Quincy cannot expect to save one-half of $6,000.00 (where all cities are on an equality), but it proposes to incur a debt of over $100,000.00, and pay $4,000 annually for interest just to try the experiment, And may at the same time reduce the revenue for water $10,000 or more annually.

She Was Not Sure.

During the trial of an accident case against one of the city trolley companies an elderly lady was summoned as a witness for the plaintiff. The attorney for the railroad company put her under a very severe cross-examination and tried the best he could to make her appear as ridiculous as possible. But he reckoned without his host.

"Madam," said he, "do I understand you to say that you were there at the time the accident happened?"

"How do I——" she began.

"Stop!" he cried. "Don't indulge in any long dissertations. Answer my question, yes or no. If you don't, I shall be obliged to ask the court to compel you to answer. Listen. Do I understand you to say——"

Quick as a flash the old lady replied: "I'm sure I don't know what you understand me to say. You may be an idiot!"

After that courtesy ruled the day.

He Had Hopes.

There were once two Irishmen whose occupation was to carry bricks from the base of a building in process of construction to the workman who was finishing a chimney at the top. As was natural, each of the Irishmen was confident that he was a better man than his fellow, and at last one wagered the other that he could carry him in his hod to the top of the building. The wager was accepted, and Pat climbed into Mike's hod, who immediately began the ascent. The climb was finished without accident, though it must not be omitted that on the sixth ladder Mike's foot slipped a little and for a part of a second things looked dubious. Arrived at the top, Mike set down his hod.

"There" said he triumphantly, "Oi told yez Oi'd do it, an' Oi did it, didn't Oi?"

"Yez did," returned the other, "yez did, Moike; but there was once Oi had me hopes on th' sixth ladder."—Saunterer in the Budget.

Plymouth Rock.

"During one of my visits through the country districts," said the professor, "I happened to reach a small village where they were to have a flag raising at the schoolhouse. After the banner had been 'flung to the breeze' there was an exhibition of drawings which the pupils had made and of the work they had done during the year.

"The teacher recited to them the landing of the Pilgrims, and after she had finished she requested each pupil to try and draw from his or her imagination a picture of Plymouth Rock.

"Most of them went to work at once, but one little fellow hesitated, and at length raised his hand.

"'Well, Willie, what is it?' asked the teacher,

"'Please' ma'am, do you want us to draw a hen or a rooster?'"—Philadelphia Press.

Came Out Ahead.

A smart Irish car-driver was called upon to settle a wager which turned upon his ability to answer any question that he was to put to him without stopping to think. The circumstances having been explained to the man, he said, "Be after askin' me the question, your onner." Well, now, Pat, tell me what's nothing?" Arrah, now, shut your eyes and ye'll see nothin immediately," was the instant answer.

Had Good Practice.

Some time ago a small farmer in a Lincolnshire village took two of his children to the parish church to be christened. Former youngsters from this house had been regular howlers. The affair went off so well that his reverence called the proud parent to one side and said:

"How well the children have behaved, James."

The reply rather staggered his reverence.

"So they ought, sir, for Jack, my other boy, has had a bucket of water and has been practicing christening 'em every day for the last week."—London Fun.

All in a Lifetime.

Don't you regret the time you wasted in your youth?" asked the sentimentalist.

"I didn't waste any time in my youth," answered the self-satisfied man. "I flew kites and fished, and attended dances and learned to play the guitar, and attended to all such matters, and if I hadn't looked after them in my youth I am sure I should never have had opportunities to give them proper attention since then."—Washington Star.

A Pathetic Aid.

Here is an advertisement which should bring trade, even though people have to use a grindstone to wear holes through their shoes:

I am the father of twenty-six children. No twins. I am also a cobbler and need work.

If I have served my country well, it is evident that I will mend your shoes well. One good turn deserves another. My shop is in the rear of Caldwell and Lanier's. Let me half-sole those.

J. M. Linney.

—Boot and Shoe Recorder.

—Money talks, but when its all gone how silent you are.

—When you have burned your candle at both ends put in electricity.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, April 28, 1906.

The proposal to admit free of duty steel for use in the reconstruction of San Francisco is the problem that is before Congress now. The Railroad rate bill which has absorbed the attention of that body for so many weeks was temporarily suspended by the California calamity and is now eclipsed by the tariff talk. The amount of structural steel that will be required when San Francisco commences to rebuild cannot be estimated. The earthquake proved that steel construction for that city is alone practicable since the buildings thus constructed were the only ones to survive the shock. The price of steel in this country is kept up by means of the protective tariff. The proposition before Congress is to remove the tariff so that the Californians may buy in the markets of the world. To remove the tariff would be to bring down the prices in this country and make it possible to buy steel here at the prices at which it is sold abroad. A movement to give San Francisco this benefit appears simple enough on the face but in reality it precipitates the great question of general tariff revision which Congress had positively decided should not be tampered with during this session. The House committee on Ways and Means which is in control of the stand patters is planning to let public interest in San Francisco cool down before taking any action in the matter, then it may be possible to stave off the question until the end of the session and let it die in the Senate. Representative Maden of Illinois has charge of the bill though and as he is a fighter it is probable that he will not accede to any such plan. His theory is that if this resolution does not come to a vote San Francisco's immense demand for structural steel will bull the market exhaust all the possible supply, make it practically impossible for building operations to be carried on in other cities and making it necessary to import steel and pay the duty on it will so disgust the country with the situation that the revision movement will be greatly strengthened. Many Republicans in Congress are of the opinion that the safest plan would be to pass the bill without delay so as to prevent the discussion of it and the possible amendments that would be used to open up the whole tariff issue.

Gossip about the Capitol now has it that joint statehood will yet be the successful issue despite all the opposition that it has suffered. It is believed that out of the present entanglement in Congress will come two new states in the South west, one composed of Indian Territory and Oklahoma and the other of Arizona and New Mexico. Those who are leading the Administration's fight for joint statehood say that they are confident that Arizona and New Mexico will enter the union as one state though the methods by which it is to be accomplished are decidedly strategical. The plans of the House leaders are to turn down in conference the various compromise proposition that came from the Senate and ultimately agree to the joint statehood bill as it left the House with an amendment offered by Senator Foraker more than a year ago. This amendment provided for a constitutional convention of a proposed state formed of Arazona and New Mexico, the forming of a constitution and the holding of a state election to vote on the acceptance of the constitution.

By carrying the proposition to accept the constitution the majority of the voters in each territory would be for the combined state and its admission to the Union would be practically decided. If this plan can be successfully carried out the lower House will for once have outwitted the Senate and won by the methods which that body has so often successfully used.

Washington which depends to an extent for its business on having Congress in session is glad of the prospect of a long session but Congress itself is not a little worried over the date of adjournment. Speaker Cannon who plays politics as well as he does poker uses some of the same methods and shows no sign of cold feet. He exhibits no anxiety at the suggestion of a long session and it is said that he has sent to Illinois for his linen clothes in expectation of spending the hot weather in this climate. He wants it understood that the House can stand an indefinite stay here and he makes himself solid with the country by declaring that it is more important that the work before the House shall be accomplished now than that a few members shall not be re-elected from having neglected the campaign work. The prospect of a repetition of the experience of the fifty-first Congress which remained in Washington until the first of October causes a chill to creep over a number of representatives whose re-election depends on getting home early but it is conductive to hard work on the part of all of them. Important measures are before Congress now and it it is hard to say whether neglecting them would not be after all the most expensive thing that the members could do for themselves. People who talk about Congress adjourning by June 15, perhaps do not know that Congress is going to undertake passing at this session the greatest volume of laws that were ever enacted at a single session of Congress or probably of any other legislative body. The mere reading of the bills will take days of continuous sessions to say nothing of the discussion and consideration they will demand. And all this in addition to the extraordinary amount of the regular business of the session.

The last revision of the Federal laws was made in 1878 and the demand for a thorough revision now is apparent in the chaotic condition which prevails in the Federal statutes. When Congress takes up this matter it will have entered upon the most bulky piece of legislation ever undertaken and the adoption of the revision will render worthless all the law books now published which assume to present the Federal Statutes.

Adams.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1906.

Wollaston Glee Club Concert.

A large and enthusiastic audience greeted the Wollaston Glee Club, Wednesday evening, at its annual spring concert in the Congregational church. The chorus work was excellent and showed the effect of good training and regular rehearsing. The solos by Messrs. Hahn, Hayden and Bullock were very fine and received well merited applause.

The club was assisted by Mr. Leon Van Vliet, who was obliged to respond to an encore after each of his cello selection, and Miss M. Blanche Townsend, reader and whistler, who pleased the audience greatly by the charming way in which she rendered her selections.

Much credit for the success of the concert is due Mrs. Mira Richards Moulton, accompanist, and Mrs. Chandler W. Smith organist, also the conductor Mr. John A. Crowley, and to the officers of the club.

The net proceeds will go to the Quincy fund for the relief of California.

California Relief Fund.

The Quincy fund for California relief has grown over $1,000 the past week and is now nearly $3,500. City Treasurer Fay has received these additional subscriptions:

Dorothy Sprague	$5 00
Miss C. M. Beal	5 00
Ernest W. Branch	5 00
Granite Mfg. Association	500 00
Aaron H. Gould	5 00
Engene R. Stone	5 00
Police Dept. Additional	8 00
M. A. S.	1 00
C. D. Harlow & Co.	5.00
Ira Litchfield	1.00
Master Fred Barnicoat	.25
Calvary Baptist church	16.48
J. Henry Emery	25.00
J. Peterson & Co.	3.00
R. P. Sinclair	2.00
William H. Mitchell	5.00
Walter D. Glover	5.00
Alexander Falconer	40.00
J. A. Swingle & Co.	10.00
John W. Golden	5.00
John D. Williams	1.00
John H. Litchfield	1 00
Washington St. Cong'l. church additional	13 00
C. Gordon Adams	1 00
Thomas F. Mannex	10.00
Friend	1.00
L. A. Chapin	10 00
Charles W. Dill	5 00
Friend	50
C. E. Monroe	5 00
S. F. Copeland	5 00
John Morgan	5 00
Mrs. John Morgan	5 00
L. R. Harris	1 00
E. L. Noyes	1 00
Mrs. C. C. Dodge	2 00
Charles K. Crane	5 00
George A. Tripp	1 00
Thomas Whelan	2 00
F. W. Nightingale	2 00
Friend	2 00
Universalist church	8 36
Roger H. Wilde	5 00
Billings street	5 00
H. W. Read	5 00
Isabel F. P. Emery	1 00
W. B. Glover	2 00
W. W Whitcher	5 00
Myles Cramer	1 00
E. E. Jameson	5 00
Friend	1 00
Wollaston Congl. church (additional)	10 00
Park and Downs church	9 20
Friends	10 00
Fire Department	97 00
Horace B. Spear	10 00
N. B. Furnald	5 00
Total to date	$3,363.92

Miss Foley's Recital.

St. Mary's hall was filled Wednesday evening at the recital given by Miss Alice Foley assisted by Miss Olive Whiteley, violinist. Miss Foley sang songs by Schubert, Grigg, Rossini, Gounod and some by modern composers. Every selection was given in a highly artistic manner. Miss Foley's voice is a high soprano of great range and power, and her temperament is highly artistic.

The aria, Bel Raggio, from Semiramide was given in a most finished manner. This showed the singer's voice to the best advantage.

Miss Whiteley, the assisting artist, received an ovation. She is the most finished violinist ever heard in Quincy. It was a musical treat to hear this young lady. Her technique is marvelous. Each time the audience demanded an encore and Miss Whiteley generously responded.

The recital was a perfect success from every point of view and Miss Foley, after singing a long program, was forced to sing once more. Mrs. Wilbur F. Hascall and Miss Larrabee accompanied faultlessly.

To Discuss Taxation.

The directors of the Citizens' Association have arranged for a talk and discussion on the subject of "Taxation" at Colonial hall on the evening of Thursday, May 10. The speakers will be Mr. C. B. Fillebrown, president of the Single Tax League, and Mr. John Z. White of Chicago. Mr. White, who is an eloquent speaker and one of the best informed men on the subject of taxation, spoke before the Economic club of Boston last winter, and has accepted invitations to address the Twentieth Century club, Brown university, the Institute of Technology and others. The members of the association and their friends are particularly fortunate in getting his consent to spend an evening with them.

Oppose Cemetery.

Atlantic people are getting aroused over the possibility of a cemetery being located in their vicinity. Some weeks ago the Commonwealth Cemetery Association petitioned the City Council for a license for a cemetery. The petition was signed by a South Boston man and there was nothing in the petition that gave any clew as to where it was proposed to locate the cemetery. It has been learned however that part of Atlantic, near Montclair is to be the site.

As soon as it became known that it was proposed to locate a cemetery there, Atlantic people began to get a move on to check it, and the chances are that when the matter comes before the City Council there will be considerable opposition.

—The eighth annual patriotic service to which all members of the Grand Army, Woman's Relief Corps, Sons of Veterans, and all other patriotic organizations are invited, is to be held at the Baptist church, Weymouth, on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. A number from Quincy will attend. It will include a flag drill, address, recitations, singing, etc. A "post of sorrow" will be held for deceased members of Reynolds Post, G. A. R.

CITY BRIEFS.

Burleigh Pratt has accepted a position in New York.

John R. Graham of Bangor, Maine, was in town this week.

The Walpole A. C. will be here this afternoon to play the Merrymounts at the park.

Miss Lucretia Pierce of Revere Road is visiting friends at 368 K. street, South Boston.

Miss Eliza Crane of North Weymouth is visiting at the home of Mrs. Munroe Crane, Dover Plains, New York.

Two new boilers for the new High school have arrived. Work on the addition is now progressing rapidly.

H. E. Ricker has rented both sides of the new house he is building on Glencoe street extension.

Mrs. Elizabeth Beckford has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. O. Langley of Washington street, the past two weeks.

William Hodgkinson, 2d has moved from Coddington street to the Alex Thompson place on Elm street, having purchased the same.

Clarence Burgin has purchased a lot of land at Rose Cliff, and W.R. Lofgren has commenced to build a summer cottage for him.

Post 88 G. A. R., will attend the Memorial services to be held in the Baptist church, Weymouth, on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Johnson Bros. have commenced work on the foundation of the new block to be erected by them on the corner of Chestnut and Maple streets.

The Board of Health has appointed under the civil service rules, James F. Allen as inspector of meats and provisions and Irma C. Tilton as clerk.

S. G. Emanuel has leased the C. F. Knowlton house, corner Wibird and Washington street, and with relatives will occupy the same immediately.

Word has been received that William H. Lillicrap and wife formerly of this city are all right at Los Angeles, California; also Mrs. Emma A. Burrill and daughter Elizabeth.

Mr. Dyer of the Magee Furnace Company has moved into the house on Elm street, recently owned by Councilman H. E. Crane. Mr. Dyer comes from Cotuit.

The Adams Academy and Allen school team of Newton played a twelve inning game at Merrymount park Saturday morning and Adams came off victorious by a score of 9 to 8.

The Quincy Board of Trade should send a committee to Waltham next week to get some tips on "merchants week" which is held annually in May and is a great success.

Miss Christina Sinclair returned to her home on Elm place, on Thursday after undergoing a successful operation for appendicitis at the Homœopathy hospital, Boston, some three weeks ago, and is slowly improving.

The prizes for Sloyd work were awarded at the May festival as follows: 1st prize, John G. Souden; 2d prize, Winthrop Safford; 3d prize, Willett Safford; 4th prize, Herbert Satermeister; 5th prize, Loyal Safford.

It is said that a large share of the ice used in Quincy this year will come from Winchendon, where 85,000 tons was housed. Unfortunatley freight rates have been advanced, so that the rate to Quincy is now $2 per ton.

Mrs. John Q. Holden and Miss Ellen Fottler of Adams street left Tuesday with a Raymond party for California. They expect to visit all points of interest in California, and will probably see the ruins of San Francisco and other places visited by earthquake and fire.

Mrs. Harris, of Hampton, Va., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carruthers of Spear street for the past two months returned to her home on Tuesday. Mrs. Harris is highly pleased with her visit to Quincy and returns with her health greatly benefited. Miss Mary A. Carruthers accompanied her for a six weeks' visit amongst her old friends in Virginia.

St. Margaret's Guild of Christ church held a very successful chafing dish social April 27th. The entertainment consisted of piano duet, Misses Litchfield and Flowers; recitation, Olive Barnicoat; readings, Mrs. Henry P. Furnald; piccolo solo, Mr. Arthur Thomas; duet, Mildred Smith and Lizzie Ross; song, Mr. Fred Wheeler. All the numbers were greatly enjoyed, but especially the baritone solos of Mr. Wheeler whose voice and expression were at their best. After refreshments the party closed with dancing.

There was a very large attendance April 27th at the smoke talk of Quincy council, Knights of Columbus. The speaker of the evening was Michael E. Hennessey of the Boston Globe, who spoke for an hour on "Irish influence on American Journalism." The entertainment included piano selections by John Mahan and George Powers and vocal selections by Edward J. Sullivan, Thomas Campbell, Samuel J. Kirkpatrick, Edward J. Barrett and D. J. S. McCurdy. A collation was served.

An automobile owned and driven by the proprietor of Paragon park met with a peculiar accident on Adams street Saturday afternoon. There were five men in the car. Just as it reached the foot of the hill near Common street, the rear tire burst. The driver turned to look back forgetting that he had his hand on the steering wheel. The result was that car turned sharply and landed in the ditch. All five men were thrown out, but escaped personal injury, although they were bruised somewhat. One man had his coat torn off. Later in the day two cars came out from Boston and hauled the wrecked car out of the ditch.

The program for the vaudeville at First church chapel, May 11th is made up as follows: Mrs. Waller of New York is to give a new and orignal version of "Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works" with 16 or 18 figgers impersonated by people of the church. George Brown of Wollaston is to do his black face act which made a big hit at Potter hall, Boston a few weeks ago. Dornan is to give his hand cuff act and the Huntings are to repeat their burlesque opera. Dr. Hunting is to dance which will be a big attaction. In addition there will be an orchestra of four pieces, making up a fine aggregation.

Today, the Y. M. C. A. boys will have another of their outings. This, like the last, will be a bicycle trip. To this every boy over 12 years old who cares may go, whether or not a member of the association. Leaving the Y. M. C. A. about 10.30 A. M. the party will go toward Brockton, stopping on the way to eat lunch, which each fellow provides for himself. On arrival at Brockton they will have a swim in the swimming tank at the Y. M. C. A. There will be no cost. Boys who cannot secure bicycles can go on the electrics and meet the party at Brockton Y. M. C. A.

Fire alarms were numerous on Sunday.

The issue of the Golden Rod was quickly exhausted.

The trees have begun to leave out and it looks like spring.

Open cars were the rule Sunday on the street car line.

C. Patch & Son are making a specialty of large trash wood.

Probate Court for Norfolk county will be held in Quincy next Wednesday.

Rev. Francis Tiffany of Cambridge spent Sunday with Rev. E. C. Butler.

Samuel Samuelson has severed his connections with the store of C. F. Carlson.

Many appreciate the collection of ashes, and improvements in the appearance of the city is noticed.

Miss Abbie Feltis of Chapin's news agency has been called from work by the illness of her mother.

John Wood, who has been visiting in Quincy for the past few weeks, left Monday for Oregon.

George Keyes, Jr., has been confined to his home the past week with tonsolitis.

Wilson Marsh of Irving place is contemplating building a summer cottage at Post Island.

A Norwegian service was held on Sunday at 3 P. M. in Bethany Congregational church.

The Boston papers are giving Charles E. Dornan considerable prominence for his hand-cuff and packing box feats.

Mrs. Saunders of Lakeport, N. H., was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Burgess of Whitney road, over Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Tisdale of Hancock street left Friday for a ten days' rest at her summer home at Somersworth, N. H.

A number from Quincy participated in the May day excursion to Plymouth. They could not have had a better or more spring-like day.

W. R. C. Sewing circle did not meet this week as Mrs. Ella Hayden, president, is very ill.

The bill to define Metropolitan Boston and to create a Metropolitan Boston Council was rejected in the Legislature Wednesday by a rising vote of 30 to 41.

The Quincy, Wollaston and Squantum Yacht clubs have been invited to enter the Memorial day race of the South Boston club.

A largely attended dancing party under the auspices of the Norwegian society was held in Hancock hall Tuesday evening.

Col. W. M. Olin, the Secretary of State, since 1891, will be the speaker at the May meeting of the Men's club of Christ church on Monday evening next.

An addition is being built to the front of the upper part of the Stetson building adjoining the Patriot office. It will be occupied as a dental office.

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Jones of Hancock street, a little daughter arriving last week to help gladden the happy household.

Miss Priscilla Raymond, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. S. Beckford of Washington street, the past three weeks, returned to her home at Plymouth on Sunday.

Representatives Hultman and Sanberg both voted in favor of the alcohol label amendment to the patent medicine bill in the House on Monday, but it was defeated 90 to 106.

The Lord Family of this city were among the entertainers at the May celebration of Boston and Massachusetts Socialists in Faneuil hall on Tuesday evening.

Capt. Ira Blanchard of this city presided April 27th at the reunion of Co. G. members of the 12th regiment at Rockland. Col. W. B. White was also in attendance.

The young people of First church are to give a vaudeville entertainment in chapel on Friday, May 11th, for the purpose of paying for the handsome scenery recently purchased by the Social club.

Frank McLaughlin is among those who have entered the special weight, 125-pound class for the boxing championship of the New England amateurs, to be held next Monday evening under the auspices of the B. A. A.

Mrs. Sarah Nash celebrated her eighty-seventh birthday at the home of her son, John W. Nash of Washington street, in a very quiet manner. She was kindly remembered by friends, with flowers and good wishes.

The Norfolk conference of Congregational churches at Whitman on Tuesday was largely attended. Rev. H. A. Kimball of South Weymouth was elected moderator for the ensuing year. The proposed union of churches was favored by speakers.

Robert S. McLean, after an absence from this city for seven years, has accepted a position at the store of George W. Jones, by whom he was formerly employed. His many friends and acquaintances will be glad to welcome him back.

Charles F. Harper, head master at the Quincy High school, was elected first vice president at the meeting of the Massachusetts Association of High school teachers President Eliot explained at the meeting the new requirements for entrance to Harvard college.

The Galahad Brotherhood held i s weekly meeting at noon on Sunday at Christ church. Mr. F. N. Brooks of Lynn spoke on the St. Andrew's Brotherhood. Mr. A. Barckley of Cambridge was the special soloist. All men of 18 years of age or over are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

In the Legislature on Tuesday the bill to provide for the metering annually of 5 percent of the water service in cities and towns which get their supply from without the limits of such city or town, was rejected, after some debate, by a vote of 48 yeas to 97 nays. The Quincy City Council should take similar action relative to water meters.

Little Helen Rogers of Chestnut street was knocked down by a bicycle near her home Tuesday night and received a cut on her head and was somewhat bruised. The little girl had just hung a May basket and was running across the street to get away and failed to see the bicycle approaching. The rider was unable to stop his wheel or keep from running her down. It was thought at first that she had been seriously injured, the injuries, however, proved to be slight.

Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, attended holy communion in a body on Sunday morning at 8.45 at St. John's church. Mass was celebrated by Rev. Julian E. Johnstone, who also preached a special sermon. After the church service the council had breakfast at The Greenleaf. In the afternoon they conferred the second degree upon twelve candidates. Addresses were made by Grand Knight, Moses H. McGauhey of Vera Cruz council of Randolph and Maurice O'Brien of Lawrence council.

George Hall, formerly, of Quincy, is now working in Chicago.

Miss Harriet Johnson has been visiting Mrs. E. C. Butler this week.

The police department intend to make continual warfare this year upon violators of the liquor law.

These are the times when the amateur farmer gets busy nights and mornings on his little vegetable garden.

Three special cars have been engaged to take Miss Corlew's dancing class to Whitney hall tomorrow evening.

W. R. C. No. 103 will attend memorial service, Sunday evening, May 6, at the Weymouth Baptist church. Cars leave Quincy Square at 5.55.

Miss Kruitz has resigned her position as clerk in the office of the Citizens' Gas Light Co., and Miss Morrisey has accepted the position made vacant.

Mrs. Samuel Crane and daughter Miss Edith M. Crane now reside at 13 Gates avenue, Montclair, New Jersey. They hope to visit Quincy soon and see all their former friends.

The present street lighting contract with the Electric Light Company expires July 1. It is probable that the Gas Company will make a bid to furnish street lights at that time.

Rumor has it that the seven masted schooner Thomas W. Lawson is to follow the six masted schooner William L. Douglas into the oil trade. Both were built at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy.

The English High school team of Lynn won their game April 27th with Quincy High to the tune of 10 to 3. It looked at one time as though Quincy would be shut out. The local team did not give their pitcher good support.

"Sticks" will be the subject of Dr. Henson of Tremont Temple at the annual banquet of Bethany Brotherhood in the chapel on Monday evening. He is a very entertaining speaker and people are curious to know how he will treat the subject.

Miss Edna Goullaud of Braintree, will be one of the soloists at the concert by the choral class of the Quincy Women's club on the 18th at High School hall. Mr. Van Vliet, celloist will also assist. The concert will be followed by the cantata "King Rem's Daughter" by the full chorus. Tickets are to be issued Tuesday at the club meeting.

The annual public service of Bethany Church Brotherhood will be held Sunday evening at half-past seven, with address by Rev. A. T. Pierce of Campello. There will be music by the Apollo quartet of Boston. This is one of the most popular services of the year in Bethany church and the public is cordially invited.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Mrs. James Craig is quite ill at her home on Franklin street.

Mr. Charles Troupe of Plymouth street, South Quincy, is the victim of a severe cold.

Over 100 members of Clan McGregor attended on Sunday afternoon the funeral of John Kelman, late of Quincy street. The interment was at Mt. Wollaston.

Rev. N. G. Sproul and Rev. E. N. Hardy exchanged pulpits Sunday morning.

Mrs. Georgia Hobart of Franklin street, South Quincy, is confined to her home by illness.

A large delegation of the Sons and Daughters of St. George attended Christ church on Sunday evening. This meeting is an annual custom of the order which has been maintained for many years, and it is most appropriate that an order of English men and women should annually attend the service of the English church in this country. The rector, Rev. W. E. Gardner gave them a very hearty welcome and a cordial invitation to attend all services. He also preached a special sermon and the music was by the vested choir.

Granite business is booming just at present, and all the manufacturers are rushing to complete Memorial day orders.

William J. Driscoll of Quincy street, a young man in his 20th year, died on Tuesday. Funeral services were held Friday morni ng.

Miss Sadie Cahill celebrated her birthday anniversary Tuesday evening by entertaining a number of her friends at her home off Granite Street.

Abigail Adams circle, C. of F. of A., held an enjoyable May party after its meeting Tuesday evening. Mrs. Herbert Griffin was the winner of a pretty basket filled with sweets which she passed among the members. There were piano solos by Miss M. E. Kennedy. College ices were served.

Rev. W. W. Barr, recently pastor of the United Presbyterian church, was installed as pastor of the Presbyterian church at Central Falls, R. I., Wednesday evening. Rev. Dr. N. S. McCord of Worcester presided. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Thomas F. D. Smith of Brockton. The address to the people was by Rev. L. M. Huston of Whitinsville, and the address to the pastor by Rev. J. McD'Henry of Providence.

The funeral of William J., son of Mr. Patrick W. Driscoll, was held yesterday from St. John's church. The services were very largely attended, the Iroquois club of which he was a member and the members of the Merrymount Granite Co., being present in a body. Mass was celebrated by Rev. John J. Coan. During the mass Miss Mary McConarty sang, "Only Waiting." There were many beautiful flowers, including a large standing cross from the Iroquois club. The burial was at St. Mary's cemetery where the remains were escorted by the club. The bearers were: Robert P. Sullivan, Thomas M. Elcock, David McIntosh, William Lynch, Leo Ford and Martin Heaney.

School League.

Five more games were played in the School league on Thursday, and victories were won by the Willard, Lincoln, Cranch, Wollaston and Quincy teams. Three of the clubs which won on Tuesday were among those defeated on Thursday, so that only two have won all games,—the Willards and the Lincolns. Three clubs have not won a game:

The standing of the clubs is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Willard	2	0	100
Lincoln	2	0	100
Washington	1	1	50
Massachusetts Fields	1	1	50
Gridley Bryant	1	1	50
Cranch	1	1	50
Wollaston	1	1	50
Quincy	1	1	50
John Hancock	0	1	000
Coddington	0	1	000
Adams	0	2	000

The funeral of Patrick Dignon, a conductor on the Old Colony Street Railway, was held Tuesday from St. Francis church, Braintree. The services were attended by Division 12, A. O. H. and a large number of street railway employes. Mass was celebrated by Rev. Matthew McDonnell. The burial was at Randolph, where the remains were taken in a chapel street car.

WOLLASTON.

On Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 the Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. H. W. Pinkham, 109 Grand View avenue. Subject: Health and Heredity.

Miss Edith Randall returned Wednesday night much improved in health. She spent several weeks at Lakewood, Atlantic City and Philadelphia and is enthusiastic over the pleasant time she has had, especially in Philadelphia where she was most delightfully entertained by friends.

The Methodist church in Wollaston is undergoing extensive repairs. The roof has already been shingled and the decorators are at present working inside decorating the main auditorium. The church is to be painted on the outside and the entire interior is to be painted and frescoed. New windows are also to be fitted. These repairs will make a decided improvement in the appearance of the church.

The Mission Study Club of the Wollaston Congregational church will meet this evening with Miss Avis Williams, of Grand View avenue.

J. T. Cogan of the Fore River Shipyard is at present in Bath, Maine, and will act as Chief Steward on the battleship Georgia's trial trip which will take place in ten days.

On Monday, May 7th, 1906, Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters will meet with Miss Almira Simmons, 34 South Central avenue. Mrs. D. W. Mason of Hyde Park will speak in behalf of Pond Home.

Tuesday evening, May 1, the Garrick Dramatic club gave the old Museum play, "Poor Pillicoddy," in the Rockland Unitarian church. In the cast were: Miss Elizabeth Hubbard, Winifred White, Ethel Parker, Osborn Stearns and Laurence Loring. During the evening Mr. Stearns rendered a very pleasing flute solo, and Miss Parker piano solos.

Mrs. Horace M. Willard of the Quincy Mansion school has sent out cards for an at-home for Wednesday afternoon May ninth from three to six. From five to six there will be an entertainment by Clarence B. Mudge in Sivermore hall.

A union meeting will be held at Wollaston on Sunday evening in the Congregational church, when President Davis of the Anti-Saloon League will speak.

Next Saturday the Merrymounts will have as opponents the Boston Union team.

The Fore River company expect to deliver the battleship New Jersey to the Government at the Navy Yard, Boston, on May 12th.

Miss Mildred Colgan leads the Epworth League service Sunday evening in the Wollaston Methodist church. The subject is "Our call to sevvice."

The engagement is announced of Dr. Newell O. Parker, Harvard '05 to Miss Alta Deming, daughter of Rev. M. R. Deming. Dr. Parker is a nephew of Mr. Newell O. Parker of Belmont street, Wollaston.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bennett, of Arlington street entertained a number of their relatives last Saturday evening in honor of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett were presented with many beautiful gifts.

The Merrymounts open the base ball season today, when they line up against the Walpole Athletic club. The Merrymount team is out for practice every Tuesday and Thursday evening. Several new candidates are out and they promise to make good. "Orrie" Leach, the new back stop, looks very promising and Hoxie, the new candidate for third base, is a strong addition to the infield.

H. Fletcher Miller, Jr., of Wollaston, came third in the mile run at the Harvard class meet yesterday and will be awarded his numerals. Miller got a good lead and kept several yards ahead of all his opponents for three laps. On the fourth, two men passed him but he finished well and on the whole ran a fine race.

Nine delegates represented the Wollaston Y. P. R. U., at the annual federation meeting at the Church of Disciples, Boston, Sunday afternoon and evening.

The pleasures of gardening are proverbial. Gardening is not only a source of interest and pleasure, but it helps to maintain a good temper and good health. Moreover, it may be made a source of profit.

Henry O. Gifford died Wednesday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Rufus B. Tobey, at 75 Lincoln avenue, Wollaston. He was 82 years of age.

Mrs. William J. Battison, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is showing a little improvement.

The Wollaston Golf club held its annual meeting Wednesday and elected these officers: Richard R. Freeman, president; C. L. Bremer, vice president; S. B. Reed, secretary; E. F. Litchfield, treasurer, the above and T. E. Jacobs, Fred B. Rice, D. E. Little, J. P. Trainor, H. L. Doten, directors.

Commencing Monday a special car is run from Wollaston shortly before 8 o'clock to the Fore River to accommodate a number of the office force.

The Wollaston Golf club will have a handicap match play vs. bogey on today.

The funeral of Edward Hardwick, who died April 27, was held on Sunday from his late residence on South Central avenue.

J. H. Broughton and E. E. Hoxie took a tumble at the Saturday afternoon tournament of the American whist club, having a score of minus eight and one-half.

F. J. O. Alsop led in Class A, and N. Heath in class B in the handicap medal play of the Wollaston golf club on Saturday. The following are left for the semi-finals for the directors cup: W. D. Roberts, N. Heath, J. H. Churchill and T. E. Jacobs.

A very pleasant evening was passed by about twenty-five young people on the occasion of the Pi Delta Alpha's first gentlemen's night, which occurred Monday evening, at the home of Florence Waite of Safford street, Wollaston. The Pi Delta Alphas are a society composed of Wollaston M. E. church young ladies. The evening was enjoyed playing games, after which refreshments were served. The gentlemen agreed they never spent a more enjoyable evening. Among those present were: Misses Waite, Newell, Colgan, Barlow, Bland, Williams, Smith, Mehagy, Leake and Lupton; Messrs. Snyder, Blake, A. M. Hoxie, Wilbur, Cassidy, Clifford, Foster, Kay and C. B. Hoxie.

Several houses are being erected at Wollaston near the Tubular River & Stud Co. plant. The houses let as fast as built.

☞Rev. Preston Gurney's house to let. Mahogany piano and set for sale. 1t

—The will of Hon. J. White Belcher of Randolph, formerly clerk of the district court in Quincy, has been allowed by Judge Flint. The estimated value of the estate is $32,000, of which $20,000 is personal and $12,000 real. The bulk of the estate was left to his widow.

QUINCY POINT.

Mrs. William Hayden of River street is quite ill,

At the recent business meeting of the Quincy Point Y. P. S. C. E. the following officers were elected: President, Mr. James Corprew; Vice President, Mr. Fred Barnard; Secretary, Miss Harriet Phillips; Treasurer, Miss Helen Walker.

The Huscarls have organized a baseball nine. They played their first game against the Washington School and defeated them by the score of 9 to 6. The Huscarls challenge any 14 year old team. Apply to Thomas Skinner, Jr., manager, 5 Sargents lane, Quincy Point.

Mrs. Charles Damon of Wharf street reports that she has received a letter from her son Israel in Belmont, Cal., only thirty miles from San Francisco. Mr. Damon with his wife and child escaped while the house and everything within it became a mass of ruin from the shock.

The civil service rules are so exacting that an examination must be held by the government before the bureau of construction and repair at Quincy can employ a messenger boy at the shipyard.

The fire department was called out at 8.30 Tuesday evening for a brisk fire in the woods near the Harlow estate on South street. Hose 4 and the relief hose wagon at the central station responded.

Mrs. Ella Hayden is quite ill at her home on River street.

Sunday morning, the young men of the Quincy Point C. E. society, under the direction of Mr. Tom Skinner and Mr. Carlton McNeil, accompanied their pastor, Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, to the Sailors Snug Harbor and gave an appreciated graphophone concert to the Sailors. The graphophone selections were interspersed between solos, choir selections and religious remarks.

At the Sunday evening service at the Washington street Cong. church the fourth lecture in the series on "Young men and the times" was given by the pastor, the subject being, "The club and the church." He was assisted by Mr. Raymond Noon of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. and Mr. Albert Hayden soloist, and by his father Rev. L. L. Atwood.

Chief of Police Burrell, Lieut. McKay and Officer Bishop raided the premises of Mrs. Alice Murray on Wendell street, Sunday morning, and seized two cases of beer, one quart of whiskey and two empty beer cases. As the goods were improperly marked the police will get afer the express that delivered them.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford and family of South street have recently moved out of town.

A whist party was held in the club room at Stone's hall, Quincy Point, Wednesday evening.

Mr. H. Merrill of Washington street, Quincy Point, is able to be out again, after a long, serious illness.

Clifford H. Towle who escaped from the prisoners' cage in the district court room early in April, while waiting for bondsmen to protect his appeal, returned to Quincy on Wednesday and gave himself up. He furnished securities in the sum of $500. He has been to Nova Scotia since he left Quincy.

The Assessors report that they have found a great many new houses in the Quincy Point ward and say it is surprising how fast the city is growing. They expect to finish their work in this ward this week.

The boating-season has commenced in earnest.

Arbor-day witnessed the planting of many trees, in our midst.

Rakes and flowers are making our yards look cheerful and inviting.

Mrs. Alice Pollard 41 Edison street has recovered from her recent illness.

Repairs are in progress on the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Pollard, 41 Edison street.

A double male quartet of Fore-River men, are to render special musical selections, at the Point church on Sunday evening.

The Point church was represented at the conference at Whitman, on Tuesday by its full quota of delegates: Pastor, Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, Mrs. H. D. Adams, Miss Etta Lapham, Miss H. Phillips, Mrs. Damon and Mrs. Blanchard. All report a profitable session.

The Bigelows will line up against the strong Wenonah base ball team of Dorchester, at Ward Two playground, this afternoon, and a hot game is looked for, as the teams are evenly matched. Hickey will do the box work for the home team. Game called at 3 o'clock sharp.

WEST QUINCY.

West Quincy people are making considerable complaint over what is considered the junk shop nuisance.

West Quincy base ball enthusiasts have begun to talk up the possibility of a nine this year. There is excellent material in West Quincy for a first class team of the citizens would only give the necessary support.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. McClintoch (Miss Mary A. Falvey of West street) are in town from Augusta, Ga. After a few days' visit in Quincy they go to Rockland, Me., for the summer.

In the superior court at Dedham, April 29, Samuel Samuelson of West Quincy was sentenced from five to seven years for manslaughter.

Mrs. Georgetta T. Tyler of Brockton announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Annis Louise Tyler, to Mr. Arthur W. Loud of West Quincy, recently Councilman at large. Miss Tyler holds a responsible position with the W. L. Douglas company, is prominent socially, and resides on Oakland avenue.

The new house of George Farquhar on Copeland street is being pushed along toward completion.

Mr. Smith contemplates making some improvements to his business block on Copeland street.

That fence in the centre of Crescent street continues to be an eyesore and an object of wonder to strangers who use that street.

Joseph Walker is making some improvements to his granite cutting plant on Arthur street.

M. Monihan is building an addition to his plant on Copeland street. Part of the new building will be used for hoisting machinery, and part for an addition to his cutting sheds.

An entertainment will be given in the West Quincy M. E. church next Wednesday evening by the Epworth League.

Miss Georgiana Brissette from Caribou Maine, Mrs. A. Bernard and Mrs. W. Baker from Worcester are the guests of Mr. William S. Lyons and family and Mr. Philias Dalpe and family.

Miss Rena M. Chamberlin of Adams street was elected marshal at the annual session of the Rebekak assembly of Massachusetts on Wednesday. The new president is Lucy A. Godbold. There are 168 lodges with 29,382 members in this state.

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ATLANTIC.

Eight Atlantic girls under the guidance of Miss Iva Warren, armed with opera and field glasses and a bird book, might have been seen tramping to Squantum Sunday morning, when the shadows were long, on their first bird walk of the season. They heard a chickadee and saw the phoebe, song sparrow, robin, grackle, gull, and a naptha launch. The enjoyable walk will be repeated next Sunday morning.

Miss Mabel Dorman, formerly of Atlantic, has been visiting Miss Mabel Wilson of Squantum street.

W. H. Woll of Walker street has received news from his brother, who was in San Francisco at the time of the earthquake. Although Mr. Woll describes none of the terror, yet his letter expressed thankfulness to be alive and well and the news was gratefully received by his brother.

A man who gave his name as John E. Coughlin of Braintree was arrested early Sunday morning at the Quincy end of the Neponset bridge by Officers Boutin and Maloney for drunkness. At the police station he claimed that he had come to Neponset from Boston and had started to walk home. He said that three men had followed him across the bridge, knocked him down, and robbed him of a gold watch and $16 in money.

George Melzard and family of Botolph street have moved to Newtonville.

Mrs. J. A. Kendall of Walker street, has gone to Bristol, N. H., for a few days.

The grading around the Atlantic station is improving the looks of things generally. It comes at a time when things ought to look their best for the benefit of the summer visitors.

Faxon road, after a seige with gravel teams and mules, is being improved by sidewalk curbings, and a general leveling down of the ruts made by the carts.

It is rumored that Howard Eaton of Atlantic has purchased the cottage on Appleton street formerly owned by Dr. Disbrow of Boston. If this is true Mr. Eaton has got the strat of many applicants for the purchase of the pretty dwelling.

On Sunday, May 13th, trains will cross over the temporary bridge of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. spanning the Neponset river. On and after this date all business of the road will be carried on over this bridge until the new one with four tracks is constructed.

Miss Mabel Drew of Walker street started Wednesday for Hampton, Virginia, to visit her sister, Miss Bessie Drew, who is teaching at Hampton. She will make a ten days' trip, going by Washington.

Ex-Councilman and Mrs. Harry W. Read of Squantum street sailed Wednesday by the steamer Admiral Farragut for Jamaica. They will also visit Caracas the capital of Venezuela, a city established in 1567, but destroyed by an earthquake in 1812.

William R. Harding of Botolph street, Atlantic, left Tuesday on a six or eight months trip. He will meet his uncle, Mr. Wm. Reid, in Halifax, N. S. Mr. Reid is owner of the schooner "Mona." They will cruise along the coast northerly as far as Labrador, where they will land and stay several months trading with the Indians. Mr. Harding has taken this trip with his uncle on account of poor health. It is hoped by his many friends that he will be much improved on his return.

Charles Hendrie of Davis street, has taken a short business trip to New York.

The neighbors of ex-Councilman Harry W. Read never noticed that he had any aspirations to travel in the company of the blue bloods of Newport R. I., or that he had any apologies to offer for Queenly Quincy, but a Boston daily says that Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Read of Newport, R. I., sailed this week for Jamaica.

DOWNS AND PARK.

The Globe reports that Councilman George F. Sawyer, Jr., Vice Commodore of the Squantum Yacht club, has sold his Cape cat Eclipse to W. L. Henry of Brookline, and has bought the 25-footer Eleanor.

The funeral of Mrs. Jeannette M. Snow was held Friday afternoon, from the residence of relatives on Billings road. Services were conducted by Rev. Henry G. Megathlin. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston.

The boys of the Phi Alpha Pi Association of the Park and Downs have formed a company of the National First Aid Association and have secured the services of Lieut. Geo. A. Wardwell of the 5th Regt., M. V. M., to instruct them in the ambulance corp and military drill.

MILTON.

Roxbury Latin defeated Milton Academy at Milton on Wednesday by a score of 4 to 2.

E. S. Tinker, recently in the grocery business at East Milton, has moved his family to Vermont, where he is engaged in the water business.

Fred Allen has purchased the Somes estate on State street and will occupy it after making some alterations.

There are quite a number of cases of measles among the children of East Milton.

An entertainment was given at the Town hall, Thursday evening, under the auspices of Oliver W. Peabody camp, Sons of Veterans, for the San Francisco relief fund.

The evening services at the Mission of Our Saviour church will commence hereafter at 7.30 o'clock, instead of at 7 o'clock.

A business meeting and whist party was held at the Thursday Evening club this week.

The ladies whist club met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Louis Harlow.

Arbor day was observed at the Belcher school with appropriate exercises and the planting of trees in the school yard.

The stable of George W. Field on Grafton avenue is being moved to Bates road.

W. Y. C. Fair.

The crowd began to come early Thursday night at the Wollaston Yacht club fair, and the sales extended late into the evening.

The club house was beautifully decorated with flags, bunting, and crepe paper. The booths were unique and each reflected the individually of the member in charge.

Everything considerable was on sale, and although the demand was great the supply didn't seem to show any signs of being exhausted.

A friendly rivalry will go on between the club members, until Saturday night, when the most popular member will be selected

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Miles' Pills . .	.25	.19			

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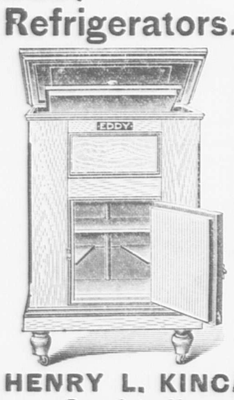
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I. O. O. F. Anniversary.

George L. Gill Rebekah lodge celebrated the 87th anniversary of the order and the 8th anniversary of the lodge on Thursday evening. There was a very large attendance of members, including District Deputy Annie E. Sawyer and full suite and Nellie M. Cate, grand marshal.

After a brief business session there was a short entertainment. This included piano solos by Mrs. E. L. Goodridge, songs by Miss Elvira Ewell and Frank Flowers, and readings by Mrs. Henry P. Furnald. Brief remarks followed by the deputy and other grand officers.

Light refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, and the evening closed with dancing and whist. Music for the dancing was by Baker's orchestra.

During the evening Past Noble Grand Kate A. Prout, in behalf of the lodge, presented the deputy with a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

The hall was decorated with potted plants and cut flowers.

Officers Elected.

The Wollaston Methodist Epworth League held their annual meeting on Thursday evening and the following officers were elected for the next year:

President,—Willard Kay.
1st Vice-President,—John Kay.
2d Vice-President,—J. A. Sedgwick.
3d Vice-President,—Miss Ada Stone.
4th Vice-President,—Miss Ethel Smith.
Secretary,—Herbert Cassidy.
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SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1906.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Tide Morn.	Full Tide Eve	Sea.	Moon sets
Saturday.	May 5	4 35	6 47	8.15	8.45	3.08	A.M
Sunday,	" 6,	4.33	6 48	9 15	9.45	3.41	"
Monday,	" 7,	4.32	6.49	10 00	10.30	4.16	"
Tuesday,	" 8,	4.31	6.50	11.00	11.15	7.15	P.M
Wednesday,	" 9	4 30	6.52	11.45	12.07	8.18	"
Thursday.	" 10,	4.29	6.53	12.15	12.45	9.28	"
Friday,	" 11,	4.27	6.54	1.00	1.30	10.32	"

Full Moon, May 8th, 9.10 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compare below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898
Sunday,	68	59	54	79	43
Monday,	70	44	71	67	65
Tuesday,	70	55	61	63	67
Wednesday,	67	55	65	62	59
Thursday,	76	58	77	53	49
Friday,	67	69	51	55	56
Saturday,	—	56	68	71	68

The appeals for California relief have been advertised for the last time, but it is not too late to subscribe.

Brookline hopes to reduce its tax rate this year. If the taxation laws of Massachusetts were more equitable her tax rate would jump up.

Good for Gov. Guild. His contention against the midnight liquor bill is well taken, and if it results in the defeat of the bill many will be pleased.

The Assessors are among us again. They are not predicting any decrease in the tax rate, but then our rate is several dollars less than Brockton, and on the whole an average rate for cities.

Mr. Bryan, who was a "radical" when he went away, may be surprised to find himself a conservative when he comes back.

Do you notice, Comrade Gorky, how grandly the people of "this disgusting country" loosen up when some object which they consider worthy appeals to their benevolence?

Quincy is not credited with raising anything for the relief of Chicago 35 years ago, but is doing nobly for California. Massachusetts raised $629,672.41 for Chicago, being excelled only by New York.

Under the proposed apportionment of the Representative districts Wards One, Two and Three of Quincy will have the honor of being the "First Norfolk" district. The honor belongs to Quincy as we are the only city. The other three wards will be district No 2 and then come in order the big towns—Brookline, Hyde Park and Weymouth. These four cities and towns have six of the thirteen representatives.

Fabbucci—Maravigli.

There was a pretty home wedding at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Pietro Maravigli, 151 Liberty street, last Saturday, when their daughter, Miss Giuseppina Maravigii, and Mr. Vincenzo Fabucci of Lynn, were united in the bonds of wedlock by William M. Marden, Esq., in the presence of the immediate family connections. Mr. Gerardo Fabucci, brother of the groom, was best man, and the bridesmaid was Miss Laurina Maravigli, sister of the bride. The bride was costumed in light gray silk. A wedding lunch was served to the friends of the bridal couple. They will reside at 84 Sagamore street, Lynn.

Barnes---Cudworth.

A delightful home wedding took place at the Cudworth residence on Saville avenue on Monday evening, when Miss Susie Saville Cudworth was united to Mr. Bertram George Barnes. The marriage ceremony was solemnized by Harrison A. Keith, Esq., an old friend of the bride's family. Mr. William G. Esmond was best man and the bridesmaid was Miss Maud H. Cudworth, a sister of the bride. Relatives of the family and a few intimate friends were present. A wedding lunch was served to the guests and the bridal couple departed for Boston. They left on the Cunarder Saxonia on Tuesday afternoon for Liverpool, and will make their home for the present in London, the residence of the groom.

No Labor Troubles.

So far as can be learned the month of May starts in without any labor trouble.

Several unions gave notice some weeks ago of changes desired in the agreements and bill of prices. It is understood that these have all been settled peacefully, and there is at present no trouble in Quincy.

There are rumors that the coal team drivers are desirous of a new agreement, but no formal demand has been made.

In the granite industry everything is quiet as the differences in this line of trade were settled early in the year.

Some weeks ago there were more or less rumors of trouble with the street car men over a new agreement, but there has been none as yet. The parties at interest are still in conference, and it is believed that there will be no trouble.

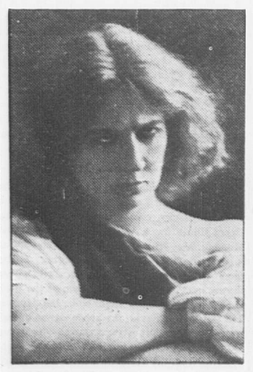
Battleship Rhode Island.

The battleship Rhode Island, built at Quincy and fitted out at the Charlestown navy yard, sailed Tuesday on its first cruise. The trip will terminate at Tompkinsville, N. Y., where ammunition will be taken aboard and the ship will then take its place in the line of battleships in the Atlantic squadron.

The place made vacant by the Rhode Island at the yard will be taken by her sister ship, the New Jersey, which is yet at the builders' yards at Quincy. It will take about three months to fit out the New Jersey and instal its batteries.

Hollis Street Theatre.

Nance O'Neil the distinguished American Tragedienne, who Boston claims for her very own will return to the Hollis Street theatre, Boston, on Monday evening, May the 7th, opening her engagement at that popular



theatre with a play new to Bostonians and local theatregoers, Ibsen's 2 "Rosmersholm." In the part of Rebecca West in this powerful and intensely interesting drama Miss O'Neil is said to have achieved new heights of dramatic rendition.

AMONG THE CLUBS.

The Social Science and Literary club held a regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Thompson, 11 Squantum street on Tuesday. Mrs. Twitchell gave an interesting talk—"Problem of the unemployed." The study of Othello was conducted by Mrs. Chase.

Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, hold their May meeting on Monday afternoon at the birthplace of President John Adams. The council meets at half past two and the chapter at three. Mrs. E. G. Pratt, Mrs. Francis Brewer and Mrs. Charles Wilson are the hostesses for the afternoon.

Wednesday, May 9, at 8 P. M., a kindergarten mass meeting will be held in the Wollaston Congregational church. There will be an address by Miss Laura Fisher, director of the Boston Kindergarten, followed by an open discussion, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Y. Follett will sing with Mrs. Chandler W. Smith as accompanist. The meeting is free to all. The public is cordially invited. There will be no collection.

The annual meeting of the Friday club was held April 27th at the home of Mrs. George W. Morton, Spear street, and elected the following officers for the year 1906-07: president, Mrs. George W. Morton; vice-president, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney; secretary, Mrs. Ernest O. Cockayne and on the executive board the above and Mrs. John F. Welch and Mrs. A. E. Sproul.

The Pickwick club at its annual meeting on April 25th elected the following officers: president, Mr. Wilson Marsh; vice-president, Mrs. George L. Badger; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. James D. Kent, Jr.; executive board, the above officers and Mrs. Herbert W. Beattie, Miss Elizabeth Hubbard and Mr. H. Everett Crane.

The Mothers' meeting of Wednesday was a decided success, both as to numbers and the program which was a decidedly interesting one. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. A. G. Coffin. The solos by Mrs. Ross K. Whiton were very sweetly rendered, and Mrs. Walter E. Burke gave a most excellent talk on "The education and training of children," which was not only helpful, but also entertaining.

The last regular meeting of the Wollaston Alliance was held in the vestry of Unitarian church on Wednesday afternoon. The annual reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and accepted, after which the following officers were elected for the coming year:—president, Mrs. Chandler W. Smith; vice-presidents, Mrs. W. E. Simmons, Mrs. H. G. Fay and Mrs. Frank A. Page; secretary, Mrs. W. E. Rowe; treasurer, Mrs. Sylvester Brown. The Rev. Mr. Hunt was present and made a few remarks, suggesting certain lines of work in which he hopes to interest the Alliance next year.

The annual meeting of the Workers' Guild was held in Armory building, Washington street, Boston, Wednesday, May 2d and was well attended and interesting. Great gratification was expressed over the gift of a thousand dollars from a prominent and successful Boston man. After the reading of reports the following officers were elected: President, Miss M. A. Molineux; vice president, Mrs. F. C. Babcock; secretary and clerk, Mrs. Laura Hallett; treasurer, Miss M. M. Gilbert; directors, Mrs. F. C. Babcock, Mrs. Charles Hartshorn, Miss M. A. Molineux, Mrs. A. W. Harrington, Mrs. F. F. Sampson, Mrs. Alice Whittaker, Mrs. Carolyn A. Bill; honorary vice presidents, Mrs. Kate Gannett Wells, Mrs. Sallie Joy White, Mrs. M. C. Schatswell, Mrs. Abbie Jewell, Mrs. Isabel Louise Johnson, Miss Wrenn, Mrs. Royal Whiton.

QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Quincy Women's club was held Thursday morning, at the club house.

The rehearsal of the Choral class will be omitted this Saturday afternoon but will meet May 8th at half past one o'clock at the club house, before the regular meeting of the club. It has been decided that the concert will be given on Friday evening, May 18th at High School hall. The chorus will give "King Rem's Daughter." There will be special soloist besides the full chorus. A fine performance is anticipated under the direction of Mrs. Jennie B. Worster of Weymouth. The proceeds go towards the Visiting Nurse's salary.

On Tuesday afternoon the annual meeting of the club will be held. As the officers are elected for two years there will be no election, but there will be reports from all the officers and committees on the work of the past year, followed by music, tea and a social time.

DAY NURSERY ASSOCIATION.

The Quincy Day Nursery association held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon May first at the Women's club house on Goffe street.

About a dozen ladies were present, with Mrs. Thomas A. Addison, president in the chair.

Our readers will remember the charming fete for which Mayor and Mrs. Bryant so kindly gave the use of their lawn three years ago, the proceeds of which started, and have largely supported the Nursery until now.

Reports from the Matron showed that the total attendance of children during the month was 220; the largest number in any one day 17; average over 9.

Plans were discussed for a large garden fete which it is proposed to be held the last week in June in order to replenish the nearly exhausted treasury.

The work is constantly growing and the ladies in charge of it earnestly hope they may be able to raise funds to continue this useful assistance to women who are obliged to leave little children behind, when they go out to work.

Scenes from Dickens to be presented by the Friday club at the home of Mrs. Theophilus King on the afternoon of Friday, May 4th, promises an original and delightful entertainment. Mrs. King has generously offered to double the receipts for the benefit of the nursery.

The Association extends its thanks to the friends who have brought gifts to the nursery. Visitors are always welcome at its house on Copeland street, Brewers corner, or at the monthly meetings of the Association.

The following donations are acknowledged:

Miss Elsie Russell, 6 jars jam; Mrs. Ross, apples; ladies of Presbyterian church, box of butter; Mrs. Hugh Tracy, 4 bags of flour; Mrs. Elizabeth Follett, jug of molasses; Mrs. E. E. Davis, pound of chocolate; Mrs. F. S. Davis, 2 cans peas, loaf of bread and eggs; Mrs. Theodore Hardwick, oatmeal crackers; Mrs. Dasba, sheets and pillow slips, marmalade and eggs; Mrs. Sibly, mattress ticking; Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, graham crackers and bananas.

PHILERGIANS OF BRAINTREE.

The Philergians of Braintree held their annual meeting on Tuesday afternoon in Cochato hall. Over fifty members were present. Reports were read by the officers which showed the club to be in a flourishing condition and accomplishing considerable work.

New officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Willard E. Dow; vice president, Mrs. Albert E. Avery; second vice president, Mrs. R. F. Burleigh; recording secretary, Mrs. Harold Gage; corresponding secretary, Miss Alice A. Holbrook; treasurer, Mrs. Otis B. Oakman; auditor, Mrs. F. Eugene Dyer; custodian, Mrs. George W. Stevens; and the board of directors the above named officers and Mrs. C. M. Bill, Mrs. E. S. Waters, Mrs. I. W. Readmund, Mrs. Gordon M. Keating and Mrs. W. B. Freeman.

NEIGHBORING CLUBS.

Massachusetts club women have contributed over $1000 for the relief of California sufferers. Clothing has also been sent but it is difficult to handle so much and money contributions are preferred.

On May 7th Miss Allison Pierce of Boston is to tell stories and make the children's day of the Onsamequin club of Bridgewater, a pleasant occasion for the little ones.

The Fortnightly of Winchester closes its season on May 14th, holding its annual meeting.

The Walpole Woman's club hold their annual meeting on Monday, May 7th.

At the next meeting of the Norwood Woman's club on May 8th, it being children's day, Mrs. Alice N. R. Snow will lecture on Robinson Crusoe.

An interesting lecture on "English Enclosed Gardens," illustrated by stereopticon, was given by Mrs. Wilton P. Wainwright of Boston on Monday afternoon before the Middlesex Woman's club of Lowell. The club holds its annual meeting on May 7th.

Brighthelmstone club of Brighton holds a cake and candy sale today, morning and afternoon, also a rummage sale in the afternoon. On May 7th the club holds its annual meeting, social and tea.

The Norumbega Woman's club closes its season on May 10th. The proceeds from the recent whist parties were devoted to the District Nursing association, Hunt asylum, and the Bunker Hill boys' club.

It looks as though the disfiguring bill board advertising was doomed for the women are against them, and are talking of boycotting firms using this means of advertising. At the meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs at Middleboro a motion was made to try and induce advertisers to join the ranks in the movement to make the world more beautiful.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wellington of Dorchester observed their golden wedding on Tuesday evening in the chapel of the Parkman Street M. E. chapel.

Mr. Wellington was born in Quincy, Mass., June 10, 1825, and Mrs. Wellington, who was Miss Mary Elizabeth Aymar, was born in St. Stephen, N. B., Aug. 5, 1836. They were married in Boston May 1, 1856. They have lived in Dorchester 45 years.

In early life Mr. Wellington drove a stage between Dorchester, Milton and West Quincy, and on other Boston and surburban routes, and from 1860 to 1889 he was employed by the Metropolitan street railway company and then by the Boston elevated railway company in the capacity of both driver and conductor. In 1903 he was placed on the pension roll.

Mrs. Wellington has been a member of the Parkman Street M. E. church since 1870 and has served the Ladies' Aid society of that church as president or treasurer for many years. She has also been active in temperance, missionary and charitable work.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington received substantial gift of gold coin.

Change of Name.

The name of the corporation heretofore known as J. C. Morse & Co., Inc., has been changed to the Ladew-Jones Co. The management and personnel of the company will remain the same as they have been since the death of Mr. Jos. C. Morse and Mr. Edward R. Ladew, the former president and vice-president. Mr. J. Harvey Ladew will continue as president and Mr. Charles W. Jones of Wollaston will continue as treasurer and general manager. Mr. S. A. Dickerson, Mr. C. F. White and Mr. J. S. Whiting, who have been with the company since its incorporation, will acquire a financial interest in the company, and will serve on its board of directors.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

3D SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented.—Ed.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 10.30 A. M., Holy Communion and sermon. Sunday School in the Parish house at 12 M. Galahad Booth Ihood in the church at 12.10 M. Evening prayer and address at 7 o'clock. Evening prayer and address at Pythian hall, Braintree, at 4 o'clock. All welcome.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon service at 2.30 Last in the series of sermons on the Christian churches. Subject: "The Universalist Church: Its history, polity and doctrines." Sunday School at 3.30. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 11.50. All invited.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Communion and reception of new members at 11.15 Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Annual public service of Bethany Church Brotherhood with an address by Rev. A. T. Pierce of Campello.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45; recently elected deacon to be inducted into office; baptisms; reception of new members; communion. Sunday School at 12 M. Awarding of the attendance banner. Classes for all. Junior C. E. at 4. Topic: "A Home God blessed, and why." 2 Sam. 6:11. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Topic: "Among the Wheat or the Tares; Where am I?" Service of song and sermon at 7.30. Topic: "Use and Abuse of Amusements." Friday Christian fellowship service at 7.30. All seats are free at all services; we have a place and a welcome for all.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Abbott Chase, minister. Morning service at 10.45, followed by the Lord's Supper and reception of new members. Bible School at 12.15. The Senior Endeavor Consecration service at 6.30. A union meeting with Mr. Davis president of the Anti-Saloon league as speaker at 7.30 o'clock. All seats are free at all services.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Post Office block, opposite station.—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Morts's and Immortals." Golden Text: "Art thou not from everlasting, O Lord my God, mine Holy One? We shall not die." Habakkuk, 1:12. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading rooms open every week day from 3 to 5. All are welcome.

For the Quincy Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, May 2, 1906.

Gov. Guild has played good politics this week, and he has done so by regarding the interests of the state at large rather than being guided by the demand that he sign the midnight liquor bill. Whatever the outcome of the struggle, he has so acted as to take away so much of the ground of complaint against him on the part of the temperance people as would have alienated them. He will probably keep their votes, as the outlook now is. He is criticised by some here as not having any sand, but others see in his course a conspicuous display of sand and a complete demonstration that he had a mind of his own. His declaration that he would veto the bill unless it were limited to Boston, as was his original intention, sufficed to secure its recall by the Senate. The fear of the friends of the bill was that without including the support they would get from the cities with over 45,000 people, where it was to apply also, it would not have enough votes in the House to count a majority. That fear was the source of the opposition of some members to any reconsideration at all and of their determination to force the governor to sign or veto the bill which was sent to him in the first place. It appears that the temperance people have snatched a considerable victory from what seemed at first to be a complete defeat. Of course they would have desired the defeat of the bill without its reaching the governor, but it is no small tribute to their persistent fighting that they have secured such a material modification as the restriction to Boston, with only one license for every 20,000 people to sell till midnight, which is understood to be the fact if the bill gets the desired status by concurrence of both branches.

In another way Gov. Guild has doubtless gained ground during the week. This is by his two vetoes. Singularly both of them relate to fire departments. The first bill provided that in civil service examinations the physical test should count 37 1-2 per cent., experience 37 1-2 per cent., and the educational test 25 per cent. A mathematical computation showed that certain combinations were possible under which cripples or blockheads or rascals could demand situations, and the riddling the governor gave was followed by a vote of 58 to 124 on passing the bill over the veto and he regards the result as a handsome compliment to him. The second veto, which has gone over to tomorrow for action, was of the bill which took out from the civil service law the cities which had not accepted it before July 1, 1905, with reference to their fire departments. He made a fierce showing of its bad quality as an attack on the civil service system and his argument will make him popular with all who demand a clean and efficient civil service.

It has come out that the great row over the Jamestown appropriation, if not political originally, had a great deal of politics injected into it afterward. One of the democratic senators admits that it was a political scheme as it was worked in the senate, and its purpose seems to have been to put Gov. Guild into a hole.

This week has been fruitful in disquieting things for the governor and for the legislature. Another, in addition to those mentioned, is the bucket shop bill. Yesterday it was plastered all over with amendments which its friends objected to because they believed that the bill would be more effective without them in preventing dealing in margins, whether in the stock exchange or in the bucket shops. These amendments were urged as friendly, designed to improve the bill. But, after they had been put on, there was a large vote refusing to order this bill to a third reading. This forenoon Mr. Lowell of Newton, in charge, tried to get a reconsideration. The motion was debated for the half hour allowed under the rule and then was lost by 84 yeas to 103 nays and 10 pairs. The men who got the bill yesterday in the shape where they professed to want it, today refused it a chance of being passed. It was the most discreditable fact about the House which has transpired this session and it will remain a perpetual stain upon the reputation of this House. Reports of bribery are so definite that they are all well worthy of belief, though they are impossible of proof in court, as will be readily imagined by those who are familiar with the practices of the legislature. But it was made very clear that the stock gambling dens had plenty of support in the House and that they had strained themselves in their efforts to defeat this bill.

The patent medicine men have won a victory, too, in this House, by defeating the proposition that the percentage of alcohol in medicines shall be stated on the label, the bill standing that the amount shall be only enough to act as a solvent or preservative. As drugs can be added which require much alcohol to dissolve them, the purposes of the temperance men are again defeated, and the fight must be renewed next year.

One of the most novel propositions which has appeared this week is that for making the state board of education perform the function of an employment office for teachers. The bill provides that the teacher desiring employment shall file a statement of qualifications, and may have opportunity, with them, to put in whatever testimonials are desired. A fee of $2 must be paid. The information shall be arranged by the board in convenient form for reference and examination, and shall be open to the inspection of superintendents and school committees. Such a bill would make a formidable opponent to the teachers' agencies and it is to be expected that they will be heard from if the bill shows promise of becoming law.

It seems to be settled that the bill to regulate the height of buildings outside of Boston will become a law. It is through both branches with slight exception and there seems to be no effective opposition. It will prevent the erection of sky-scrapers in the outside cities and will do much to prevent the disfigurement of the thickly built business streets. Light and air are the principal things promoted by the bill.

The mountain reservations get the go by mostly this year, with the exception of Greylock, for which a report of $30,000 was made.

Both branches are at loggerheads over the sort of recess committee to sit for revision of the insurance laws. The Senate proposes to put the work into the hands of the regular insurance committee, while the House, taking the attitude that this committee invited itself to a regular summer job, added the president and two senators and the speaker and three representatives. The Senate refuses to agree and the House must insist and ask for a committee of conference, or back down.

The reply of the supreme court this afternoon to the senate's question whether the proposed granting of money testimonial to civil war veterans who never received a bounty would be constitutional, that grants of money, medals, badges of honor and so on, for distinguished services would be constitutional, is not regarded on second thought as much in favor of the veterans as was supposed when it was first read, for the question arises whether the failure to get a bounty is such distinguished service as to render it a fitting subject for a testimonial. But the fact of so much of a decision in favor of the bill will doubtless lead to an effort to pass it, and we may see a great deal of discussion on the matter before the end of the session.

Gov. Guild has sent the sawdust bill back to the Senate under the influence, it is said, of the Massachusetts fish and game protective association. Its purpose is to permit the discharge of sawdust into streams and the saw mill men want it, while the fishermen object to it. It is one more subject to worry the governor, who is right in the thick of alarms and perplexities this week, more than in any previous week of his administration. Rule.

City Council.

An adjourned meeting of the City Council was held Wednesday evening. The meeting was held to push along the petition of the Citizens' Gas Light Co. for permission to lay mains. Councilmen Cannon, Donovan, Ferguson, Gross, Hunter and Stone were absent.

A number of applications for minor licenses were received and referred.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

The special committee appointed to consider the matter of illuminating the dials of the clock on First church reported that it was not feasible to illuminate the dials. Report accepted.

The Committee on Licenses reported orders granting a number of minor licenses. Adopted.

GAS HEARING.

A public hearing was held at 7.45 on the petition of the Citizens' Gas Co. to lay mains.

Mr. Nichols, manager of the company, said that the company intended to lay 23 miles of mains this season. As the supply for Quincy would come through Beale street from Milton, the bulk of the work would be done in Wollaston and Atlantic. As soon as pipes are laid the present works would be closed and the supply taken from Boston. This would give a good supply at an even pressure.

The company realized how the city had been treated with promises, but the reorganized company intended to secure the confidence of the city.

In reply to a question by Councilman Hull, Mr. Nichols said that the price after July 1, would be $1.50. That there would be a sliding scale for buildings using gas for fuel purposes. This rate would be $1.50 for the first 20,000 $1.25 for the next 30,000 and all over that amount $1.00.

The reductions to private consumers would depend upon the people. If it used gas and enabled the company to earn a fair interest there would be further reductions. The company had got to put in nearly fifty mile of pipe.

In answer to further questions he said that the matter of submitting bids for street lighting was being considered.

He further said that some of the pipe was now in transit. There were 6,500 twelve-foot lengths. He hoped to abandon the old plant in two months. Would be ready to supply Wollaston by the middle of July. Expected to lay about 800 feet of pipe per day.

There was no opposition and the hearing closed and the order was recommitted.

Upon motion of Councilman Crane a recess of five minutes was taken.

After recess the Committee on Streets reported an order granting the Citizens' Gas Co. permission to lay pipes. Orderd to a second reading.

WATER METERS.

The Committee on Ordinances reported correctly engrossed on the order for $20,000 for water meters. Laid on the table by a vote of 10 in the affirmative and 6 in the negative.

TROLLEY FREIGHT.

The Committee on Streets reported an order for a public hearing May 15, on the petition of the Street Railway to operate a trolley freight.

A NUISANCE.

Councilman McGilvray reported an order requesting the Board of Health to investigate the sanitary condition of the swamp and pond on Grove street, West Quincy, and report to the Council as to the best method of improving the same. Adopted.

NEW ORDERS.

Councilman Hull offered an order for $225 for paved gutters on Grand View avenue. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Hull offered an order for lights on Taylor street. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Moir offered an order for a fire alarm box on the corner of Hancock street and Billings road. To Committee on Fire Department.

Councilman McGilvray offered an order for $400 for a bulkhead at the Gridley Bryant school, and for a sink in the basement. To Committee on Public Buildings.

WATER ORDINANCE.

The amendment to the ordinance relative to water meters took its second reading, and the rules were suspended.

Councilman Nichols hoped order would pass. The ordinance had the approval of the large majority of the people.

Councilman Bass asked the City Solicitor if it would prevent a householder putting in a meter at his own expense?

City Solicitor Thomas said that he had not studied the order, but in his opinion from the reading of it, the work would be in charge of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Councilman Hobbs asked of the chairman of the committee if it was contemplated a further rental in addition to the water rates.

Councilman Chase replied nothing was considered as to rates or rental.

Councilman Hobbs then asked the question of the Commissioner.

Commissioner Burke replied that it was the custom in different cities to charge rental and it would be done here.

Councilman Bass—If we get the benefit of the meter rates it is fair to pay rental; if not, there would be no advantage from meters.

Councilman Nichols—It was understood that ultimately the water rates are to be adjusted. When the meter system is in full operation the rates will be materially less.

In reply to a question, Commissioner Burke said there would be no change for rental until rates were readjusted.

The order was then passed to be ordained.

Councilman Nichols moved to take the $20,000 meter order from the table.

Councilman Hobbs thought it would be better to see if the ordinance was satisfactory to the Executive department before the order was passed.

Councilman Nichols withdrew his motion.

Adjourned at 8.45 until May 7.

—The selectmen of Braintree gave a hearing Tuesday on petitions to grant licenses of the sixth class, known as druggists license. After the hearing the selectmen voted to grant no sixth class licenses this year. Licenses of this class have been granted heretofore.

Vaudeville Show.

The Men's Club of Christ church gave too much for the money at the vaudeville show on Wednesday evening. The program was a long one, and each number met with favor, so that several encores were given. Some should have been omitted, but all were star acts, and it was not easy to decide which one.

In the opening number the Men's club orchestra rendered a medley of popular music. The sketch of Smith and Rose abounded in ludicrous scenes. The "Men's club four" were favorites in their quartette selections. S. Robson Adams gave songs and a monologue which contained many local hits.

Three tableaux were given with good success, the quartette and a stereopticon making them more effective. The tableaux were "Everybody works but Father," "The vacant chair," and "The old flag never touched the ground."

The Coffy brothers gave a pleasing exhibition of clog and fancy step dancing. There were three songs in the group sung by Arthur C. Peverley, the tenor, and many would have liked more.

"Paddle your own canoe," a farce presented wholly by men, three taking women's parts, was the hit of the evening. The scene was laid in a dentist's office, and the fun was created by a chum of the dentist who runs the office while he was at breakfast. He administered gas to four patents, and it affected them as gas often will. They talked and gave away secrets, and acted out predominant parts of their lives. In the cast were Merton Turner, J. H. Stedman, James Smith, Jr., Alexander Rose, H. Readman, Leslie Smith, A. Thomas, J. G. McGregor, Myron Turner and George M. Hanson.

Charles Dornan was very successful as "Howdidhe" on the second night of the vaudeville show of the Men's Club of Christ church. The audience crowded the parish house, and was very enthusiastic over the feats of Mr. Dornan. The packing box used was larger and stronger than any he has previously used in Quincy, being made of heavy boards. He was placed therein, and the box was securely locked with padlocks and bound with ropes, but he escaped in an incredibly short time and the box was found to be locked and bound as when he placed in the cabinet.

The program went off with more snap than on the opening night, and there were no long delays. George W. Holden was chairman of the entertainment committee and is entitled to much of the credit for the excellent program and success.

Bank Officers.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Quincy Cooperative bank this week.

President, John F. Welch.
Vice-President, George H. Field.
Secretary and Treasurer, Richard D. Chase.
Directors; Andrew Milne, John H. Dinegan, Joseph W. Dunnen, George W. Prescott, Henry O. Studley, Simeon Scammell, William S. Williams, Eben W. Sheppard, Eugene C. Hultman, John Harkins, Frank S. Patch, Daniel L. F. Chase, Frank W. Crane, John G. Roberts and William Westland.
Auditors; Wilson Marsh, William T. Isaac and George F. Hall.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following are the recent real estate transfers.

Cora F. Hayden to Arthur B. Hillman.
Annie L. P. Barry to Helen L. Mallory.
John H. Dinegan to George N. Fielden.
George N. Fielden to William H. Fielden.
William H. Fielden to Mary F. Cunningham.
Julius Johnson to Cora G. McKenzie.
Alanson H. Sherman to Orinna F. Hersom.
Robert T. Johnson to Fred J. Battrick.
Julius Johnson to Arthur W. Hall.
Orvid C. Moseley to Lowell M. Baker.
John F. Bubert to Charles K. Hendrie et ux.
Cora H. Knight to Phineas E. Fownes.
Fred T. Knight to Phineas E. Fownes.

The District Court.

Mark J. Myett was fined $50 for violation of the express liquor law at Quincy.

John Norton was fined $5, William Skig $3, and Thomas Skinner $15, for drunkenness at Quincy.

Daniel E. Donovan was fined $10 for drunkenness at Braintree.

John Hogarth and Otto Scherer were fined $3 each for disturbing the peace at Quincy.

John Yourell was fined $5 for violation of the by-laws of the town of Weymouth.

Nathan P. Billings was fined $2 for violation of the city ordinances at Quincy.

James E. McCabe was sentenced to six months in the house of correction for being a tramp at Weymouth.

Mrs. Bessie Jones was arraigned for drunkenness and malicious injury at Randolph. Case continued until May 7.

Vincenzo Chivelli was fined $5 for disturbing the peace at Weymouth.

John Fitzsimmons was fined $75 for violation of the express liquor law at Quincy.

William A. Milne was fined $5, Harold Nelson $10, John E. Coughlin $15 and John Matteson sentenced to three months in the house of correction, at Quincy for drunkenness.

Christopher Faher was fined $5, Edward Gagion $10, and Jeremiah

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Thomas Gurney,	Atlantic.
Branscheid & Martens	Atlantic.
Branscheid & Martens.	Norfolk Downs.
Peter L. Litchfield,	Quincy Adams.
W. E. Nightingale,	South Quincy.
E. H. Doble & Co.	West Quincy.
Henry Coram,	West Quincy.
Mrs. Lark's Store,	Brewer's Corner.
William Clark,	East Milton.
South Terminal Station,	Boston.
Fred J. Mullare,	Neponset.
N. R. Procter,	Braintree.
S. H. Hunt,	East Weymouth.
Arthur Dunham,	Houghs Neck.

Poetry.

A Memory System.

Forget each kindness that you do
As soon as you have done it;
Forget the praise that falls to you
The moment you have won it;
Forget the slander that you hear,
Before you can repeat it;
Forget each slight, each spite, each sneer,
Whenever you may meet it.

Remember every kindness done
To you, whate'er its measure;
Remember praise by others won
And pass it on with pleasure;
Remember every promise made
And keep it to the letter;
Remember those who lend you aid,
And be a grateful debtor.

Remember all the happiness
That comes your way in living;
Forget each worry and distress,
Be hopeful and forgiving;
Remember good, remember truth,
Remember heaven's above you,
And you will find through age and youth,
True joys and hearts to love you.
—Boston Transcript.

Notes and Comments.

—It is planned to dedicate the new $2,000,000 Christian Science church in Boston during the annual communion week in June, when thousands of the Christian Science faith are accustomed to go to the mother church at Boston. While the date has not been officially announced, it is thought that it will be June 10.

—A merchant who is prosperous has had for his motto: Early to bed, early to rise, never get cross, and advertise.

—Steel construction for high buildings in densely populated centers has demonstrated its superiority over all others in the conflagration which followed the earthquake at San Francisco. It not only possesses elasticity to withstand the earth's vibrations, but it also stands the test of intense heat better than any other type of building. Wooden buildings whose elasticity might save them from ruin by earthquake furnish food for the flames which almost invariably follow, while brick and stone crumble almost to dust when subjected to the intense heat of a great fire. But the steel constructed building, even though stripped of its outer walls of brick or stone, remains in position, thereby saving the lives of its many occupants.

—Divorces are no good hereafter when one or the other of the discontented twain hies away to some other State than that in which the couple lived, to obtain a separation. Says the U. S. Supreme Court: "A divorce to be universally legal must be obtained in the State where there was marital domicile—that is, where husband and wife lived together." That ought to be plain enough for any understanding.

—It will be a long time before the secretary of the navy can see his project of using the old ship Constitution as a target as he suggested, and thus stirred up the whole nation by so unworthy a thought or idea. Congress has decided that the old "ship of state" shall be so refitted as to look as she did at the time of her battle with the Guerriere, and will appropriate $100,000 to begin the work. Many of her old fittings are in existence, either at the navy yard or elsewhere within reach, and will be replaced. This is good news and will be pleasing to all who from early childhood have been taught to revere her for the memories connected with her exploits.

—The Milford Journal has the following: The last words ever written by John Quincy Adams to his son were: "A stout heart, a clear conscience and never despair!"

—Gorky's defence of his conduct in leaving his wife and children and coming to the United States in company with an actress whom he introduced as Madam Gorky, shows what might be expected to become of family ties, were socialism to prevail among the people. —Banker and Tradesman.

—There are ten families with 160 children in one Chicago tenement house. A great stork roost.

—Be sure that you correctly address and stamp your letters before mailing them. More than $56,000 was found in 11,000,000 letters that have been disposed of in the last year by direction of fourth assistant postmaster general Degraw. Besides money there were many valuables. About $40,0000 was returned to the owners, and the balance turned into the treasury for redemption. —Athol Chronicle.

—The United States is well rid, if it is rid of the antiquated seed nonsense. To spend half a million dollars to distribute a hundred thousand dollars' worth of seeds is bad business, but to support and encourage the petty theory that the American people can be bought individually, with two cents' worth of free seeds annually is foolish and farcical. There is no more necessity for the Government furnishing free seeds to the people than of distrubuting free beer or fine tooth combs.

—At the rate at which bank consolidations are going on, it looks as if an attempt was being made to create a money trust. The old bank of the United States was legislated out of existence because it was regarded as a monopoly. It is no more desirable to have a private money trust than a public one.—Banker and Tradesman.

—The wine growers on the slopes of Vesuvius put up a retaining wall and then level off a piece of ground and plant their vines. The new soil is well adapted to the culture of grape vines and when one plot has become productive another terrace is made and the process goes on and on. The present disaster is more terrible than anything that has occurred in a century, but when the excitement subsides, and the lava cools, the uncovered spots will again be taken up, and the wine producers go on as if nothing had happened or ever will happen again to interfere with their plans or imperil their lives.—Milford Journal.

—There are few people, even those who are distinctly disinclined to socialism, who will not welcome gladly the time, now seemingly distant, when the coal-fields all over this country will be in the hands of the Government, at last, and not in those of grasping monopoly. The later is a menace to the country when a group of men is given charge of the great product of Nature, which should be the Government's for unhindered distribution. The socialist properly argues: "Coal belongs to the people. It lies in the ground. It is not a product in the sense that wheat or corn or potatoes are." Again: "The Government does not sell its rivers and water supplies. It would not, probably, even if it had the power to do so, sell concessions to private interests for the use of the atmosphere. Now coal was stored in the earth by a bountiful Creator for the use of the people and not for the benefit of corporations." Everybody is a socialist where such things are concerned. The present condition of things in Pennsylvania is bound to do more to make socialists of the people than a Boston Common full of blatant talkers could ever do. —Boston Courier.

—While it is interesting to hear that money is easier what we should like to know is whether the people who have it are "easier."—Weymouth Gazette.

Cheaper to Move Brockton.

The Brockton Enterprise with some apologies to its readers in the shoe city prints the following in its Boston letter relative to the canal:

"For the sake of the Enterprise its representative here has been to the harbor and land commission to see what impression has been produced by the unanimous report of the bill for building the ship canal. Certain statements made are well worth repeating for consideration in case the people of Brockton seriously propose the pledging of the city credit for the beginning of the enterprise.

"It will well be remembered that the survey made by the authority of this board found that it would cost some $57,000,000 to dig the canal. Doubtless it is not pertinent to quote the remark which was made by the official, but since a newspaper has the privilege of saying things which are interesting, if not pertinent, let it be said that he remarked that he believed then and believes now that that survey was made for the sake of affecting somebody's political prospects in Brockton.

"But other remarks were pertinent. One of them is that it would cost $200,000,000 to build the canal at sea level. Another is that if the canal is built with locks there is no water to fill the locks with. Still another is that, rather than build even the canal at the estimated expense of $57,000,000 with locks, it would be cheaper to move the entire city of Brockton to the shores of Quincy bay, where it is possible to dredge a deep water approach clear to the site of the city, where there is plenty of low-lying land suitable for manufacturing, and where they would come in as a part of the metropolitan water supply district, and of the metropolitan system in other respects.

"Another still was that as long as it was impossible to raise even $6,000,000 to build a canal through Cape Cod, it would be vastly more impossible to raise even $10,000,000 to build the canal through Brockton. Doubtless there are plenty of other practical considerations to be urged, but these seem to be of sufficient importance to warrant presenting to the people of Brockton, and if they doubt or deny them, then it will doubtless be possible for a committee of the city government, or a delegation of the Brockton Board of Trade to get further information from competent sources.

"One further remark of the official may be quoted, namely, that he always looked upon the Brockton canal proposition as a joke and that he does so today. "Port" Hancock, he says, is on the committee which reported the bill and they wanted to please him and so they put it in. It is said here that the people of Brockton have not yet considered whether they would have a sea-level canal or not and that they have not studied the details of the proposition, or of raising the money, from a practical point of view."

Y. M. C. A. Fund.

Among the terrible losses to San Francisco was the destruction of its $400,000 Y. M. C. A. building erected about ten years ago and freed from debt only last year.

The International Committee in New York writes that "Before the building can be rebuilt, immediate emergency work must be undertaken among the young men of the city, including the soldiers and sailors who are invaluable helpers in the general work of relief. $50,000 will be required immediately to push features of the association work which are imperatively called for, including large association tents like those opened in army camps."

The Quincy Association is starting a fund among the members to be applied in this direction.

Unfortunate Tramp.

There was quite a little excitement in the district court room Monday caused by one of the prisoners falling in a fit. The man was James E. McCabe of Weymouth who was in court for being a tramp. McCabe pleaded with the court to let him off but the evidence was too strong, and he was sentenced to six months in jail.

He was put in the cage to wait until time to start for Dedham. Suddenly there was a sound of some one falling in the cage. Officers hurriedly opened the door and McCabe was discovered on floor writhing in agony. Dr. Hallowell, who was in the court room, was summoned, and the man was taken to the corridor, where he later revived. At noon Hall's ambulance was summoned and he was taken in it to Dedham jail.

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New Representative Districts.

The division of Norfolk county into Representative districts, as proposed by the Norfolk County Commissioners seems to meet with favor, and it will be difficult to improve upon it, all things considered.

The county without Cohasset has 37,572 legal voters, so that there should be about 2890 voters to a district. As divided, Brookline is favored, because it will have two representatives for 5120 voters, only 2560 to a district.

It is proposed to divide Quincy, into two districts, which can be done very easily, as Wards One, Two and Three have 3196 voters, and Wards Four, Five and Six 2813 voters.

Five of the districts, including one in Quincy, have an excess of voters, while the other eight fall below.

The large towns of Hyde Park and Weymouth have more voters than other districts, but they will be free from outside voters in electing their representatives.

The number of voters in each district is shown in the summary below; also the number of voters in each town in 1895:

	1895	1905
DISTRICT 1.		
Quincy, (Wards 1, 2, 3)	—	3196
DISTRICT 2.		
Quincy (Wards 4, 5, 6)	—	2813
DISTRICT 3 (Two Representatives)		
Brookline	3243	5120
DISTRICT 4.		
Hyde Park	2772	3362
DISTRICT 5 (Two Representatives)		
Weymouth	3039	3249
DISTRICT 6.		
Braintree	1331	1693
Holbrook	645	686
Avon	469	504
	—	2883
DISTRICT 7.		
Stoughton	1333	1453
Randolph	1123	1134
Sharon	423	499
	—	3086
DISTRICT 8.		
Milton	1171	1604
Canton	1696	1098
	—	2702
DISTRICT 9.		
Dedham	1702	1834
Needham	763	943
	—	2777
DISTRICT 10		
Norwood	1133	1474
Walpole	715	895
Norfolk	193	320
	—	2689
DISTRICT 11.		
Wellesley	634	932
Dover	169	150
Westwood	—	245
Medfield	447	437
Millis	231	254
Medway	818	721
	—	2739
DISTRICT 12.		
Franklin	1184	1069
Foxboro	858	792
Bellingham	323	345
Wrentham	700	376
Plainville	—	344
	—	2926

The city of Quincy and towns of Brookline and Hyde Park are growing faster than other parts of the county as will be seen by the census figures below:

	1905.	1895.	1960.
Avon,	1,901	1,626	1,741
Bellingham,	1,686	1,481	1,682
Braintree,	6,879	5,311	5,981
Brookline,	23,436	16,164	19,935
Canton,	4,702	4,636	4,584
Cohasset,	2,727	2,474	2,766
Dedham,	7,774	7,211	7,457
Dover,	636	668	656
Foxboro,	3,364	3,219	3,266
Franklin,	5,244	5,136	5,017
Holbrook,	2,569	2,288	2,229
Hyde Park,	14,510	11,826	13,244
Medfield,	3,314	1,872	2,926
Medway,	2,650	2,913	2,761
Millis,	1,252	1,006	1,053
Milton,	7,054	5,518	6,578
Needham,	4,284	3,511	4,016
Norfolk,	1,089	882	980
Norwood,	6,731	4,574	5,480
Plainville,	1,300	—	—
Quincy	28,076	20,712	23,899
Randolph,	4,634	3,634	3,993
Sharon,	2,085	1,717	2,060
Stoughton,	5,959	5,272	5,442
Walpole,	4,003	2,994	3,572
Wellesley,	6,189	4,229	5,052
Westwood,	1,156	—	1,115
Weymouth,	11,585	11,291	11,324
Wrentham,	1,428	2,584	2,720
	167,537	134,819	151,539

The Norfolk County Commissioners will give a hearing on apportionment May 15.

Many Fire Alarms.

Four bells and three still alarms kept the firemen on the jump from early Sunday morning until late in the evening.

The alarms were largely for grass fires although there were two buildings on fire. The first alarm was shortly after 10 o'clock. This was a telephone call for a grass fire near the Eldridge estate on Quincy avenue, Hose 4 of Quincy Point was sent over. The fire however was getting dangerously near the house and as more help was needed an alarm was sent in from Box 173 at 11.58 A. M.

At 1 o'clock, the Central station apparatus was sent to Greenleaf street, on a still alarm for a lively grass fire. While busy there an alarm sounded from Box 24. This was for a fire on the roof of Charles Mang's house on Mt. Ararat road off Adams street. The fire evidently started from sparks from a grass fire, and the roof of the house and piazza was damaged to the extent of $50.

At 5.30 the Central station apparatus was called on a still alarm for a grass fire in Faxon park.

At 7.49 an alarm from Box 59 was sounded for a grass fire on Beale street.

Before the department had returned from this fire Box 41 was sounded. This fire, which was evidently of an incendiary origin, was in an engine house at Johnson & Anderson's quarry off Quarry street. The building was a roaring mass of flames when the department arrived and was practically destroyed. The loss will be about $200.

Base Ball.

The new Fore River team and the Fort Warren nine were very closely matched on Saturday, in their opening game of the season. The home team won 5 to 3, but the result was in doubt until the last man was out.

Both pitchers were effective striking out 12 men each. Only 13 hits were made by both teams, and all were for one base only.

The score by innings:

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Fore River,	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	—5
Fort Warren	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	—3

Base Hits—Fore River, 7; Fort Warren 6; Errors—Fore River, 3; Fort Warren 4. Runs made by J. Dunn, Mullane, Birnie, Duggan, Donaher, for Fore River; Reed, 2, Lawson, for Fort Warren. Stolen bases—A. Dunn, Mullane, Powers. Bases on balls—Off Pierson, 2. Struck out—By Patterson 12, by Pierson 12. Sacrifice hit—Pierson. Hit by pitched ball—A. Dunn. Passed ball—McKeon. Umpire—Regan. Time—1 hour and 40 minutes.

The Makaria team put up a poor exhibition of ball against the strong team of the Baraca class of Dorchester, on Saturday, being defeated 12 to 2. Penley was hit freely, but had poor support.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Baraca	1	2	2	0	5	0	0	2	0	—12
Makaria	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

May Festival.

The annual May festival was held Saturday afternoon from 2.30 to 5 o'clock in Music hall. As usual the affair was a pronounced success. Hundreds of children were present and they enjoyed themselves to the uttermost.

Besides a pleasing entertainment for the children there were at the several tables, candy, ice cream and may baskets for sale. These tables were especially well patronized and it is doubtful if there was a child present who did not have a plate of ice cream, a bag of candy or a May basket. Over 1000 May baskets were sold, many for one or two cents.

These table were arranged on the two sides of the hall and were in charge of the following ladies:

May Basket table,—Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Mrs. Warren W. Adams, Mrs. Walter E. Burke, Mrs. Wm. F. Cummings, Mrs. Charles F. Harper, Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Mrs. W. G. A. Pattee, Mrs. F. F. Prescott, Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, Miss Margaret L. Thomas, Mrs. Henry M. Wright and Mrs. Roger H. Wilde.

Candy table,—Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, Miss Emily Wilde, Mrs. Joseph Morse, Mrs. Frank S. Patch, Mrs. Nathan G. Nickerson, Mrs. Edwin E. Davis, Mrs. Charles R. Safford, Mrs. Fred Peirce, Mrs. T. B. Pollard, Miss Grace Burke and Mrs. W. E. Blanchard.

Committee on Sloyd exhibit and awarding of prizes,—Mrs. Charles R. Safford, Mrs. Harry W. Read and Mrs. Charles R. Sampson.

Ticket and floor committee,—Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Miss Madelline Fish, Mrs. C. W. Guy, Miss Kate A. Raycroft, Miss Eliza C. Sheahan and Miss M. F. Underwood.

Ice Cream table,—Mrs R. R. Freeman and Mrs. F. H. Smith.

Home Garden Seed table,—Miss Mary Griffin and Miss Elizabeth Duran.

Water Supply table,—Mrs. John Downes.

Committee on Sewing Exhibit and awarding prizes,—Mrs. Zenas S. Arnold, Miss Florence R. Faxon and Mrs. George W. Morton.

The entertainment commenced promptly at 2.30 and at its conclusion there was a half hour of dancing for the children.

The entertainment, which was unusually good, was as follows:

Sword dance, by Helen Kennedy, Miss Mary Kennedy accompanist.

Dumb bell drill by Y. M. C. A. boys, under the direction of F. F. Bugbee, Fred Carlson, Charles Costello, William Childs, William Cain, Gustaf Erickson, Charles Holmes, Crrl Marsh, Allie Marsh, James Muir, James McGregor, Harold Prout, Joe Prout, Joe Pinel, Herbert Sutermeister, Carl Tingloff and Henry Trask.

Cornet and piano duet by Mrs. John Gamery and Mrs. Curtis.

Highland Fling, by Helen Kennedy.

Vaudeville by pupils of the Adams school as follows: Maud Bianchi, Cora Barnicoat, Fay Phelan, Thomas Curry, Everett Clark, Charles Bishop, Ruth Dahl, Henry Huston, Louise Prout, Ruth Phelan, Mildred Phelan, August Viden, Annie Welsh, Florence Williams, William Spargo, Mary Josephine, Albert T. Robertson, Mildred McIntosh, Pasquale Mottla. Director and accompanist, Miss Helen E. Bemis.

Stereopticon views for half an hour.

Duet (dance), Marion Bill and Stanley Churchill.

Gymnastics by Y. M. C. A. boys, William Cain, Charles Holmes, Allie Marsh, Fred Schofield.

Skirt dance by Louise Churchill.

Cornet and piano by Mrs. Gamery and Mrs. Curtis.

French maids dance by Helen Browne, Doris Cummings, Marion Bill, Zenas Elwards, Margaret Reed, Dorothy Bean, Zilpha Coombs, Katherine Bourt. Accompanist Miss Florence Ireland.

The stage manager was Delcevare King and the assistant Miss Bell Wainwright.

The prizes for sewing were awarded as follows:

First prizes,—Bertha E. Schultz and Stella Brown.

Second prizes, — Zilpha Combs, Theresa Edwards, Margaret Read and Julia Gustafson.

Third prizes,—Adaline McDowell, Dorothy Bean, Alice Barry, Clara Brown, Agnes Gilrain and Alice Gustafson.

Fourth prizes, — Margaret Brown, Anna McDowel, Anna McEachern, Gurtrude Meurs and Doris E. Cummings.

Relief Meeting.

At the Quincy Point church April 27 a very interesting and helpful San Francisco meeting was held. Governor Guild's appeal was read by Mr. James Corprew and Mayor Thompson's statement by Mrs. Atwood, who also read the contributions given by the church.

Deacon Charles Sherburne spoke on California, thirty years ago, giving his experiences on two trips and describing the city of San Francisco as he found it at that time.

Mrs. Charles Damon reported hearing from her son, who lives in Belmont, Cal. Other reports were read by Mr. Ralph Bancroft, Mrs. T. B. Pollard, Miss Annie Carter, Miss Helen Sherburne, Miss Esther Sidelinger, Miss Eleanor Crane and Miss H. M. Phillips.

The evening closed with remarks by the pastor's father, Rev. L. P. Atwood.

Twenty-fifth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Shirley celebrated their twenty-fifth marriage anniversary Saturday evening at their residence on Filbert street. Mrs. Shirley's maiden name was Nancy McAllister of Whitingsville and they were married in that place by Rev. T. L. Thompson. They came to Quincy immediately after their marriage and have always made their home in this city. Mr. Shirley followed the stone trade for a number of years, but is now employed as janitor of the Washington school.

They have two sons and two daughters living.

A large number of their friends called Saturday evening to extend congratulations and the evening was passed in a pleasant manner. A collation was served. Mr. and Mrs. Shirley received a number of gifts from their friends.

Friday, April 27th, Chief of Police Burrell, Lieut. McKay and Officer Olson raided the express wagon, and office of Myett & Fostello's Boston and Quincy express. From the wagon the officers seized two half barrels of ale, one keg of porter, four cases of ale, and one case of beer. At the office they seized ten quarts of whiskey, six cases of ale, and one case of beer. All were seized under the express liquor law.

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Contributors' Banquet.

The Young Men's Christain Association will hold its first annual contributors banquet on May 16, in the building on Washington street.

The city as well as the association will be highly honored by the presence at this gathering of the Hon. Carroll D. Wright, chief statistician of the United States government, president of Clark college in Worcester, and general educator. Col. Wright was also a member of the Coal strike commission appointed by the President three years ago.

He is a friend and student of the Association movement and comes to Quincy at considerable discomfort to himself as he is not in the best of health.

Invitations will be issued next week and it is expected that a large and representative body of Quincy's business men will attend.

Additional guests who have accepted an invitation are: Dr. L. L. Doggett of the International Y. M. C. A. Training School of Springfield, Mass.; Mayor James Thompson, and Rear Admiral Frances T. Bowles, President of the Fore River Shipbuilding Co.

All contributors are asked to reserve this date in anticipation of invitations soon to be issued.

County Tax.

The Norfolk county tax was apportioned April 27, and the total being $6,000 less than last year, each town is assessed a few dollars less.

Quincy county tax will be a few dollars less than last year, being $22,656.00 this year and $23,261.09 in 1905. The total tax is $225,000, this city paying over one-tenth.

	1905.	1906.
Avon,	$966.53	$941.42
Bellingham,	837.66	815.90
Braintree,	5,154.81	5,020.92
Brookline,	90,570.28	88,023.00
Canton,	4,027.20	3,922.59
Cohasset,	6,201.25	6,327.20
Dedham,	10,728.45	10,449.79
Dover,	1,063.18	1,035.57
Foxborough,	2,029.71	1,976.99
Franklin,	3,640.58	3,546.02
Holbrook,	1,514.23	1,474.90
Hyde Park,	11,856.07	11,548.12
Medfield,	1,610.81	1,569.04
Medway,	1,482.01	1,443.51
Millis,	708.79	690.38
Milton,	22,584.52	21,997.91
Needham,	4,091.63	3,985.36
Norfolk,	644.35	627.62
Norwood,	5,219.25	5,083.68
Quincy,	23,261.09	22,656.90
Randolph,	2,351.88	2,290.79
Sharon,	1,965.27	1,914.23
Stoughton,	3,415.06	3,326.56
Walpole,	3,000.67	2,981.17
Wellesley,	10,728.45	10,449.79
Westwood,	2,029.71	1,976.99
Weymouth,	7,216.74	7,029.29
Wrentham,	1,739.75	1,694.56
	$231,000.00	$225,000.00

Assessors at Work.

The Assessors began their yearly round May 1st. This year they have commenced their labors in Ward Two, the Quincy Point ward.

Principal Assessor Johnson says there is only one new law in relation to assessing this year. That is the law passed this year which requires them to make their return of corporation tax to the State on July 1, instead of August 1, as in former years. The papers have already been sent to the corporations and he anticipates no delay in getting these returns.

The assistant assessors also started out bright and early Tuesday morning. They will collect the number of polls, houses, horses, cows, etc.

There is some change in the list of assistant assessors this year made necessary by the fact that some of those of last year now hold positions under the city government

The list of assistant assessors as announced by Mayor Thompson, April 16 are: Ward One, George K. Moorehead; Ward Two, Joseph A. Delory; Ward Three, William Pratt; Ward Four, Robert J. Hayes; Ward Five, Charles R. Sherman; and Ward Six, Lyndon D. Gurney.

New Herald Building.

The Boston Herald was issued Monday from its new buildings on Tremont, Mason and Avery streets, and has a plant which is equal to any in the world. For years this enterprising daily has been seriously handicapped by an inconvenient building, but now it will be able to spurt ahead of its contemporaries.

The Patriot knows from experience that it is a good investment to have a building adapted to its needs, where there is a chance to grow. May the growth of the Herald be as rapid in the next five years as in the last ten years. The new location is an ideal one in the heart of the retail trade.



Front of the New Administration Building of the BOSTON HERALD, Corner Tremont and Mason Sts.

In building its new plant, The Herald has had to consider only its own needs. It did not concern itself with plans for an office building, the main consideration regarding which would be the revenue derived from rentals from various professional tenants having no alliance or connection with the newspaper. Every issue of construction was decided upon the consideration of its value in centralizing and co-ordinating a business where expedition is of the greatest importance. Newspaper experts say it admirably fills the bill.

Congratulations to the Herald.

Concert and Ball.

The fourth annual concert and ball of the local union of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees was held April 27th at Music hall.

The hall never looked more attractive than on this occasion. The front of the platform was one great mass of beautiful potted plants and ferns while around the sides were festooned streamers of green. In the centre of the stage was a large floral piece representing a street car. Add to this numerous large National flags and Japanese lanterns and some idea of the pretty effect may be obtained.

Brigham's singing orchestra was the music and it was very fine and added greatly to the pleasure of the evening.

The attendance at the ball was even larger than a year ago, seventy-five couples participating in the grand march.

The gowns of the ladies were very pretty, all being of light colored material, forming a pleasing contrast to the conventional evening black worn by the gentlemen.

The committee in charge of the affair was an efficient one and nothing that would add in any way to the pleasure of the guests was forgotten.

From 8 to 9 o'clock there was a concert with a pleasing program.

The special invited guests present included D. J. Anderson, private secretary to President P. F. Sullivan; Henry E. Reynolds, assistant general manager; John T. Conway, assistant general superintendent of the Old Colony system; Thomas Gammon, superintendent of the Quincy Division; Thomas Donahue, foreman of the East Weymouth terminal; John Nanan, foreman of the Braintree terminal; Thomas Fitzgerald, chief of police Weymouth; W. J. Fitzgerald of Troy, N. Y., and Daniel Fitzgerald of Detroit, Mich., national organizers; and Alley Irwin, financial secretary of the Cracker Union, Boston.

The grand march came a little after 9 o'clock and was a pleasing feature. It was led by President William J. Walsh and Mrs. Walsh, assistant floor directors John B. McCormick and Miss Mary McCormick and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson.

At midnight a banquet was served by Seiler of Boston. The floor was in charge of President William J. Walsh, with George F. Slavin as floor director, J. B. McCormick and H. G. Johnson assistants, and a large corps of aids.

George Irwin was chairman of the reception committee and with his assistants saw to it that everything possible for the comfort of the party was done.

John C. Faircloth was chairman, Arthur L. Blanchard, secretary, and Frank W. Sampson treasurer of the committee of arrangments.

A Fine Concert.

It was something more than an ordinary concert which was given by the pupils of the Quincy High school April 27. It was a grand concert, and a very successful one from every point of view. There was a large and appreciative audience.

The school was assisted by Mr. Willard Flint, baritone, and Mrs. Jeanie Crocker Follett, soprano, who became very popular with the audience.

The High school chorus made an excellent appearance under the direction of Mr. E. Landis Snyder. They responded quickly to his leadership and sang with spirit, all parts being well taken.

The school orchestra shows great efficiency, and one find it difficult to convince himself that it is not an orchestra of professional musicians. The "Elves at play," with flute solo by Osborne P. Stearns, was particularly good, and the audience desired an encore.

Mrs. Follett's group of three songs so captivated the audience, that they insisted on an encore. She is a great favorite with Quincy people.

Mr. Flint's work was all that was claimed for it. He has a sonorous voice of much power of pleasing and dramatic quality. There were five songs in his group, but the audience insisted on the repetition of one, and desired more.

The ballad of "Fair Ellen," was the climax of the program, the soloists, chorus and orchestra doing grand work. The number required nearly twenty minutes, but there was variety and interest. The closing number "The Gallia" in which the school was assisted by Mrs. Follett was also beautifully rendered.

Mrs. Chandler W. Smith and Mr. Ernest L. Mehaffey were the accompanists.

The young ladies of the school were in white gowns, and it was a pretty and inspiring scene.

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Household Receipts.

Cream Muffins. To make one dozen muffins beat one egg very light; mix it with four tablespoonfuls of rich sweet cream, a little salt, and a scant half a cup of milk. Sift in slowly one cup and a fourth of whole-meal flour, and two teaspoonfuls (rounded) of a well-selected baking-powder. Bake in a very quick oven (about fifteen minutes should suffice,) putting very little batter into each muffin-pan.

Escalloped Potatoes. Boil and mash the potatoes with a little salt, butter and milk. Melt two tablespoons butter and beat it in till light. Bake in pattypans in a quick oven until brown. While hot, paint with butter and add a thick grating of cheese. The cheese may be omitted if preferred.

Soft Gingerbread, One cup of molasses, three tablespoonfuls of shortening, one teaspoonfull of soda dissolved in one-half cup of boiling water, and salt. Stir a little thicker than for pancake batter.

Pick-Me-Ups. One cup of sugar, one egg, one tablespoonful of melted butter, one pint of sweet milk, three cups of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt. Simple, but very good.

Rhubarb Jam. Allow for each pound of cut rhubarb one pound of sugar and one lemon. Peel the lemon as thin as possible, taking care not to get any of the bitter portion, and put into a large bowl together with the lemon pulp, eschewing the seeds. Cut the rhubard into half inch pieces and put into the bowl on top of the lemon. Cover and stand away in a cool place over night. The next day empty into a preserving kettle, cook slowly with frequent stirring for three-quarters of an hour, take from the stove, cool a little and pack in glasses or cheese jars. Cover with brandied paper, then seal.

Anecdotes.

The Doctor—Mrs. Brown has sent for me to go and see her boy, and I must go at once.

His wife—What is the matter with the boy?

The Doctor—I don't know, but Mrs. Brown has a book on "What to Do Before the Doctor Comes," and I must hurry up before she does it.

Alice, although I never conversed with that young man whom you are entertaining nightly in the parlor, I imagine nevertheless that he must be exceptionally bright.

Oh yes, pa, he is; he is very bright indeed.

I thought so; I notice that during his visits you never have to have a light.

"When you stepped on that gentleman's foot, Tommie, I hope you apologized?"

"Oh, yes, indeed I did," said Tommie, "and he gave me ten cents for being such a good boy."

"Did he? And what did you do then?"

"Stepped on the other and apologized again, but it didn't work."—Harper's Round Table.

"You seem sad, my red skinned brother," said the missionary.

"Red skinned brother's heart heap sad," said the noble son of the prairie. "White man shoot better, fight better, and now Injun hear college yell, he knows Injun can't warwhoop for sour apples. Waugh!"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Brobson—Uncle Stayles is a man from whom I have expectations, you know; but I see I am alienating him by not laughing at the right place in his stories. How am I to manage?

Crair—Why, it's dead easy; get close enough to him so he can nudge you.—Puck.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

Henry W. Savage will produce in the Tremont Theatre next Monday, May 7th, a new American play by Jesse Lynch Williams entitled "The Stolen Story." Playgoers generally will remember the many paragraphs that have been written in anticipation of the production of this work, and its coming to Boston at this time is exceptionally apropos. The author long since established himself as a schooled writer of the short story and "The Stolen Story," taken as it is from his own observation as a journalist, promises to afford a clever and absolutely novel point of view of certain phases of the American life drama. It may not be amiss to add at this time that Mr. Williams has novelized his play under the name of "The Day Dreamer," and the book is now on the stalls. "The Stolen Story" is a graphic and intense narrative which concerns the theft of a legislative bill, the loss of which involves the integrity and honor of a statesman of reputation. The excitement and interest attending the solution of this mystery has aroused the attention of the metropolitan journals and their best reporters have been put on the case.

Boston Theatre.

"A Yankee Circus on Mars" from Thompson & Dundy's New York Hippodrone has taken all Boston by storm. The show which made the largest playhouse in the world instantly famous opened on Monday night at the Boston Theatre. The performance is the most elaborate and pretentious upon which a Boston curtain has ever risen. It is a combination of musical extravaganza, spectacle, comedy, circus, ballet and specialty. Five hundred persons are on and off the stage during its progress, and its character is entirely different and distinct from the ordinary theatrical routine. Thompson and Dundy declare that they have provided for Boston a show thoroughly surpassing the original production. Several improvements have been made in principals; ballet and chorus have been selected and trained with greater care and more leisure; and opportunity was had to provide a more renowned host of foreigners for the circus exhibition which is importantly incidental to the stage show proper. More than an hour of the production is devoted to arenic acts, and no such an array of world famous artists ever was printed before on one program.

Castle Square Theatre.

Much curiosity has been aroused by the announcement that the Boston Stage Society is to present a dramatization of "The Light that Failed" at the Castle Square Theatre next week. This play, a version of Rudyard Kipling's famous romance of the same name, has been given here only once before, and that by Forbes Robertson, the distinguished actor, for only a few performances. It will therefore be given at the Castle Square for the first time by a stock company and

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Cash Assets,	68,915.53
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	188,78 01
Amount of Cash Surplus.	$480,329.42
Contingent Assets,	356,144.37
Total Available Assets,	1,024,059.80
Gain in Surplus,	4,78 .27

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Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	61,242 47
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$109,869.73
Contingent Assets,	114,017.7
Total Available Assets,	283,629.77
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LOSSES paid the past year, **$42,201.94**

DIVIDENDS PAID the past year **$66,032.42**

GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year, **$12,983.04**

GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year, **20,297.34**

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FIFTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT
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Amount at Risk - - - -	$37,869,990.00
Cash Assets - - - -	507,409 00
Deposit Notes - - - -	627,981.17
Available Assets - - -	1,134,990.24
Total Liabilities - - -	338,548.29
Cash Surplus - - - -	168,86 .58
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - -	1,468.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	103,055.43
Dividends paid in 1904 - -	95,284.25
Receipts in 1904 - - - -	244,439.85
Disbursements in 1904 - -	228,976.58

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Reserve for Unpaid Losses (Fire)	264,542 63
Reserve for Other Claims,	295,725.22
Net Surplus, -	6,446,851.09
Total Assets,	15,514,054.98

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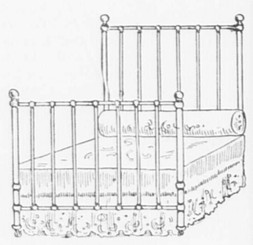
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Though storms may come to gloom the sky,
And still the song bird's happy lay,
And rudely bow the lovely flowers
That were erstwhile so fair and gay,
Be of good cheer,
The sun is near,
And soon shall shine again, my dear.

Then shall the sky once more be blue,
The birds shall sweetly sing once more,
And gemmed with sparkling drops of rain,
The flowers look lovelier than before.
Be of good cheer,
The sun is near.
E'en in the darkest hours, my dear.

Though many sorrows crowd your path,
As through this changeful world you go,
Though hope seems dead within your breast
And love and friendship careless grow,
Be of good cheer,
The sun is near,
Hid just behind the clouds, my dear.

And sometime, when your eyes are full
Of tears, behold! a rainbow bright,
In all the rarest hues e'er worn
By gem or flower, shall meet your sight,
Be of good cheer,
The sun is near,
Rich in the gold of heaven, my dear.

Miscellany.

Silas Mason's Subscription.

"You are to go down the gravel road to the river to-morrow, James. The News hasn't as many subscribers in that section as we want. I am particularly anxious to get Silas Mason on the list again. I am told that he discontinued the paper about a year ago because of some fancied grievance, and has been talking against us all over the county ever since. We can't afford that. Get a good horse at the livery-stable, and have the expense charged to us. Do you understand?" And Editor Nesbit of The Whittier News looked sharply at his new subscription-solicitor.

"Yes, sir!" was the answer. "But you needn't expect me back for two or three days. I think I'll put up with some of the farmers over night, and so save the long trip back to town."

"Very well," the editor responded. "I don't care — if only you bring me a dollar from Silas Mason for a year's subscription. Do that, and you are solid with The News for years to come."

The young solicitor's eyes flashed. To be "solid" with The News was precisely what he desired. It was not easy for the young men of Whittier to secure employment. So he had thought himself fortunate when his application for work had been favorably received by Mr. Nesbit. He was to spend a trial month on the road, and was to become a regular employe if his success should be such as to justify his appointment.

Early next morning he left town. The way had been made familiar by many hunting and fishing excursions to the lakes, as the shallow running swamps of the bottom lands were called in the neighborhood. But he had never traveled the road on business before. He squared his shoulders and sat erect as he realized the importance of the trip to him. "I must bag Farmer Mason," he thought. "Too much depends on my success with him for me to permit his dollar to escape me."

For a mile or two he allowed himself to dream of what success would mean. A year's work, a few hundred dollars saved, and a year at the medical college. An eccentric uncle had promised him that, if he had the ambition and energy to push through the first year of his medical course without assistance, he would see him the rest of the way to his degree.

He thought of the bright future before him. He saw himself riding the country roads and entering the homes of Whittier, a welcome visitor. He pictured the children who, with awed faces, would speak to him from the roadside, and the parents who would wait for his opinions with bated breath. He would be a second Dr. Murray, who always regarded the poor and thought nothing of himself.

As he rode, the saddle-bags in which he carried his stock of sample copies flapped up and down. He glanced over his shoulder and smiled. "I look for all the world like a doctor now," he thought. "For all others know, these bags are filled with quinine and similar nauseous doses."

But he soon realized that, while he was dreaming, he was allowing opportunities to escape him. "I have passed three farmers already, and I know that last one isn't on The News list," he mused. "Now to business, if I intend to show Mr. Nesbit and Uncle Robert what is in me."

Soon he reached a sawmill. The day's work was already well begun. There were a hundred men employed there. What a chance—if only he could canvass them! He was about to pass on, when he determined to make an effort to see the men. He introduced himself at the office, and asked leave to go into the mill in the interest of The News. The manager was about to refuse, when the solicitor said: "I'll promise to pass through in fifteen minutes, asking men to put down their names. I agree not to argue with them. Will that do?"

The permission sought was smilingly granted, and in fifteen minutes James was on his horse once more. A few of the men had answered him surlily; several had not even noticed him; and two or three had told him they couldn't read. But the net result of the attempt was seven subscribers, five of whom had paid cash in advance. "This begins to look as if that medical college was within my reach," was the canvasser's satisfied comment.

Hours passed before he secured another subscriber. He stopped farmers on the road. He walked across the fields, and talked to the men at the plough. He entered several homes, and spent valuable time trying to convince frugal housewives that they could not be happy without The News. But when evening came, he had succeeded in adding to his list only one name, that of the farmer who had rather reluctantly furnished dinner to horse and rider in exchange for a six months' subscription.

The night was spent in a loft above the stable where his horse was put up. A year's subscription paid the bill, and another name was placed on the list.

"Now for Silas Mason!" he thought. "I intend to get him, if it takes all day."

A half-hour's ride brought him to the two-hundred-acre corn-field which was the pride of Farmer Mason's heart. James had heard how this field had escaped overflow during the spring rise of the Mississippi. The high embankment of the Dalton and Whittier railroad bordered it on the north, and had held back the waters, which, after breaking through the county levee, had covered thousands of acres to a depth of three or four feet. The corn, which was then well started, had all been destroyed. Thus Silas Mason's acres of waving grain presented quite a contrast to the watery waste beyond the embankment.

James paused to admire the luxuriant growth. As he looked, he saw Silas Mason walking between rows which reached his waist.

"Here's my chance!" he assured himself. "I'll catch him while he's feeling good over the crop prospect."

Leaving his horse, he walked up to the farmer. "Good morning, Mr. Mason!" was his greeting. "I couldn't resist stopping to admire your fine stand of corn. I don't wonder it is the talk of the county."

"It is fair, isn't it?" was the gratified answer. "Sorry the fellows to the north lost theirs in the flood. That embankment did me a good turo. The railroad gave me a clean two thousand dollars for the right of way along my land. And it has doubled the value of my place. There's still three feet of water on the farms to the north. All that keeps it from my fields is that dirt bank there. I was afraid, a while back, that somebody might cut it and let the water through to my ground. That would have meant good-by to my corn."

"But what would have been their object in cutting the bank, Mr. Mason?" the visitor asked. "Surely, no one would think of such a thing."

"I'm not so sure of that, young man. I know some of the farmers up there did think of it. The water on their land goes off very slowly, and until it is all drained away they can make no use of their farms. A cut in the bank would have let the flood off, and they could have put in late corn."

"Well, I am rejoiced to see everything looking so promising on your place, though I am sorry for the misfortunes of the other men," James commented. Then he continued: "It pleases me to find you out here, Mr. Mason. I am on a trip for The Whittier News. I notice your name is not on the subscription list. Suppose you give me leave to put it there. You know you can't keep in touch with the city markets in any better way than by having your county paper."

"Stop right there, young man!" Silas Mason shouted. "Keep in touch with the markets, indeed! That's just the trouble. I did take The News until a year ago. I used to depend on their market reports; but I depended once too often. They printed a report a week old, last May. I took the bait, and shipped a car-load of cattle to the city when, if you had printed the correct figures, I'd not have sent a hoof. I lost four hundred dollars in the deal, and it was the fault of The News and its no-account editor. I stopped the paper, and it is not coming into my house again. No, nor will I let any News man on my place! If I had known you, I would not have talked to you a minute. Better go and get on your horse and put a mile between us pretty quick!"

"But, Mr. Mason," James began, "surely, you know the paper has changed hands, and—"

"Don't care if it has changed a dozen hands," was the emphatic interruption. "I'm done with The News, and I'm done with you, too. Get off my place, or I'll put you off!"

James saw it was of no use to parley. He started for the fence. While yet a rod or two from his horse, he stooped to fasten his shoe, and was rising to his feet when Silas Mason, with a curse, threw a clod at him, and at the same time shouting, "Get out of my cornfield, I tell you!"

The clod missed his arm, but struck the horse. The animal, startled, snapped the rein and was off before his rider could reach him. He soon lost sight of him, but found the saddle-bags, blanket, and saddle in the dusty road. Carrying these, he pushed on for half a mile.

At length he realized that his horse must have returned to town. He was very angry. Not only had he failed to win Silas Mason as a subscriber, but he had been roughly treated, and he was dismounted, with a heavy load, ten miles from town.

"Pretty shabby treatment!" was his mental comment. "I'd like nothing better than a chance to get even with him."

Exhausted by his run, he threw himself down in the shade of a tree under the railway embankment. After a few minutes' rest he was on the point of leaving, when the sound of voices attracted his notice. He could see no one, but soon discovered that the speakers were on the north side of the embankment. He caught a few words which aroused his curiosity.

"Here is the place!" some one was saying. "Cut it here, and the water will enlarge the gap and get through in no time. When the road gang comes, they will not be able to do anything. Then our land will be clear. And the way the sun is shining it will be ready for ploughing in a week."

"But what of the danger?" a cautious voice asked. "Isn't Silas Mason on the watch? He knows that a cut in the bank will ruin his crop, and he'll not let it happen if he can help it."

"That's all right," the answer was heard. "He's off his guard now. Tonight at ten o'clock we'll all be here, twelve of us. The work will be done by midnight."

The listener did not grasp the situation at first. Then it dawned on him that there was a plot to inundate Mason's corn-field.

"Good for him," he thought. "I'm glad if those poor farmers north of the bank can get rid of the water so easily. I don't intend to lift a finger to prevent them."

He was cautiously stealing away along the embankment when he heard a shout. One of the conspirators, climbing to the railroad track, had discovered him.

"Here's one of Mason's men, I'll be bound!" was the cry.

"Stop him!" "Don't let him get away!" "He'll tell Mason, and the game will be up!" came the answering voices from beyond.

But James had taken warning, and was off down the road. The man on the bank gave chase. He had a hard task before him, for the younger man was a practised runner. After a half mile, in which he lost much ground, the pursuer sent a shot after his quarry. James felt a sharp pain in his ankle. He was not disabled, however. But, fearing further injury, he left the road and plunged into a clump of willows which separated the road from the waters of Running Lake. Then he knew nothing more.

The sun was setting when next he looked about him. Evidently he had fainted with the pain in his ankle, which was now quite stiff. His pursuer must have turned back after firing one shot, and so he had been left unmolested.

His first thought was of the embankment. In a few hours it would be cut, and Farmer Mason's fields would be flooded. What could he do to prevent this? He had forgotten his anger of a few hours before, and gave himself to the solution of the problem how to help the man who had treated him so shabbily.

"I cannot walk more than a few steps," he considered. "My ankle is too stiff. It will not do to wait for some one to come along the road. Often hours pass without a single traveler." He was lost in thought for a few moment.

"I have it!" he cried at last. "This is the very clump where a boat is kept hidden by the farmers of the neighborhood. Of course it may be over at Lake Station, but I hope not. If I can row over there, I can tell the section men, and they'll be on hand to stop the little game of our friends, the dike-cutters."

He found the boat, and with some difficulty pushed it into the water. "I guess I can row across the lake," he thought. "I don't row with my ankle, but it will pain me a good deal just the same."

It was a trying trip, but the two miles were at length covered. It was nine o'clock when the lights of Lake Station appeared. The rower shouted, and the agent responded.

"Rout out the section men!" was the startling greeting he received. "Send them in force three miles west. A dozen men are going to cut the embankment at ten o'clock."

The agent hastened away. Within ten minutes two hand-cars carrying every available man in the little settlement were on the way to the scene of the proposed misdemeanor. Then James called for help for himself.

"Look at this ankle, please!" he asked. "One of the dike-cutters winged me."

The result of the examination was reassuring. It was only a flesh-wound. A cold bath, the application of liniment, a night's rest, and he would be all right again.

He was asleep when the section men returned from their trip. Next morning he learned that they had surprised the conspirators while at their work. When these saw that they were discovered, they fled precipitately.

The young solicitor took the morning train to Whittier. He went straight to the office of The News. Editor Nesbit rose as he entered the room.

"I'm afraid you'll think me a failure, Mr. Nesbit," he began. "I have a few names, but I failed to get Silas Mason. He warned me off the place. And I'll have to stay at home a day or two. My ankle is a little stiff from an accident."

The editor laughed. "Is that the way you tell about your work of last night?" he asked. "Why, every one is talking about your plucky trip to Lake Station. You've did a good stroke for The News. The people will not forget that it was one of our men who foiled the dike-cutters. And don't you worry about Silas Mason. He was in a while ago, asking for you. Before he went out he paid his subscription five years in advance. Will you consider a year's engagement with The News, Mr. Carson?"

And Mr. Carson thought he would.—John T. Faris.

—The making or remaking of a tariff act is a tremendous task. The Dingley act contains 15 general schedules arranged in 705 paragraphs, each covering from 1 to 30 or 40 items, or thousands of items in all. The dutiable list covers 463 paragraphs and the free list 242 paragraphs. Persons unfamiliar with the making of such laws cannot understand the difficulties and dangers that have to be overcome in formulating such legislation.—Milford Journal.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of The Kind You Have Always Bought

Chas. H. Fletcher

For the Patriot.

New York Fashions.

Automobiling is responsible for many sensible modes and a few pretty ones. In the beginning it seemed as if everyone were trying to see how hideous they could make themselves when indulging in this sport, but gradually better looking styles have prevailed. As a rule the materials chosen for three-quarter or full length coats are of the rain-proof sort but this now embraces almost any substantial weave of silk or woolen. It is curious to note how the demand for waterproof materials, have been met on all sides. The latest fabric to take its place in this class is a waterproof maline known as

MALINETTE.

"Malinette" has come just in the nick of time too, for never was there a season when maline was so much in demand. Almost every hat has more or less of it, and nearly every modish woman one meets is wearing a full wide ruff of Malinette—if she is fortunate—but of maline of some sort anyway. These ruffs are so pretty and becoming that they are irresistible to the woman who has a generous dress allowance. The woman with less, hesitates, for she knows how perishable ordinary maline is, and that a ruff once flattened and made limp with dampness loses its attraction altogether. It is here that the new waterproof "Malinette" gets its innings, for dampness does not affect it at all, and even the economically inclined can indulge and be happy in the assurance that their newly purchased "fluff" will last a reasonable time.

ILLUSTRATION.

Thanks are due the McCall Co., makers and designers of Fashion for handsome illustration accompanying this article.

DAINTY GOWNS AND SILK COATS.

To accompany the dainty gowns that are the ruling style whether materials be silk, wool, cotton or linen, nothing seems so exactly right as the little silk coats that are being extensively worn. It is a pretty notion, much indulged, to have these little confections accord with the hat and parasol, and to choose them of a color that will go well with one's various toilets. Black is a good if rather sombre choice, and lingerie trimmings and touches of color can be employed to make it as youthful and cheerful as is desirable.

NEW COLLAR STIFFENERS.

There are bran new collar stiffeners to be had this season that are more satisfactory than anything heretofore made. These come in dainty silk covered loops, elongated, round at either end, and giving a double support wherever they are attached. These are known as "Tryune" collar stiffeners and are being used by the highest class dressmakers here and in Paris. The material is a secret but is guaranteed, not to rust like steel, curl like celluloid, or stick into your neck as the featherbone supporters are apt to do. In another form, a trifle thicker and heavier this same stuff is made up and called "Lastikon." In either style one can get the usual sizes and a white or black silk finish.

WASH GOWNS.

Wash gowns so called for many of them never come to the laundress for rejuvenation—are to be popular in the warm days of 1906 as they were in 1905. What more can one say? Materials are more enticing than ever and given a good pattern and a certain amount of "gumption" and skill with the needle, the prettiest sort of toilets are within reach of almost any woman. The silk and cotton fabrics are of many weaves and make fascinating dresses, at very low cost. Self trimmings are fashionable and a little smocking or tucking or frilling put on in braided patterns create effects both modish and inexpensive.

Lucy Carter.



For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, May 5, 1906.

Expectation in Washington has been on tip toe for several days, awaiting a message from the President relating to the Garfield Standard Oil Investigation. The message was expected to strengthen very considerably the contention for a new and drastic railroad rate measure. The message has been received and while it is of course in favor of Railroad Rate reform, it is also a strong argument for placing denatured alcohol on the free list as a check upon the arrogant oil monopoly.

There are many cut-throat things that we do in this country that no other civilized nation does. They have been enumerated and iterated again and again in these letters. The thing that we are likely to do now is to defeat the alcohol bill which passed the House of Representatives with but seven diverse votes. The defeat if it is accomplished, will be through the treason of Senators representing directly or indirectly the interests of Standard oil and wood alcohol. Ours is the only civilized country in the world which taxes alcohol used in the arts. The whole country composed of producers and consumers demands the enactment of this bill. It will greatly increase the demand for farm products, and cheapen hundreds of things in the homes both of the urban and of the rural citizen. Discount 9-10 that is said in favor of the bill and give us 1-10 and it will turn out to be the most beneficent legislation Congress has enacted in twenty years. Let it be said that "denatured" alcohol will put the wood alcohol trust out of business. Who cares? Its product is poison and much inferior to the "denatured" alcohol that will take its place, while the wood alcohol costs three time as much. It is claimed that the standard oil will take the living out of the "denatured" alcohol enterprises, but why not give the farmers with the new product a chance? From present indications the standard oil is likely to be on the defensive, and will need all its energy to keep the strong hand of the law from its own throat. Every man and woman in the country smarting under the increased cost of living should fix his or her attention on the committee on finance in the Senate which is holding back this bill. The Senate proper is ready to pass the bill by a good majority.

Diplomatic and administrative circles are much interested in the war cloud in northern South America. It is thought that military operations between Colombia and Venezuela may be expected at an early day. Venezuela, it appears, has refused to receive Dr. Herrera, the plenipotentiary from Colombia, and this is considered an indirect affront to the United States. Dr. Herrera went to Venezuela some weeks ago to arrange a treaty to settle disputes between these two countries concerning the navigation of certain rivers. The treaty was the work of the American minister, Mr. Russell. South American diplomats of whom there are quite a number in Washington, hold that Colombia will be compelled to take notice of this offence of the Castro Government. It is still called the Castro Government, although it is understood that he has sent in a resignation with a string to it and left the Capital. It has been widely heralded that it is part of Secretary Root's mission to South America (he is expected to sail for that country in a few weeks) to endeavor to form a coalition of South American States or republics somewhat similar to the union of states which exists in this country. It is doubtful, however, if he has any such intention, and it is extremely doubtful that with the heterogeneous character of South American sovereignties and their conflicting interests such a coalition could be formed. There is always a possibility of war internal and external among our Latin sisters south of the Isthmus, but they appear to thrive on war; and there has been great progress in material growth and improvements, and this progress will be greatly accelerated after the completion of the Panama Canal.

It is reported that Senator Clark from Montana will not be a candidate for re-election, but will voluntarily retire from politics at the end of his present term. Senator Clark is reputed to be the richest Senator in the United States. He is a feeble man in many ways, and is no longer young. His retirement will be no serious loss to the legislative strength of the country. Senators Platt and Depew of New York may live after their present terms, but as political factors beyond the strength of their individual votes, they need not be counted. The present session has witnessed the decadence of a number of Senators whose potency has long been paramount, among them Dryden, Keen, Gorman, Platt, Depew, Elkins and Aldrich. There are signs that we are entering a new and better political era and that the millionaire Senators or the Senators representing multi-millionaire interests will be compelled to take a back seat or step circumspectly in the march led by intellectual and incorruptible men.

Adams.

Discouraging a Boy.

A boy 8 or 9 years old stood at the corner of Bush and Elizabeth streets the other day with head up and arms folded. He had three hen's feathers stuck in his cap. He had a bow slung to his back, and in a quiver made of buffalo hide he had three or four arrows. In his belt was the family bread knife, and in his right hand was a warclub. As he thus stood, casting his eagle eye about him, a telegraph boy came along and stopped and looked him over. The inspection lasted a full minute, and then he asked:

"Playing Injun?"

"Yes."

"Got a name?"

"Red Cloud."

"Hump! No go."

"What's the matter?"

"You have been eating bread and butter with sugar on it and forgot to wipe your mouth! Better stay in the back yard and scare the baby! Your no big Injin!"—Detroit Free Press.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1906.

Coal Strike Ended.

It is pleasing no doubt to our readers to know that the coal strike is ended. After carrying on negotiations for nearly three months, the subcommittees repreesenting the anthracite mine workers and operators of eastern Pennsylvania have agreed to continue the award of the strike commission for another three years, dating from April 1, and the men will return to work as soon as practicable, probably on Monday.

All miners who have not committed violence against persons or property will be reemployed.

The agreement entered into is on the basis of the operators' first proposition, made early in March in reply to the mine workers original demands. The miners had little to say regarding the agreement, except that it was the best they could get.

We do not see but the poor miners have been the principal sufferers by this strike. To the mine owners or operators it has been a blessing. They had accumulated during the past year an immense quantity of coal—many million tons, which they had but little call for. This strike has given them a chance to reduce their surplus and at high rates. If there had not been a strike they would have been obliged to lower their prices from fifty cents to one dollar a ton. But the strike gave them a chance to hold up their prices, still at the same time reduce their supply.

We hope now there will be peace and quiet for three years to come.

National Editorial Convention.

Newspaper publishers from every section of the United States are preparing to attend the twenty-first convention of the National Editorial Association, which opens at Indianapolis the twelfth of June. The convention includes a three days' session at Indiana's capital, to be followed by an extensive trip including a tour of the points of interest in the Hoosier state.

The people of Indianapolis, accustomed to accommodating many large gatherings, will give the editors an especially warm welcome, for the hospitality of the Hoosier metropolis is one of her leading characteristics. The city is noteworthy for its standard of population.

Indianapolis is the fifth largest publishing city in the United States and is making as rapid strides in this line as in any other. This fact should lend an added interest in the National Editorial Convention to the hundreds of editors who will convene there June 12th, as well as interesting those who have not known of Indianapolis' commanding position in the publication world.

The editor of the Patriot, having been elected by the Mass. Press Association as a delegate, is looking forward with pleasure to this gathering in June, when some 500 or more editors will be present in the beautiful city of Indianapolis, which has a population of 225,000.

Mrs. Hinkley.

On the first day of May the relatives and friends of Mrs. Louisa B. Hinkley of Atlantic gathered at the Hinkley homestead to pay her their last tribute of respect and love. It was a bright, beautiful day. Just the one she would have chosen to be laid away to rest at Forest Hills mid the birds and the flowers.

Her pastor Rev. Dr. G. W. Cutter of the Neponset Unitarian church, conducted the services. He spoke most tenderly and deservedly of the life and character of the dear one whose life among us had just closed, and read Whittier's hymn beginning: "When on my day of life the night is falling."

And as we looked upon her for the last time we thought of the loneliness in our hearts and the loss to the community of her whose every day existence had seemed to shed a halo all about.

Though afflicted for years with a very trying cough that often taxed her strength to the utmost, her power of self-command and desire to make things cheery about her, gave no intimation of the physical suffering.

But her beautiful face carried always the lovely smile, and her grace of manner and interesting conversation dispelled from our minds for the time that she could be a sufferer.

With her beauty and her grace she combined qualities of mind and heart that endeared her to us all. Her natural good breeding, taste, and love of intellectual things were noticeable in her gentle graciousness, the daintiness of her apparel, the interest she took in the finest reading and in the important news of the daily paper.

Of a strong religious nature with a firm and loyal faith in the Unitarian belief, she had its broad outlook and welcomed the truth from whatever source, gladly contributing by her own personal efforts to the fairs and other functions of denominations not her own.

Confined to the house for so many years, though she was one scarcely thought of as an invalid, so many were her attractions and so little did she carry upon the exterior the disquietudes and sorrows which came to her in life, always attending to the proprieties even to the very hour of her spirit's flight.

Throughout these years of invalidism she has had the companionship of her devoted daughter to whose enlightened, unwearied and careful nursing is due, no doubt, her arrival to the advanced age of eighty years,—and the sincere devotion of her son who never in all these years has forgotten one day, when at home, both in the morning and at night to pay a visit of love to his beautiful mother.

She went to sleep with loving appreciation of their homage and of that of the many friends of all ages who have been themselves her admirers, and in the light of her life and character feel so truly the sentiment expressed by Whittier in the lines:

God calls our loved ones but we lose not wholly
What he hath given,
They live on earth in thought and deed as truly
As in his heaven.

Former pupils at Thayer Academy have received invitations to a meeting to be held at the Academy on Friday, June first. A reception will be held at six o'clock in the girls' gymnasium, with refreshments at half past six. After supper a plan of organization will be presented with remarks by the Trustees and others, and music by the graduates.

The Hospital Aid association is to meet with its president, Mrs. Joseph C. Morse, 215 Goffe street, next Wednesday for an all-day sewing bee.

James E. Walsh, an employe of the Fore River Shipbuilding company, was arrested Wednesday by Lieut. McKay, for the larceny of tools from the company.

CITY BRIEFS.

Frank A. Rollins circus is coming to this city June 2.

The battleship Rhode Island has arrived at Yorktown.

Miss Ethel V. Merritt of Elm place, is recovering from her recent illness.

H. P. Arnold of this city responded to a toast at the Phi Beta Kappa dinner in Boston on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jesse F. Curtis of Upland road, has been confined to her home the past ten days, quite ill.

Miss Eva Marden of Coddington street was the guest of friends at Norwood, over Sunday.

Miss Edith Cushing of Waverly and Miss Robertson of Boston were guests of friends in this city on Sunday.

Rev. A. A. Ellsworth preached on Sunday at the United Presbyterian church at Cambridge.

Charles W. Hall, of Hancock street, has been in New Hampshire the past week, having been called there on account of death of his aunt.

Mrs. Celia Baxter entertained the Brownie whist club at her home on Washington street on Thursday afternoon.

Representives Hultman and Sandberg were not among the members of the Legislature summoned before the Suffolk grand jury Thursday.

An illustrated baseball letter will appear in the Saturday eight page Daily Ledger, also a letter by Willie West on the Olympic games at Athens.

Albert R. Bruff has accepted a position with the National Biscuit Co. He is on the road introducing Nabisco wafers among the soda fountain trade.

Representative Hultman was one of the members of the House who changed his vote on the midnight liquor bill, voting "yes" on the new bill. Representative Sandberg stood fast in opposition.

There was a large attendance Monday morning at a sale by the Tax Collector of estates for taxes. The sale was held in the Council chamber and 25 parcels were sold.

Charles E. Dornan was one of the interested spectators on Wednesday evening at the performance of the Fays at the Globe theatre and it is said he got some new points.

Peter J. Cahill and William T. Shea are the delegates from Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, to the State convention which opens in Worcester, on Tuesday.

Arthur D. Dean will be the State superintendent of Y. M. C. A. evening schools next season, and will carry the work into every city and town where there is a Y. M. C. A.

The Citizens' Gas Light Co. is all ready to begin work laying gas mains. Manager Nichols says in order to complete the work laid out for this year it will be necessary to lay about 800 feet a day from now until cold weather.

The first thunder and lightning of the year of 1906 came on Saturday, and there was a good smart shower with wind, lightning and distant thunder. There was also a little thunder on Sunday.

By a vote of 15 to 9 the overseers of Harvard college will continue foot ball among the athletic sports. Charles Francis Adams voted with President Eliot against with his nephew Charles F. Adams, 2d, voting in favor.

Quincy was well represented Sunday evening at the patriotic service and post of sorrow of Reynolds post 58, G. A. R. at the First Baptist church, Weymouth. Besides representatives from posts of surrounding towns, Department Commander J. Payson Bradley and staff were also present.

Mr. Goodspeed purchased several rare books at the New York sale this week including A. L. S. of John Adams, two page, quarto, Quincy, Nov. 4, 1809, written soon after his retirement to private life to William Plumer, Governor of New Hampshire, $16.

The concert Sunday evening by the Virginia and Texas Jubilee singers did not attract a large audience, owing partly, no doubt, to the wet evening. The audience was largely composed of young men and boys who disturbed the singers and the audience by talking, whispering and clapping.

Mrs. Ellen Gregory of Hancock street, Quincy, has received a letter from her sisters of San Francisco, California, stating they are both safe. One sister, Mrs. Mary Powers, suffered no loss, but her sister Mrs. Ann King, lost her beautiful home and all its contents by fire. She is now living with Mrs. Powers.

A complimentary supper was given Tuesday evening by Corps 103 to Post 88, the Ladies Auxiliary and all who helped at the fair. It was well attended, 28 members of Post being present. The evening was spent in speech making, music and whist, and all had a good social time. Credit is due Miss M. L. Furnald and Mrs. Ella Hayden for tickets sold for the fair; Miss Furnald selling 110 and Mrs. Hayden 50. The fair was a great success.

The Y. M. C. A. circus is a thing of the past yet of interest to all is the success of the affair which netted the association $180. There were in all 75 members taking part. This with 15 outside ones made a total of 90 men and boys. Vast expenditures of treasure and energy were truly expended, which with the interest of all caused Dame Success to put her stamp of approval upon it.

The alterations to C. F. Carlson's store are now completed. His main salesroom has been considerably enlarged. Several handsome silent salesmen show cases have been put in, and a large and very handsome new soda fountain has been set up. The room formerly used by him as an office has been thrown into the main store and the office is now located in the rear. The improvement is very marked.

Few of the furniture stores of Boston, have as large a floor space as will be found in the Hancock building in this city occupied by W. G. Shaw. Every inch of several floors is utilized, too, and the news has gone many miles outside of Quincy that it is the place to purchase household goods which will please—prices low; quality high. Trade is not confined to Quincy, Braintree, Weymouth and Milton, but way down the South Shore to Plymouth, and even beyond the limits of Norfolk county to the west.

Once a week during the winter a Bible Study Club at the Y. M. C. A. has met for Bible study and supper. The largest attendance of the year, forty-two, met Wednesday evening, for the final meeting. After the supper, which was served by members of the Junior and Woman's Auxiliary, remarks were made by members of the various classes and their leaders. The club throughout the year has had a healthy growth, and has created much interest. It is hoped that in the fall classes may be resumed with increased numbers.

Mrs. Clara Woodbury of Beverly has been the guest of Mrs. E. C. Butler this week.

Mrs. A. A. Ellsworth is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Blau, at Princeton, N. J., for a few weeks.

Hancock street on the west side, between Saville and Dimmock streets, is being resurfaced.

Patents were issued this week to Hiram W. Phillips, Lawrence Y. Spear and T. S. Bailey of this city.

Andrew Anderson and Otto Gelotte will attend the convention at Pittsfield of the Foresters of America as delegates from John Erickson court.

Marion, daughter of Charles and Anne White, is ill at the home of her grandfather T. Dexter Pierce of Wild place.

Fifteen-minutes time between Quincy and Neponset on the Hancock street line is promised to go into effect in a few days.

The Fragment society of First church made over $850 at the fair which they held on the afternoon and evening of April 25th.

The Assessors feel confident that the population of Quincy has increased nearly 1,000 since last May when the census was taken.

Among the appointments announced by Gov. Guild on Wednesday was that of Charles H. Porter as a member of the State Board of Health.

Mayor Thompson will probably not make his appointments to the reserve police force until after the new civil service list is out.

Mrs. Abbie Brackett Dickey, who has been quite ill at a Boston hospital for several weeks, has so far recovered as to return to her brother's home in Dorchester.

A Bridgewater normal school item says that Miss Florence Cummings, Miss Eva Case and Miss Mildred Hopler of the senior class have accepted positions as teachers in Quincy.

At Merrymount park on Wednesday, the Presidents Hill club defeated Adams Academy '09 by score of 14 to 1. Brooks and Johnson were the battery for the victors.

The hook and ladder truck of the Central station was called into service Thursday night to assist in placing new halliards on the flag pole at the Woodward Institute.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Doble on Presidents hill is in the hands of the painters. It is an attractive house and commands a wide view of the surrounding country.

The date of the dramatics to be given by the seniors of the High school has now been set for Saturday evening, May 19. Two plays will be presented, "Per Telephone" and "Tommy's Wife."

Col. Albert Keating of Washington street has received his appointment as aide de camp on the commander and chief staff of the G. A. R. and will attend the encampment and parade at Minneapolis in August.

Cards have been issued by Mrs. Elwin Sumter Bennett and Mrs. Amos Warren Stetson Anderson for an at home on Wednesday afternoon, May sixteenth from four to six, at the home of Mrs. Bennett, Granite street.

Mrs. Cady Loud, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, at the City Hospital three weeks ago, was removed to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Newcomb, Newcomb street, on Sunday. Although weak she is on the road to recovery.

One of the handsomest soda fountains in the city has been installed this week in the drug store of E. J. Murphy. It is a modern fountain in every way and adds greatly to the attractiveness of the store.

The Granite Cutters' Union throughout the United States will vote May 17 on the question of the location of the headquarters for the next five years. Quincy members of the union are anxious that it should remain in Quincy.

Sailing from Boston, Thursday, on the Arabic for Europe, were Mrs. Eben C. Stanwood and Misses Audrey and Faith Stanwood, of Boston, also Mr. and Mrs. Alden A. Thorndike and Misses Helen and Elizabeth Thorndike of Braintree.

The grounds on the west side of the tracks at the Quincy depot are being regraded, and poplars will be set out near the fence. The work is being done at the expense of the Quincy Women's club, and other improvements are contemplated.

Mrs. Horace M. Willard of the Quincy Mansion school was at home on Wednesday afternoon, from three to six. Her beautiful home was thronged with guests who enjoyed the delightful hospitality. Added pleasure was given by an entertainment by Clarence B. Mudge in Livermore hall from five to six.

The Thayer academy team were badly beaten May 4th by Quincy High school by a score of 15 to 0. Shay played a good game and Wren also caught his usual fine game for Thayer. Elcock played a great game and the pitching of Michael were the features for Quincy High.

After many postponements, Miss Edith Randall, who has recently returned from Lakewood, is to give her interesting talk on Jacobite Ballads, assisted by Mrs. J. D. Buckingham, soloist, on Friday evening, May 18th, in the parish house of Christ church under the auspices of St. Margarets Guild.

The petition for the new militia company will soon be sent to the City Council relative to an armory, which cities are required to provide. Quincy is said to be the only city in the State which has not had a company of Massachusetts Volunteers since the Civil war yet Quincy is the place "Where American Independence began," the birthplace of John Hancock and two Presidents of the United States.

The annual election of the Accident Association of the employees of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company took place Friday May 4th and the following officers were chosen:—President,—C. P. Gould; Vice President,—James Hollywood; Secretary and Treasurer,—J. A. Sedgwick. The board of directors is the same as for the past year with the exception that Mr. John F. Clinton, foreman of the electrical department, was elected to the vacant place on the board.

The sum of $150 was handed to Mrs. Addison, president of the Quincy Day Nursery, Saturday, as the result of the theatricals presented the 4th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus King on Adams street. The attendance was large and everybody was delighted with the entertainment, which included scenes from Dickens presented by the Friday club, for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery. It was capitally done by the club; the costuming, acting and facial expressions being perfect. The only regret was that there was not a raised platform so all could see. Miss Phoebe Bedlow sang beautifully, receiving hearty encores.

The Coddington school received a visit this week from Mrs. Bentley, the mother of the master.

The civil suit of Benedict Benson vs Frank E. Hall, both of Quincy, is on trial in the Norfolk Superior court.

The candidates for the Y. M. C. A. base ball team will meet at Merrymount park, lower field, at 10 A. M. today, for practice.

Alice Arnold, Rachel Hardwick, Daisy Brooks and Miriam Miller are to hold a sale for the benefit of the Floating Hospital on Saturday, May 19th, at the home of Mrs. Zenas Arnold, Coddington street.

The Adams academy was awarded the game of Thursday with Braintree High. The Academy boys were leading 9 to 3 in the third inning when a dispute arose, Braintree refusing to play on a fair ball decision of the umpire.

The concert by the Choral society of the Quincy Women's club is to be given next Friday evening at High School hall and will be for the benefit of Visiting Nursing in Quincy; a large charitable work inaugurated by the club.

A public school shorthand convention to which the public is invited will be held on Saturday, May 19, in Daniel J. Ford hall, Boston. Miss Katherine Holton of Quincy will give a blackboard exercise. There will be addresses and music.

William D. S. Havens, one of the oldest and best known citizens of Pawtucket, R. I., passed away May 4th. He is survived by his widow, who will be remembered by our older residents as Miss Mary R. Newcomb, who passed her girlhood in this city.

The Metropolitan Park police are provided with motor cycles equipped with speedometers with which to test the speed that automobiles are making. When an officer sees a machine he thinks is exceeding the limit he follows him on his motor cycle noting on his speedom eter the speed he is making.

The pupils of Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter are to give a piano recital at Steinert hall, Boston, on Monday afternoon at three o'clock, in which many Quincy people are interested. Miss Alice Eldridge is to assist. She has received many congratulations on her recent good luck in winning the scholarship contest and her prospect of going to Europe for continued study.

WEST QUINCY.

Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, the very successful pastor at Quincy Point, will exchange Sunday morning with the pastor of the M. E. church.

All the grocery stores at Brewers corner now close at 1 P. M. on Wednesdays.

Smith's block on Copeland street is being plumbed throughout and is being connected with the sewer.

John Erickson court of Foresters of America has donated $24.60 to the California relief fund through the order.

The Epworth league of the West Quincy Methodist church are to hold an entertainment and sale of ice cream next week.

Many friends of Miss Elizabeth T. McGowan, a professional nurse of West Quincy, assembled at her home on Crescent street Tuesday evening to wish her bon voyage previous to her sailing for Europe. Miss McGowan will travel with a patient several months.

The crack degree team of Div. 3 A. O. H. of Randolph will confer the four degrees on twenty-five candidates for Div. 22 A. O. H. of West Quincy at St. Mary's hall, this evening May 12 at 7.30 o'clock, after which a banquet will be tendered the degree team in Div. 22 hall.

An event of unusual interest to the young people of West Quincy is the Farmers' dance to be held at St. Mary's hall the latter part of the month under the auspices of the Copeland club.

The West Quincy depot is a busy place just at present. At any time of the day from one to six teams can be seen there unloading granite for shipment.

There is a good opportunity for some enterprising man to put up a business block on the vacant lot at the corner of Copeland and Cross streets.

At the M.E. parsonage, 12 Hall place, Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the presence of the immediate relatives Mr. W. Harry Trask and Miss Dora Irene Clarke were married by the Rev. A. B. Tyler. Added pleasure to the occasion came from the presence of the Epworth League which was holding a business meeting in the vestry; as both bride and groom are members, and Miss Clarke, one of the vice presidents. On invitation the business meeting took a recess in order to witness the ceremony, and express their congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Trask will be at home to their friends at No. 166 Willard street, after June 1.

The Epworth League of West Quincy are planning for one of their popular entertainments to be given in the vestry Wednesday evening, May 16.

On Wednesday the Epworth League of West Quincy had a largely attended and very interesting business meeting in the vestry. Music, readings and tableaux were enjoyed and light refreshments were served under the direction of the Literary and Social department.

Andrew Johnson, the quarryman, filed a petition in bankrupting on Thursday, placing assets at $3,240, and liabilities at $4,852.71.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Delegates from Quincy were present May 4th, at the annual convention of the New England ladies auxiliaries of Scottish clans at Fitchburg. Euphemia Boodie of Cambridge was elected grand president.

Mrs. L. N. Ross of 128 Liberty street left this week for a brief sojourn with her sister and family at Oldtown, Maine, and will be greatly missed by loving friends in this city, who will be glad to see her back again.

The South Quincy base ball team has organized for the season, and are out for the championship of the city, which they held in 1904 and lost in 1905. The infield is composed of the crack men that played such fine games with West Quincy when they were in championship form and is as follows: Birnie, Kiley, Spiller and Duffy, Forbes and Paterson will be the battery. The club is desirous of securing games with any semi-professional teams but would prefer to arrange a series of games with the Fore Rivers, Merrymounts and Copelands. The management would like to hear from the managers of the foregoing teams as soon as possible in order to fill out his schedule. Address John Collins, 68 Centre street, South Quincy.

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WOLLASTON.

The friends of Quincy Mansion School assembled in large numbers on Wednesday afternoon. After a two hours' reception in the mansion they listened to a delightful entertainment by Mr. Clarence B. Mudge. Many remained to take a six o'clock tea with the "girls" and Mr. Mudge gave a charming recital of experiences and stories for a half hour. Among the guests were many friends from New Bedford, Boston, the Newtons, Somerville, and Arlington. A large number of New England Women's club women were present. Among them were Mrs. Electa Walton, with her husband Mr. George Walton, and Mrs. Judge Sheldon, Miss Laughton of Howard Seminary, Miss Cram, Mr. and Mrs. Goodell of Wellesley College, Principal Bragdon of Lasell Seminary were among the 200 who came to bring greetings to the school.

H. Houghton Schumacher of Wollaston took part in the junior play at Boston University last week.

The monthly meeting of the Garrick Dramatic club was held with the President, E. P. Parker, Monday evening May 7th. Mr. O. P. Stearns and Miss Parker had charge of the evening's entertainment. Business was transacted and a new member welcomed into the club. A light collation was served at 10.30.

Rev. Edward A. Chase officiated on Saturday at funeral of Henry O. Gifford at Wollaston. Burial was at Mt. Wollaston.

The Citizens Gas Light Co. have established a subroffice at Wollaston, at the store of S. F. Copeland, where bills can be paid and orders left.

Rev. S. H. Davis, superintendant of the Massachusetts Anti-Saloon League, spoke in the interests of the No-License, in the Wollaston Congregational church on Sunday evening.

R. E. Sproule had the best score at the members handicap match vs. bogey at the Wollaston club links on Saturday, being two better than bogey while R. R. Freeman made it even. W. D. Roberts won the director's cup, and H. L. Doten won the tie match of April 28.

Two special electric cars, leaving Wollaston at quarter of six Saturday evening, carried a party of happy boys and girls, with their parents and friends to Whitney hall, Brookline. The occasion was the closing party of Miss Corlew's dancing class, an event always looked forward to with much anticipation by her pupils. About thirty couples enjoyed dancing from seven until nine, the order of dances including waltzes, two steps, galops, the lanciers, assembly gavotte, and two Germans, a favor and a flag figure. At nine o'clock a march was formed for the banquet hall where ices and cake were served by Caterer Hendrie. Miss Corlew was the recipient of a beautiful gift from the class. The matrons were Mrs. Albert Sayward, Mrs. Chas. Seavey and Mrs. Charles Adams.

T. W. Lovett and family have come to their Wollaston home for the summer.

The meeting of the Wollaston Y. P. R. U., which was to have been held last Sunday, will be held Sunday evening.

R. F. Weston of Wollaston led the Pierian Sodality orchestra of Harvard at their big spring concert, Wednesday evening.

The new board of trustees of the Wollaston Methodist church held their first meeting of the year Tuesday evening and organized with the following officers:—President, R. B. Smith; Secretary, F. A. Sutermeister; Treasurer, W. C. Sanders. The board for the ensuing year are R. B. Smith, W. C. Sanders, A. B. Cassidy, F. A. Sutermeister, S. N. Belcher, L. C. Merrill, J. A. Sedgwick and S. J. Higgins.

The Wollaston Golf club had a field of 66 players at their open tournament which began Wednesday. G. T. Crocker, Jr., and M. F. O'Connell of Alpine had the best scores, being a tie at 86. F. J. O. Alson and L. O. Crane of Wollaston were also among the first eight.

The best net score was made by R. A. Leeson of the Country club.

Louis Weston who has been spending a few days at his home on Newport avenue, has returned to Island Creek.

A fine salad supper was served in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry, Thursday evening. Mrs. Charles Hatch was chairman of the committee in charge. At eight o'clock a very humorous play, "The Veneered Savage" was presented under the direction of Mrs. Herbert Gurney. Those who took part were Mrs. Herbert Gurney, Misses Rena Grant, Bula Loud and Grace Bishop, and Messrs. Lawrence Loring and William Westen.

The monthly supper and social of the Wollaston Congregational church was held in the vestry Thursday evening. Supper was served at 6.30, after which a social hour was spent.

MILTON.

Milton academy was defeated at Southboro on Saturday by St. Marks by a score of 9 to 2.

Milton High won in the ninth innings on Tuesday from Milton Academy by the score of 3 to 2.

Milton Academy was defeated on Thursday by the Boston Stock Exchange team 8 to 2.

O. A. Andrews will complete his thirty-fifth year as Master of the Belcher school in June. The hundreds of graduates of that school do not intend that this very important event shall pass unoticed and they are arranging to give him a grand reception early in the coming month.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sheldon and Miss Alice Babcock have returned from an extended European trip.

Dr. P. K. Brown has gone to New York on a business trip.

The Babcock houses on Granite avenue are being painted and repaired.

Willard Hodges of the Hodges Drug Co. has a new touring car.

The annual rummage sale was held this week in the store at the corner of Adams street and Granite place.

The choirboys of the Mission of Our Saviour church held a turkey supper Tuesday evening, which was followed by a musical entertainment by Mr. Jackson of Milton.

Orrin Bates is making extensive repairs to his house on Adams street.

When Mr. H. E. Sheldon returned from Europe this week he brought a number of souvenirs. Among them was the hand of a mummy taken from the tombs of the Kings at Luxor in Egypt. The hand is supposed to be 3000 years old. It has been placed on exhibition at Hammers drug store and is attracting considerable attention.

The Loyal Ladies of Clan McGregor No. 1 held a concert and dance in Music hall May 4th in celebration of the fifteenth anniversary of that institution. The audience was not as large as might have been expected.

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QUINCY POINT.

Hugh Jones of Quincy Neck is among the shut-ins, having been in poor health for several weeks.

Preparations are being made at the Point church for a Sunday School and Parish picnic, which is to be held at Sailors' Snug harbor sometime in June.

The Quincy Point team was defeated by the Benedicts at East Somerville, Saturday afternoon by the close score of 11 to 9. On account of the bad condition of the field and the rain, the playing was not as snappy as it should have been. The game was stopped at the end of the second inning for one half hour on account of the rain.

The battleship New Jersey is expected to leave the Fore River today.

The alarm from Box 72 at 9.33 Monday night was a false alarm. The box was evidently pulled by some one who wanted to see the fire apparatus come out.

Mrs. Hendrie of Washington street, Quincy Point, is confined to her home by illness.

Lieut. F. B. Upham has been ordered by the Navy department from duty as inspector of ordnance at the works of the Fore River Ship Building Company to duty as ordnance officer of New Jersey, when commissioned and Lieut. E. R. Pollock, from Constellation, Newport, to duty as inspector of ordnance at the works of the Fore River Ship Building Company.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Davidson is seriously ill with spinal menengitis.

The painters are very busy at work on the battleship New Jersey.

The Fore River foot ball team will have as rivals today the Lynn team. The match will be played on the Ward two playground at 3.30.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Randall visited their son at Sutton this week.

T. B. Pollard is building an addition to his house, 41 Edison street.

Rev. T. H. Vincent and Rev. A. B. Tyler are to preach at the Point church on Sunday, in exchange with the pastor, Rev. A. R. Atwood.

The Navy department has ordered Ensign L. S. Cox, Jr., and Ensign M. S. Corning to the Constellation naval training school at Newport, R. I., and thence to the Battleship New Jersey when commissioned.

The Point church and society has appointed the following repair and improvement committee: Rev. A. R. Atwood, Deacon Charles Sherburne, Mr. Geo. A. Sidelinger (Treasurer) Mr. Lee, Mr. T. B. Pollard, Mr. H. D. Adams, Mr. Bonney (Auditor), Mrs. Mary Lincoln, Mrs. Roland Newcomb, Mrs. Webster Newcomb, Dr. Bushnell, Mr. E. R. Stone, Mr. Corprew (Secretary). To assist the repair and improvement committee a correspondence department was elected with the following members: Mrs. Barry, Mrs. A. A. Harlow, Mrs. Henry Sampson, Mrs. T. H. Newcomb, Mrs. T. B. Thomas, Mrs. Levy White, Mrs. Daniel Higgins, Mr. Charles Sherburne and Mr. Arthur Newcomb. The correspondence department are supplying a list of former residents of the Point and sending that list to the Secretary, Mr. James Corprew. The next meeting of the repair and improvement committee occurs on Tuesday evening, May 15, at 7.30 o'clock, at the home of Dr. Bushnell.

California Fund.

The Hebrews of Quincy, not to be outdone by others, have been moving toward the relief of the sufferers in San Francisco, and at a meeting held for that purpise the sum of $52.45 was contributed. The subscribers were as follows:

L. Grossman & Son	$5.00
J. Berman & Sons	3.00
M. Abrams	3.00
M. Zirebstein	3.00
Louis Berman	2.00
H. Berger	2.00
Louis Warshaw	2.00
H. Freedberg	1.00
M. Catler	1.00
Joseph Catler	1.00
W. Lubarsky	1.00
B. Mason	1.00
H. Litchman	2.00
B. Fritz & Son	2.00
Hyman Edebstein	1 00
Abraham Edebstein	1 00
Sam Silver	1 00
D. Silver	1 00
Joseph Silverman	1 00
Sam Castleman	1 00
Joseph Lewowitch	1 00
H. Globowsky	1 00
S. Goldstein	1 00
Sam Cohen	1 00
B. Clayman	1 00
Sam Catler	1 00
Ike Catler	1 00
D. Caufman	1 00
J. Swartz	1 00
M. Linsky	1 00
J. Sandboultz	1.00
N. Specter	1.00
C. Stone	1.00
B. Arnes	1.00
Other collections	3.45

The City Treasurer has also received these sums:

George M. Sheahan	$5.00
Thomas Campbell	1.00
J. P. M.	1.00
W. P. Swain	.50
William C. Edwards	.06
Marshall P. Wright	5.00
William T. Shea	5.00
Mrs. J. O. Doble	1.00
John F. Welch	3.00
Henry O. Gifford	5 00
Miss B. C. Magnason	1 00
Cash	2 00
Elizabeth B. Curtis	5 00
T. P. Waterhouse	5 00
Wollaston Methodist Church	6 00
Arthur Adams	25 00
A friend	10 00
J. E. Curtin	2 00
Cephas Drew	2 00
T. D. Borst	1 00
F. W. Swain	1 00
Harry Lark	1 00
J. F. Allen	1 00
George Van Iderstone	1 00
C. L. Lewis	50
Mrs. E. B. Jilbert	1 00
H. Camache	1 00
L. G. Murray	5 00
Mrs. J. R. Walters	Box of clothing

Wollaston Yacht Club.

The Wollaston Yacht club has arranged the following fixtures for the season of 1906:

May 26—Opening, race and dance.
May 30—Interclub, So. Boston.
June 5—Moonlight sail and dance.
" 9—1st club championship.
" 30—Interclub-Mosquito.
July 4—Power boat race and So. Boston open.
" 7—2d club championship.
" 14—Interclub-Columbia.
" 26—Interclub-Quincy.
" 28—Ladies day.
Aug. 3—Moonlight sail and dance.
" 11—Interclub-Wollaston.
" 25—3d club championship.
Sept. 1—club cruise.
" 3—club cruise.
" 8—Interclub-Squantum.

In addition to these club boats will follow the north and south shore circuits.

ATLANTIC.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kolseth of Walker street sailed Wednesday on the S. S. Arabic of the White Star Line for Liverpool, Eng. They will proceed from there to London and after a short stay there they will continue their journey to Norway, where they sojourn for a while and probably be present at the coronation of the king. Tuesday evening, many friends personally wished Mr. and Mrs. Kolseth bon voyage and the best wishes of all will follow them during their European trip.

Miss Ethel Hill of Walker street entertained several friends Friday evening May 4, in honor of her twentieth birthday. Whist was introduced followed by various games, for which prizes were given to the winners of high scores. The cutting of the birthday cake occasioned great amusment for twenty little dolls were concealed therein and twenty candles blazed on top. Refreshments and sweets were served. Miss Hill was showered with good wishes and received many tokens of esteem.

Harry Read of Squantum street has purchased a touring car which "took his eye" at the automobile show while it was in Boston.

Miss Nettie Cassidy of Edwin street is spending the week end at Holliston.

Miss Ethel Hill of Walker street will spend the week end as a guest of Miss Helen Coombs of Boston.

Mrs. J. A. Kendall of Walker street, has returned from several days' visit to relatives in Bristol, N. H.

Miss Laura Coles of Faxon road is entertaining her cousin, Miss Alice Newnham, of Braintree.

James Churchill of Billings street has sold his auto and replaced it by a large touring car.

The temporary railroad bridge over the Neponset river will not be used May 13 but some days later.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Hendrie of Davis street have moved into their new house on Marlboro street.

The music at the Atlantic Memorial church on Sunday evening will be by a male quartet, and the pastor will speak on the life of Samuel J. Mills.

Councilman Hobbs underwent a surgical operation at a Boston hospital on Thursday. He was reported as doing nicely Friday morning.

DOWNS AND PARK.

The Wollaston Yacht Club fair was continued Friday and Saturday evenings with great success. William Chase received the prize for being the most popular member, having 111 votes. F. J. Gross had 75 votes.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Bubert of Marlboro street will soon move to Baltimore.

H.C. Briggs of East Elm avenue has bought a house on Grand View avenue.

"Little Italy," the Italian head quarters on the bouvelard, at Atlantic gives the passers by some idea of what the sound might have been during the construction of the Tower of Babel.

Eliot Club.

The final meeting of the Eliot club, for the year 1906, was held with Mrs. David L. Jewell, May 2. It was one of the most delightful evenings ever enjoyed by the club. The program for the year announced a "Dickens' Carnival," but carnival seems hardly the term to apply to an entertainment so well ordered as the reception extended by Misses Clarissa and Lavinia Spenlow to their friends among the Dickens characters.

The guests were announced by Sam Weller's pretty sweetheart, Mary, and never did she appear more bewitching than upon that occasion. Among those present in costume were, Miss Dora Spenlow, Mr. David Copperfield, Miss Betsy Trotwood, Mrs. William Micauber Mrs. Jellyby, Miss Ester Summerson, Mrs. Nickleby, Miss Kate Nickleby, Mr. Nicholas Nickleby, The Stranger, Miss Charity Pecksniff, Miss Mercy Pecksniff, Mr. Jonas Chuzzlewit, Betsey Prig and Sairy Gamp, Miss Bella Wilfer, Miss Lizzie Hexam, Mr. and Mrs. Boffin, Mr. Richard Swiviller, The Marchiones, Mr. Jarley, Mrs. Flora Finchin, Mr. F's Aunt, Susan Nipper, Captain Cuttle, Mrs. Cowley, Mr. Bumble, Madame Defarge.

Besides these were present various members of the club and several visitors. After the presentation of the guests to the Misses Spenlow, who received standing before the mantel in the spacious drawing room, a roll call was held, to which each character responded with appropriate quotations.

Several short scenes were presented by groups of characters in lieu of quotations. One from "David Copperfield," the scene of David's reception, by the Misses Spenlow as suitor for Dora. The Misses Spenlow, David, Dora and Traddles appearing in this scene. Jonas Chuzzlewit, Charity and Mercy Pecksniff presented the scene of Jonas' proposal from "Martin Chuzzlewit."

The company then adjourned to "Sky Parlor" where an impromptu stage had been arranged, and more elaborate presentations were given. First two scenes from "Nicholas Nickelby," of Mrs. Nickelby's discussion with her son of "The stranger's proposals," and the second scene the enthusiastic proposals of the stranger.

These were followed by the scene "from Martin Chuzzlewit" of Sairy Gamp's tea-party to Betsy Prig. All the scenes were exceedingly well given and added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening.

Following the dramatics was a guessing contest in which the guests vied with each other in placing the various quotations from Dickens' works, which were hung upon the walls. Mrs. Simmons (Mrs. Nickelby) and Mr. Henry (Dick Swiviller) tied for the prize. In drawing, Mr. Henry was fortunate and secured the prize, a beautiful framed photograph of Charles Dickens.

Returning to the drawing room a delightful half hour was spent in social intercourse, when a dainty collation was served. It was with regrets that the gay party finally dispersed, bearing with them very happy memories of a most delightful evening.

Concert at Braintree.

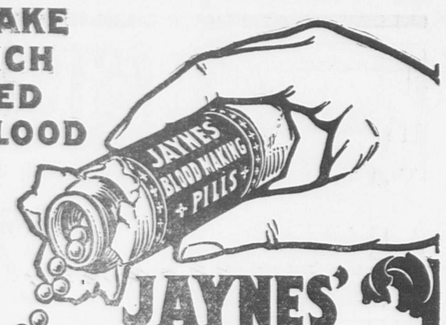
The Wollaston Glee Club repeated its spring concert on Tuesday evening in the South Congregational church at Braintree, which was by far the best concert of its kind ever given in Braintree. Special mention should be given Miss Adelaide Thomas, who showed great skill in the handling of the violin. The solos of Mr. Bullock, Mr. Hahn and Mr. Hayden were in themselves entertainment well worth hearing.

Mr. Bullock's—"I love you Sweet" was a song which brought forth the applause of the audience and every number on the program was given in a manner highly appreciated by the large number present.

A large special car brought the club from Wollaston, and with the people from all parts of the town who came out, the church was filled to its utmost capacity.

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WEEKLY ALMANAC.		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon rises
Saturday, May	12,	4 26	6 55	1.45	2 30	11.27 P.M
Sunday,	" 13,	4.25	6.56	2 45	3.15	12.03 A.M
Monday,	" 14,	4.24	6.57	3.45	4.15	12.14 "
Tuesday,	" 15,	4.23	6.58	4.45	5.30	12.53 "
Wednesday,	" 16	4 22	6.59	5.45	6.30	1.27 "
Thursday,	" 17,	4.21	7.00	6.45	7.30	1.58 "
Friday,	" 18,	4.20	7.01	7.45	8.15	2.25 "

Last Quarter, May 15th, 2.03 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898
Sunday,	55	68	80	60	60
Monday,	59	70	80	65	61
Tuesday,	66	70	73	63	46
Wednesday,	69	67	70	68	50
Thursday,	60	76	70	50	64
Friday,	62	67	79	58	7
Saturday,	—	71	68	65	75

Why not a "Merchants' Week" or a "Merchants' Day" at Quincy, as at Waltham and other cities?

A reduction of one-half in the consumption of water in the Metropolitan water district would not reduce the assessment one-half. Oh, no! Nearly $2,000,000 must be assessed to pay sinking fund requirement and interest. It would not even reduce the maintenance item one-half, and that is only one-sixth of the assessment. One-half of one-sixth is one-twelfth; and one-twelfth of the Quincy assessment of $35,832.50 is less than $3,000, the possible saving if all the district was metered and the consumption reduced one-half.

If Quincy had no water debt it could reduce its water rates one-half without reducing its net water receipts, as the maturing debt and interest required $65,215 in 1905 out of a total water expenditure of $120,000.

A new loan of $20,000 this year for water meters will increase the water debt instead of reducing it.

Mayor Thompson in his inaugural address stated that the water debt of Quincy on Dec. 31, 1905, was $694,000. It has been in the vicinity of $700,000 for several years, the new loans equaling the annual payments.

If the Metropolitan district also was free from water debt the rates of Quincy could be reduced another 25 per cent. They would then be only one-fourth the present rates.

It seems very desirable therefore to get out of debt as soon as possible.

If a loan of $20,000 is authorized for water meters, it will reach the limit for loans authorized by the water acts, and less than one-third of the Quincy services will be metered.

No further loans for water construction could then be made without permission of the Legislature, although emergencies may arise.

Is it desirable to go to the limit in everything? The city appropriated this year all it could for current expenses under the law. It is near its debt limit for municipal debt, and has nearly exhausted its borrowing capacity under the water acts.

It is not consumption that makes water rates high, but debt and interest. Thirty year loans amounting to $100,000 for meters means an expenditure of over $200,000 in thirty years for debt and interest.

Sacramento Unharmed.

The publisher of the Evening Bee at Sacramento, California, writes to the Patriot as follows:

"A generally incorrect impression prevails that serious damage was done in Sacramento city by the recent earthquake, which was the indirect cause of the great San Francisco fire on April 18.

"As a matter of fact not a single pane of glass was broken, not a brick displaced, not a machine thrown out of adjustment, and not a person injured, however slightly, in Sacramento city. The same is true of all the smaller cities and towns throughout the great Sacramento valley. There has been no interruption of any kind to the business of any of these places, save that which has been occasioned by their efforts to aid in alleviating distress.

"There are so many people throughout the United States who have friends or relatives in this city or in some of the many towns that are located in the valley and within fifty miles south, or one hundred and fifty miles north of this point, that we take pleasure in giving this information."

Col. William O. Olin.

Col. William M. Olin, the Secretary of State of Massachusetts, was the guest on Monday evening of the Men's club of Christ church, and entertained a large audience with a talk on the duties of his responsible office. He likened the Commonwealth to a watch. Prominent on the face was the minute hand which represented the Governor; the hour hand was smaller but was equally as important, and represented the Lieutenant Governor.

The tick of the watch corresponded to the Legislature, but inside was the main spring which was the Secretary of State.

All his hearers were surprised to learn that the duties of the Secretary of State were so numerous. Col. Olin told of duties of the office, of his relations to the executive department, and to the numerous archives which he was required to keep up to date. He spoke for nearly an hour.

—There has been very cold weather this week, not only in New England, but in other states. Snow has fallen several days in Cumberland, Md., New York and other places. In Alabama the heavy frost has killed all the cotton that was up.

—Arlington dock at Seattle, Wash., filled with government supplies for shipment to the Philippines on transport Sherman, was destroyed by fire Monday. The transport Sherman and the French ship Daniel were slightly damaged. The total loss is $185,000, of which $100,000 is on government supplies.

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August 20.

Quincy Women's Club.

The Quincy Women's club is a year old, holding its first annual meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the club house with a large attendance.

Mrs. E. C. Bumpus presided. Yearly reports of the work done the past year were given by the secretaries, treasurer, and the chairmen of the various committees, and it proved very interesting hearing.

The recording secretary told of the gifts received from good friends of the club; the piano from Mrs. George W. Morton, globes for the chandeliers from Mr. Harry L. Rice; gavel of historic wood from Mrs. Nelson V. Titus as well as contributions toward house repairs and money.

The corresponding secretary made a brief report of membership, waiting list, etc.

The treasurer's report showed the club to be in good financial condition.

Interest centered in the reports of the committees which showed clearly the work being done by the club.

For Art and Literature, Mrs. Gurney spoke of the two lectures given the past year and of the good program it was hoped to present the coming year.

The Arts and Crafts although but recently started was getting right down to work and hoped another year to do much in the way of handicraft. Rooms were to be fitted up in the club house, one for a hand loom and the other for use of committee for its work. A woman's exchange had been started and was proving a success. It was held on club afternoons and members look forward to buying nice home cooking to take home from club with them.

For the Civic Betterment committee, Mrs. Wadsworth told of the two programs given by the committee. One was an evening meeting at Bethany chapel to which the public was invited to subscribe. Interest was awakened by the lecture on Browntail moths, given by Mr. Kirkland and a fight had been made against the moth pests. The committee had induced the railroad to put gutters on its Quincy station and had also received permission to improve the surroundings about the different stations in the city. Work had been commenced and property owners near the stations were cooperating. At the centre station billboards had been removed and Lombardy poplars were being set out to hide adjacent buildings. The committee had $75 to work with, which would not go far, but hoped to do more another year. This report was received with applause and evidently appealed to the club as it outlined work already accomplished and showed what the committee intended doing.

In the absence of Miss Elizabeth Johnson, chairman of the Education committee, her report was read by Miss Madeleine Fish and was interesting as the committee had been very active. From the Assembly last January $135 had been netted, $75 of which had been given to the Civic Betterment committee and $35 to the Philanthropy committee and the balance kept for expenses of the committee. The children's festival was a great success financially and would support the summer kindergartens. During the year prizes had been given to Quincy girls for sewing and to boys for sloyd work. Children's gardens were to be encouraged this summer as usual and seeds furnished for a small sum and prizes awarded for best results. The education committee is working along broad educational lines and among the children.

Mrs. George G. Saville, chairman of the House committee, one of the club's hardest workers as the duties are numerous, told of the work of the committee in caring for the house, installing caretaker, visiting nurse, etc., and the care of the grounds. Considerable money had been spent by this committee as the house had to be furnished, heated, lighted, etc.

For the Music committee Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, chairman, said that her committee had furnished a musical program for nearly every meeting and at no expense to the club except for car fares, etc., of some of the singers, who had in every case given their services. The club appreciated the music each meeting.

A choral class had been formed under the leadership of Mrs. Jennie B. Worster of Weymouth, an active club member who generously gave her services. The class numbered about forty. It was thought very good results had been obtained of which the club could judge at the concert to be given May 18th in High School hall. The class will be assisted by Miss Edna Goullaud, soprano, and Mr. Van Vliet, 'cellist. The first part of the program to be a concert followed by the cantata, "King Rom's Daughter," by the club chorus. The hearty support of the club was asked for this concert as the proceeds were to go toward the next year's salary of the Visiting Nurse.

Every one was interested in the report of the Philanthropy committee given by Mrs. Welch. The club's leading charity is Visiting Nursing. A suite of rooms is set aside in the club house for the use of the nurse and club members assist all they can in the work. The nurse's salary the first year was met by gifts from individuals, from the King's Daughters, and charitable organizations and it was hoped the second year the work could be carried on as successfully and receive the same cordial financial support. The need for the nurse was fully demonstrated as she was in demand, every day and almost every hour. She carried comfort to every home she visited, not only for what she could do for the sick but for the well in showing them how to care for their sick and those dependent on them for comfort.

The work has grown, the past month recording the most calls for the nurse.

Mrs. W. E. Alden, chairman of the Program committee, told of the programs furnished the past year. How owing to a limited amount of money the committee had invited friends to speak, and how satisfactory the result had been. Another year, more money would be at the command of the Program committee, and already dates had been arranged with some good speakers and the second year of the club would doubtless prove enjoyable and profitable.

The reports were approved and accepted with applause.

Mrs. Bumpus spoke a few words of appreciation of the support and kindness shown her in this the first year of her presidency, and knew the same cordial support would be hers the coming year.

Through the kindness of Mr. Snyder and seven High school boys the club enjoyed some fine music during the social hour. It was a courtesy especially to be appreciated as the boys were interested in the Adams-High ball game and doubtless wished to attend it. Their playing was remarkably good and favorably commended by all present. Mr. Snyder surely gets good results in his training, whether vocal or instrumental and the boys' orchestra does him credit. The club hopes to hear them again at some future meeting.

In the tea room busy hostesses served delicious fruit punch and cake.

It was a happy afternoon for the club, full of sociability, a home gathering in the club house, and one of the best meetings of the year.

The club season closes on May 22 when Col. Edward Anderson will be the speaker.

Tickets for the Choral class concert may be obtained of Mrs. J. F. Welch, Miss Prescott, or any member of the class. The next rehearsal will be this afternoon at the club house at half past two.

ADAMS CHAPTER.

One of the pleasantest meetings in the annals of Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, was held on Monday afternoon at the birthplace of President John Adams. It was a Paul Jones afternoon, and proved most interesting to members and guests.

The program opened with a song "The Swallows," by Mrs. Henry W. Tirrell which received appreciative applause. The speaker of the afternoon was Rev. William H. Morrison of the Universalist church, Brockton. He spoke of the life of John Paul Jones from his birth in Scotland until his death in Paris at the age of only thirty-five years. He did Paul Jones full justice and showed how faithful and loyal he was to the American colony, the land of his adoption and how little his services were recognized until now.

Mr. Morrison spoke without notes. It was readily seen that he was much interested in his subject, consequently his audience was also interested. It was one of the best historical lectures ever listened to by Adams Chapter.

Another guest of the afternoon, Miss Marion H. Brazier, of Boston, regent of the Paul Jones Chapter, D. A. R., added further interest to the program by telling of the recent funeral services at Annapolis, which she attended. Through the efforts of one man who gave generously of his time and money in the search, the body of Paul Jones had been found buried beneath an old warehouse in Paris and brought to America, where tardy honors were done him. It was an inspiring occasion.

Mrs. Tirrell then sang, "Who is Silvia?" which was followed by the singing of America by all present. A social hour followed during which the hostesses, Mrs. E. G. Pratt, Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mrs. Francis Brewer and Miss Newcomb served refreshments.

There were several guests present from Boston and it was a particularly happy meeting.

AMONG THE CLUBS.

Monday evening the Alpha club met at the parsonage of the West Quincy M. E. church. Twenty-two members present. Miss Flora Shackley had charge of the meeting. Subject,—"Historic Quincy." A lively debate followed which was much enjoyed by all present.

By invitation of its president Mrs. Joseph C. Morse, the Hospital Aid association will hold an all-day sewing bee at her home, 215 Goffe street, on Wednesday, May 16th, beginning at ten o'clock. All members are urged to attend as there is considerable sewing to be accomplished.

A special meeting of the Day Nursery association was held Wednesday at the Club house and it was decided to hold a lawn party on June 16th, for which the Quincy Women's club generously offered the use of their club house and grounds.

The business meeting of the Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will be held on May 21st.

Adams Chapter, D.R., go to Randolph for their June meeting when they will be guests of Mrs. Roundtree.

The Junior Friday club is to hold its business meeting with Mrs. Griswold instead of with its president at Marshfield but later will have an outing at Marshfield, to which the members are looking forward.

NEIGHBORING WOMEN'S CLUB.

Mrs. John G. Faxon has been again elected president of the Fitchburg Woman's club. The club voted $100 for vacation school and a like sum to the local Y. M. C. A. also $100 for the women of San Francisco.

Miss Sarah E. Hunt, so well known in patriotic societies has been elected president of the Salem Woman's club.

The Arlington Woman's club at its annual meeting voted $50 to the committee on school decorations.

Delegates to the biennial to be held by the National Federation of Women's clubs at St. Paul, will go in a Raymond and Whitcomb party.

The last home afternoon for this year of the Milton Women's club was held Monday afternoon in the parlors of the First Parish church. The entertainment was furnished by Miss Harriet Ware, who exhibited photographs of Greece. The club contributed $25 toward fund subscribed by the clubs in the Federation for the California sufferers.

The New England Wheaton Seminary club will hold its annual meeting and luncheon at hotel Vendome, Boston, on the third Saturday of this month, 19. The luncheon will be served at one o'clock and will be followed by informal talks by members and guests of the club.

H. W. Barker Ordained.

Herbert W. Barker, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Barker of Greenleaf street was on Sunday ordained as an Episcopal deacon at Trinity church, Boston, by Bishop Lawrence. There were seven other candidates for deacon and five for the priesthood. The service opened with the Litany and closed with holy communion. Mr. Barker read the gospel for the day, at request of the bishop. Several of his Quincy friends were present.

Mr. Barker will on June 15, become a curate at Calvary church in New York city, and at the end of one year's service will be a candidate for the priesthood. He has already studied one year at the Episcopal Theological school at Cambridge, and two years at the General Theological school in New York. Previous to entering the ministry, he attended Harvard college, and for six years was with a banking house in Boston, where he made rapid advancement.

Pine Tree Club.

Wednesday night's meeting of the Pine Tree club was gentlemen's night. That is the gentlemen of the club had full charge of the entertainment of the evening. Some doubts had been entertained by the ladies as to the ability of the men to furnish an entertainment and supper.

The ladies, however, were forced to acknowledge that the men were all right. The meeting as usual was held in Colonial hall and was very largely attended. The first part of the evening was devoted to an entertainment. This consisted of vocal and instrumental music of an exceptionally high order, then came refreshments of salads, ice cream, frozen pudding, cake, etc. No gathering of State of Maine people would be complete without dancing and the evening's pleasure closed with this diversion.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, May 9, 1906.

It is altogether too early to tell what will be the outcome of the charges of bribery. It is not expected that the Suffolk grand jury will report till Saturday and in the meantime, if precedents count, it is contempt of court to anticipate their action and say what they have done. Yet there has been published a statement that they have found an indictment and that the legislator who is said to have offered the bribe declares his innocence. Of course he would deny it, and the fact that there is admittedly no witness to the conversation between Mr. Leonard of Springfield and the member of the House who is said to have offered him the bribe makes it impossible, if more than one witness is essential, to reach conviction. In the meantime, let not the good people of the state be overmuch disturbed by the charges of Thomas W. Lawson. The case is bad enough at the best, but there is no reason to believe that it is anywhere near as bad as he makes it out in his sensational letter to Gov. Guild. When it comes to taking seriously such extravagant assertions, we shall be prepared to sympathize with the wrath of the people whom he has been attacking. But there is comment at the state house that one point in his letter is well taken. It is that if Gov. Guild could send in a special message in order to save a midnight bill for Boston, in which he was interested, after the first bill had become hung up between the Senate and the governor, he can send in a special message as a basis for a bill to stop bucket shop gambling and take the place of the bill which was defeated, presumably by bribed votes.

In the meantime sharp comment is heard upon the failure of the House to assert itself and stop the operations of District Attorney Moran. The fact is that there is some politics in this matter." Serious talk is already heard this week among the democrats of the House about Moran as the coming democratic candidate for governor. The criticism of him is republican, of course, but the point is that it is for the House to judge of the acts of its own members, and not for the district attorney of Suffolk, that the state house is a reservation belonging to the state and is not a part of the city of Boston, that the offense, if there was any, was committed upon territory which is not at all under the jurisdiction of Suffolk county, and that the district attorney has no right to send a policeman upon the territory of the state unless he is summoned by the sergeant-at-arms for the sake of rendering assistance. It is a very important point technically. It remains to be seen what will be the the consequence of the House order initiating an investigation. It is of the highest importance not to make a blunder and bring ridicule upon the movement by appearing ridiculous and giving the other side the chance of saying that there was absolutely no bribery and that the entire situation was the imagination of hysterical members. It is extremely difficult to get evidence. Both parties are deeply interested by the most momentous considerations for their personal welfare, to prevent a word from reaching the public. Witnesses to such a transaction are impossible in the very nature of the case, unless the guilty have been inconceivably careless, and so the officers of the law have nothing to go upon until the evil gets so rank that concealment is laid aside or until rogues fall out, when honest men may get their dues. It is too early to expect any convictions yet.

Today's developments have been sensational in the extreme, as state house sensations go, for of course, we don't have mobs, riots, fires or shootings here. Police officers, one or more, have been at the state house this afternoon, serving upon the members of the House whose names begin with either of the first four letters of the alphabet a summon to attend the Suffolk grand jury at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. The members had great fun over the formality of serving the summons. When a member was wanted, the others would gather round him, push him up to the officer to receive his summons and cheer loudly. Especial cheers were given for Mr. Allen of Brockton, the dean of the House, the one dissenter of the liquor law committee against the midnight liquor bill, both the new and the old. There has been some talk among the members about refusing to obey the summons, but thus far it does not appear that any of them will do so. There does not seem to be a disposition among the members to resist the district attorney.

One of the sensations of the day has been the letter from Thomas W. Lawson to Representative Luce of Somerville, which Lawson had put in print and sent to every member of the House with a stamp for reply inclosed. It is a letter full of such rattling, disconnected, scurrilous and whimsical epithets, abuse and disconnected ideas that most reasonable men would be led at once to doubt the sanity of the man who wrote it, just as they would doubt the sanity of a man of gibbering talk and of a meaningless scrawl for handwriting. It is a letter simply of mere rubbish, utterly unworthy of any notice from any sensible man to whom such a communication might be addressed.

Other business is being pursued while these breezy things are in progress.

The new midnight liquor bill was passed through its last stage in the House this afternoon. The temperance people realized that they were beaten about two to one on it and that further argument would be useless. They had said everything which could be brought forward to change votes and now there is nothing further but to let the matter go to the people for settlement, where it will be all mixed up with the tariff, Moran, Lawson, state tax, and various other things.

The bill introduced by Mr. Luce of Somerville to make more stringent the law against the lobby has been substituted in the house for an adverse committee report by a large majority and has been given a third reading in a way to prove that the House is with it beyond the need of argument. But it may fail in the senate, which has already accepted an adverse report upon his petition. There has been reported a bill which revises and supposedly improves the corrupt practices act for purity of elections. Rule.

Parsifal Recital.

The Quincy musical public is extremely fortunate in having a musical leader in their midst who, by extensive travel, acquaintance with foreign languages and wide experience in musical matters, is thoroughly qualified to interpret some of the finest musical compositions which have been produced. Mrs. Morey, the present musical director of Bethany church, will give on Sunday evening an interpretation of Parsifal.

This great religious drama will be interpreted by means of exceptionally fine stereopticon views and by instrumental and vocal music.

Challenge Accepted.

This afternoon, at 3 o'clock, Mr. Charles E. Dornan, Quincy's Howdidhe will attempt, unaided, to make his escape from the fire proof vault at the store of W. G. Shaw.

Mr. Shaw assures the public that everything will be done upon honor, and has issued an invitation to the general public to witness the feat if possible.

The furniture on the first floor about the office will be removed so that all will have an ample opportunity to see what is going on.

The young man will enter the vault at 3 o'clock. All he will have with him will be a pocket flash light. Before entering, however, Chief of Police Burrell will place a pair of handcuffs about his wrists.

After he is inside Horace F. Spear, cashier of the Mt. Wollaston bank, will lock both the inner and outer doors of the vault. Only a small sized screen will then be placed in front of the vault door.

The only provisions that Howdidhe makes is that the key of the lock of the inner door shall be hung on the wall in the office where it will be handy to release him should he fail.

He will be given half an hour in which to make his escape and he feels confident he can do it in that time. His confidence is not shared by others, who say it is impossible.

When Houdini was locked in the Boston jail he did not advertise the performance in advance or invite the public. Only a few were present, and they did not remain a few feet from the cell door or even in the corridor, but went to the office of the jail and closed the doors behind them.

But here Mr. Dornan will have a crowd of people about the vault, several hundred people within fifty feet in plain sight. How will it be possible for him to get out without tools!

Mr. Shaw desires all people who are interested to be present at 3 P. M., and as a further inducement he offers a present to each adult who will present a coupon from his advertisement in this paper.

The Daily Ledger will issue an extra edition about 4 P. M. on Saturday, telling the public whether Howdidhe succeeds or not.

The following letters are self explanatory and it looks as if Quincy's Howdidhe was up against a pretty stiff proposition.

Quincy, May 6, 1906.

Mr. Charles E. Dornan, Quincy, Mass.

Dear Sir:—During a conversation with one of your friends while in my store, a few days ago, your feats of escaping from packing cases, handcuffs, etc., was mentioned.

Your friend made the statement that I could lock you into my large double-door bank vault, and that you would escape from it within one half hour. I contended that it would be impossible. Your friend was confident and persistent, so much so, that we have decided to offer you the opportunity to try your skill.

Therefore, I challenge you to escape from the vault within one-half hour after outer door is locked.

You to make the date and time for the trial and upon following conditions:

1st,—That you enter the vault without tools of any description.

2d,—That I, or one of my employes, seal up the inner side of locks.

3d,—That you allow some disinterested person or persons to lock you into the vault.

Awaiting your answer, I beg to remain.

Very respectfully yours,
W. G. Shaw.

Mr. W. G. Shaw,

Dear Sir:—Replying to your letter as in the Quincy Daily Ledger of May 7, in which you challenge me to escape from the double door vault in your store, I will reply that it would please me very much to make the attempt. I must admit it will be a very severe test owing to the conditions you make in your challenge; however if satisfactory to you, I will make the attempt Saturday, May 12, at 3 P. M.

Of course I shall expect that everything on your part will be on the square, and any assistance I may ask you will give me. Thanking you kindly for the opportunity you have offered me to try my skill, assuring you I will be there, I beg to remain,

Very truly yours,
Charles E. Dornan

SUNDAY SERVICES.

3D SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented.—Eds.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street:—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon service at 2.30. Subject: "Our Great Need," Sunday School at 3.30. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 11.30. All invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by Rev. Henry G. Megathlin of Wollaston. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Topic "Christ's Life, Lessons from His miracles of healing." Leader, Miss Alice Evans. 7. P. M. The pastor will speak on the life of Samuel J. Mills, Missionary pathfinder, pioneer and promoter. There will be special music by the male quartet, Messrs. Harvie, Hill, Southerland Cummings Let everybody come.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45; Preaching by the Rev. Thomas H. Vincent of Pilgrim Congregational church, Weymouth. Sunday School with kindergarten, primary intermediate, Young peoples and adult classes at 12. M. Junior C. E. for all between 7 and 14 years old at 4. P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Topic: "Lesson's from Christ's Miracles," 7.30 service of song and sermon by the Rev. A. B Tyler of West Quincy. Friday evening Christian fellowship service at 7.30. Topic. "The problem of Fellowship." This church is best pleased when you are best served. Come with us and we will do thee good. Our motto is: A place for all and a welcome for all.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Madame Morey the organist of the church will give an interpretation of "The Parsifal" by instrumental and vocal music and the use of the stereopticon. The public is cordially invited.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. A. B. Tyler, M. A., pastor, Morning service at 10.30: Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League Devotional service at 6.15. 7.00 Praise service and preaching by Rev. A. B. Atwood of the Washington Street Congregational church. Tuesday at 7.30 P. M. Class meeting. Friday at 7.30 P. M. Prayer meeting.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ernest W. Hunt, minister. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by minister. Sunday School at 12 M. All are invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Post Office block, opposite station.—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Soul and Body." Golden Text: "Christ is the head of the church; and he is the saviour of the body." Ephesians, 5:23. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. an experience and testimony meeting. Reading rooms open every week day from 3 to 5. All are welcome.

Adams Academy scored the first run in the game on Tuesday with Quincy high at the park and led up to the fifth inning, but the fifth and sixth were fatal to them. Quincy High rolled up thirteen runs in these innings and won by the score of 14 to 1.

Taxation.

In response to invitations issued by the Citizens' Association, a representative body of citizens gathered in Colonial hall Thursday evening to listen to a talk on "Taxation."

The Association was fortunate in securing as speakers for the meeting, John Z. White of Chicago, one of the best informed men in economics, and C. F. Fillebrown of Newton, president of the Single Tax League.

President Henry L. Kincaide presided and the first speaker was Mr. White. He held the close attention of his hearers for an hour and a half. He had a fund of amusing stories and sayings which he used to illustrate many of the points he wished to impress upon his hearers. He was a very entertaining speaker, and while perhaps all did not agree with him he gave them facts that could not be disputed and which will furnish food for earnest thought.

It took him some time to reach the direct question of single tax for he began at the bottom, and worked up to his subject. In opening he said that we advocates of single tax commonly agree that there was something wrong with the general industries of the country, that one-fourth of the industries are wrongly administered in certain respects. We are forced to recognize that high position in society cannot always be accepted as real leaders. If we are afraid to examine the facts, and arrive at conclusions of our own then our judgment is of no value.

The product of wealth in any form is equivalent to the production of wealth of all forms of equal value. That is if a man produces 1000 bushel of wheat worth one dollar a bushel he can exchange it for $1,000 of some other product.

To live one must have something to eat, to wear, and have shelter.

These are physical articles. Each is provided in some way from toil. If these are true they are the product of labor, who rightfully becomes the owner of them? Those who make them. If they belong to the people who make them, does it not mean the laws recognize this ownership. We may destroy or sell that which we produce.

Let us apply the test to a man with a thousand million of dollars. Do you suppose he produced these by labor?

If a man earned $5 a day for every day in the year it would take six hundred years for him to earn a million dollars. Do you believe a man ever earned a million dollars?

A man can get a dollar in three ways, earn it, receive it by gift, or steal it. I do not accuse the man of wealth of stealing, but he could not earn it, and he therefore must have received it by gift. We have laws whereby some men have levied on other peoples products.

All wealth is produced by labor. Every article of the world is produced from the earth. While all have labor, all do not have land. A few own the land of the United States. We cannot produce wealth without land. We must use land in everything.

If we can get enough land, we can get rich. Not by working, but because the law say I shall own land, and as other industries cannot produce without land, they must pay us a part of their production. Therefore the value of land increases.

The law permits men to hold land and lay tribute upon it. When we produce wealth we pay part of it to labor and the balance to the owner of land. Rent to owners of land, wages to those who produce.

If you get revenue you will get it from land owners or from people who have divided with land owners. The revenue of the United States government is alone derived from taxes laid upon industries. None from land.

The purpose of single tax men is to put all taxes on land, and not on industries. So long as we tax industries and permit producers to divide with land owners, just so long will the wealth be in the hands of the few.

Suppose we stop taxing improvements on personal property and put it on land.

Can we elect an assessor who can go into a business house and assess the real value of the goods?

It is impossible to equally assess personal property. In so far as you tax this property you do not tax the owner but the consumer. The poor man and the consumer pays the tax on goods. Then put the tax on land. Now the land owners are getting wealth without working. The only way to get wealth is to work or own land and levy tribute upon others.

If we tax land the tax will be so high we can not afford to hold land vacant. You will either use it or sell it to some one who will use it, and at a reduced price. Then you will not see land lying idle. Then you will concentrate your people. You hold land or speculate in land and the poor suffer. Tax it and there will be plenty of land.

An opportunity was given to ask Mr. White any questions, but no one desired to at that time although some did after the meeting.

Mr. Fillebrown was then introduced, but owing to the late hour he spoke but briefly. He hoped that the Association would invite him to be present at some other time that he might tell them how to tax land without injury to land owners.

There is a great deal of matter for the assessors to study that they have not been in the habit of doing. He knew if the assessors got the cue it would be of great help.

—By the terms of a bill framed and filed by the Legislative Committee on Public Lighting, Boston gas consumers may be presented a sliding scale of rates, with 90 cents fixed as the standard price per 1000 feet for 10 years, after June 30, 1906, and 7 per cent, as the standard dividend rate for Boston Consolidated Gas Company stockholders.

—Mount Washington has been sold again, the second time in a year. This big transfer, consisting of 70 acres of timber land, was purchased from Robert Osgood by the Garland, Cobb & Stahl Company. The consideration is said to have been near $800,000.

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Probate Court.

Judge Flint held probate court for Norfolk county at Quincy, Wednesday, and transacted a large amount business.

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Stewart Paterson, late of Quincy, James Paterson executor; bond $4,500.

Of Lydia B. Vaughn, late of Weymouth, James L. Jenney executor; bond $2,000.

Of Clara T. Robbins, late of Brookline, Agnes F. Robbins executrix; bond $12,000.

Of Susan R. Parker, late of Wellesley, Moses G. Daniell executor; bond $25,000.

Of Joseph B. Kingsbury, late of Holbrook, Elizabeth J. Kingsbury executrix; bond $9,000.

Of Hortense M. Fletcher, late of New York, N. Y., having estate in Norfolk county, Austin B. Fletcher executor, bond $15,000.

Of Sibbel D. Bullard late of New York having estate in Norfolk county, Elijah George executor; bond $500.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Edward J. Lonergan, on estate of Catherine E. Lonergan late of Randolph; bond $5,000.

Richard D. Chase, on estate of James Bisson late of Quincy; bond $3,000.

Howard Colburn, on estate of James Pettee late of Dedham; bond $2,000.

Catherine T. Slavin, on estate of Mary E. Slavin late of Braintree; bond $4,000.

Abbie E. Richards, on estate of S. Eleanor Daggett, late of Plainsville; bond, $1,500.

Ernest H. Gilbert, on estate of Harriet A. Gilbert, late of Stoughton; bond, $3,500.

Ezra C. Comey, on estate of Susie R. Morse, late of Foxborough; bond, $2,000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

Third and fourth of Rufus B. Tobey, guardian of Alexander L. Nickerson, a minor of Quincy, for $486.15 and $595.65.

Second of Rufus B. Tobey conservator of Robert H. Harlow of Quincy, for $5,438.49.

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Poetry.

Once in a While.

Once in a while the sun shines out,
And the arching skies are a perfect blue ;
Once in a while, 'mid clouds of doubt,
Faith's fairest stars come peeping through ;
Our paths lead down by the meadows fair,
Where the sweetest flowers nod and smile,
And we lay aside our cross and care,
Once in a while.

Once in a while within our own
We feel the hand of a steadfast friend ;
Once in a while we feel the tone
Of love, with the heart's own voice to blend ;
And the dearest of all our dreams come true,
And on life's way is a golden smile,
Each thirsting flower is kissed with dew,
Once in a while.

Once in a while in the desert sand
We find a spot of the fairest green ;
Once in a while from where we stand
The hills of paradise are seen,
And a perfect joy in our hearts we hold,
A joy that the world cannot defie ;
We trade earth's dross for the purest gold,
Once in a while.

Notes and Comments.

—Robert Grimes of Pawtucket was last week held by Judge Bryam for the grand jury on the charge of illegally soliciting orders for liquor in the no-license town of Attleboro. The charge was brought against Mr. Grimes because of an advertisement in the cars of the Interstate Company, announcing that certain kinds of liquor would be sold and delivered at a stated price. Mr. Grimes was allowed his freedom on his own recognizance. The court condemned the practice of permitting whiskey or other intoxicating liquor advertisements in the public cars.—Natick Bulletin.

—Somebody points with pride to the alleged fact that club women seldom get divorced. Of course not. The club woman needs a husband to buy new gowns and pay club dues.—Somerville Journal.

—The dry dock Dewey fills the Suez canal so full that if a sailor should fall overboard he would land on dry ground. It must be quite a task to keep her in the channel, for the slightest veer would send her into the bank. It will cost $20,000 in tolls for the dock to make the passage, which proves that an isthmian canal can be a paying institution.

—The plate glass insurance companies, if they have written on many risks in San Francisco and surrounding country, must have some extensive damages to pay. It has been estimated that the total loss in plate glass through the earthquake is in excess of $1,000,000.—Spencer Leader.

—Under the recent decisions in the United States courts on the divorce question, the happiness of thousands is imperiled as well as the legitimacy of many innocent children. Moving from one state to another to procure a hasty divorce has not proved a good thing under this decision, for those who are concerned. It is to be hoped that in order to prevent any more painful questions of this sort that the several states will unite in a uniform divorce law. The need of it is now shown in the present predicament of those who are involved by the decision of the court.—Athol Chronicle.

—Gloucester fishermen have in Secretary Root a friend whose steadfastness and good faith do not waste themselves in a mere flow of words. He means business, and the fish business of this country concerns him quite as much as any other of the great industries.—Boston Courier.

—The Confederate Veterans Association of Washington, D. C., have again taken up the idea of the erection of a monument to the Confederate dead in Arlington Cemetery. Secretary of War Taft says there is no legal objection to carrying out the plans of the Confederate veterans, and he would take pleasure in granting permission for erection of said memorial. Corporal Tanner, the commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, endorses the movement, much to the pleasure of the confederate pleaders.

—The present legislature, particularly the senate, has not covered itself with glory by its attitude on many questions that have come before it this year. The influence of the lobby is a mighty sight more powerful than that of constituents.—Spencer Leader.

—The question of the removal of the old men who have been in the Government employ at the Custom House for years is one that is not to be entertained in Washington, and a load is taken from the minds of many who feared such an order might soon go into effect. There are between six hundred and seven hundred employees at the local Custom House, and among these are very nearly one hundred who would be affected by such an order. Old men for service, as long as they serve well, is becoming more and more of an axiom by which the country continues to do business.— Boston Courier.

—A young woman asked a Boston man on Massachusetts avenue to point out a subway car, and while he was doing it she stole his watch. The next time a young woman asks him for directions, he will be excusable if he tells her to inquire of a policeman.

—When the government invited bids for supplying cement for use on the twenty-four irrigation plants which it has in process of construction at various points in the West, manufacturers of that essential commodity were too busy to care for the government's contract, and as the cost of shipment from the East, or from abroad, the only other sources of supply, would be too great, the government has been compelled to go into the business of making its own cement in order that the work might not be delayed. This is now being done extensively in Arizona, where hundreds of barrels are made daily, the product proving entirely satisfactory, while the cost is considerably below the market value.—Milford Gazette.

—It looks now as if Chinatown would be rebuilt in San Francisco after all. If it is, however, probable the sanitary regulations will be stricter than they were before the earthquake.—Somerville Journal.

—The owner of an autombile in a suburb of Boston took a neighbor's boy for a ride. An accident occurred in which the boy was killed. Now the father has sued the owner of the machine to recover heavy damages. The father had allowed the boy to go with the defendant on several other occasions, and was apparently glad of the opportunity given to his son who was equally delighted for a trip in the machine. If such suits can be successfully maintained it will be hazardous business for automobile owners to invite friends out for a ride. It is probably true, however, that there are mighty few people who would care to bring suit in such a case as this.—Banker and Trademan.

—It is fortunate indeed that Mrs. Stanford was not alive to see the buildings intended as a memorial to her son crumble away as a result of dishonest contractors. The earthquake showed that what was supposed to be solid masonary was a shell filled with rubble. Half the money spent for the erection of buildings meant to last forever was stolen. Stealing outright is bad enough but here is not merely theft but wanton destruction. There is no fund from which the damage can be repaired. The loss is not merely the three millions that were stolen but the three that were wasted in unstable buildings. It means not only the dishonesty of builders but inefficiency of trustees. It is a melancholy exhibition.—Boston Record.

—One of the trunk railroads which enters Boston is booming this city as a show place for tourists, and urging that its historical buildings and scenes be visited by those who have never been here. "A week or two in Boston gives one a new hold on Americanism" is the way the advertisement reads and doubtless the Hub will profit thereby.

—Prof. Jules A. Hobigand of the Ballou & Hobigand school died on Saturday at Scituate.

Davenport Wins.

H. L. Davenport of Quincy, a student at Stone's school, is the Harvard interscholastic lawn tennis champion, and at Newport this summer will essay the task taken on by his predecessors of bringing the national school championship to Harvard. The championship was won Tuesday by young Davenport and his going into brackets added two more points to the Stone's school team aggregate, thereby lifting it to a tie with Newton high in second place.

The Herald says: Davenport's win was finely done and the cleverness with which he accomplished the whole campaign rated him high. That the win rests in the right place there can be no doubt, for all along since the first match he has been the most favored of the selections, and but one other, Sweetser was rated with him. His disposal of Sweetser in the semi-final round, settled whatever doubt there was, and the final was, but the question of how far he would have to travel to get the call.

The semi-final, unfinished Monday evening, was all played over again on Tuesday and it was much more important than the final. When play was stopped Monday Davenport and Sweetser had a set each, and honors were even. The decision to play the entire match over put both men on more even terms. The play was much different from that in the first two sets. Davenport put more force into his strokes, lobbying frequently and hard, and kept Sweetser from getting in his angle shot from the net. He was much the steadier, and his consistent effort showed him in the best light. He won in straight sets, and was not extended.

With Sweetser out of the way, Davenport took on T. Bothfeld of Newton High, and this win, too, came in straight sets. His play was not so good as in the match with Sweetser, and it was inclined to be uneven. When pushed he showed his true form, and is in the last set, when the score was 2—4 against him, he would steady when the pinch came. His back-hand, stop-volley when up court, and a wickedly cut, for-hand drive, were his best strokes. His handling of lobs was very well done, and his returns of these in the sun were sometimes marvellous.

Annual Brotherhood Service.

The annual church service of the Bethany Brotherhood on Sunday evening was full of interest and largely attended. The Apollo Quartette rendered three anthems, "Praise ye the Lord," "Rock of Ages," and "I'm but a stranger here;" also a response to the prayer, "Hear our prayer." All adding greatly to the program.

The address of the evening was by Rev. Albert F. Pierce, D. D., of Campello, on the subject, "The manliness of the Christian life, or the gospel's appeal to men." Some men, he said, seem to think that religion appeals only to women, but it is manly as well as womanly. Religion isn't a ticket into eternity, but makes an Eden here. Religion is the right thing. It helps in abstinence from evil, and also in the doing of those things which are right. Not for God's glory but for our own good.

The cause of righteousness needs men. All a man saves is what he does for mankind. Religion gives the best results—happiness in life; success in business. Only the pessimists say a religious man cannot be successful in business.

Religion brings peace. The hereafter is the great secret of life. Character building for eternity. There is no peace here or salvation there unless we seek God.

Ex-Councilman W. F. Sidelinger, the president of the Brotherhood, presided, and was assisted by Delcevare King and E. E. Craig, the assistant pastor of the church. Madame Morey was at the organ.

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Brotherhood Banquet.

The annual banquet of the Bethany Church Brotherhood on Monday evening, in the chapel, was a great success socially, and as a feast for the inner man, and also in a literary way. It was ladies' night, and the attendance was large.

A social half hour was enjoyed before adjournment to the dining room which came at 6.30.

Before the supper the guests were delightfully entertained by Mrs. Frank Moore and Miss Alice Coe, who sang as a duet, "Estudiantina." Their voices blend beautifully and in response to hearty applause they gave with equal success "Go pretty rose." A blessing was then asked by the pastor, Rev. E. N. Hardy.

The supper was one of the best ever served by the ladies of the Bethany church, and that is saying considerable. It was in charge of Mrs. W. G. Shaw, and included: Chicken salad, potato, salad, cold ham and veal, escalloped potatoes, olives, salted peanuts ice cream and cake (that was cake) strawberries with powdered sugar, coffee, rolls, etc.

W. F. Sidelinger, the president of the Brotherhood, presided at the post prandial exercises, and was pleased to welcome so many. With a story he introduced Rev. E. N. Hardy.

The pastor was pleased to note that the church was making everything a success, and congratulated the Brotherhood. He told several stories.

A letter of regret was read from Mayor Thompson.

Miss Coe was then introduced as a soloist and sang "The spirit ot spring." Her rich contralto voice captivated the audience, and she responded with "Absent."

Dr. Henson, the pastor of Tremont Temple, was introduced as the speaker of the evening, whose subject was "Stick," not "sticks" as reported. The doctor told several stories as a preface and used many to illustrate his points. His subject, he said, was not long but suggestive; it had point to it, and power in it, and was the secret of all success.

The speaker complimented the Jews because they stick; also John Bull. Uncle Sam was like him but more of a sticker. Men who win are the men who stick. It was a good thing to bear hardships early in life. It makes men. Young lawyers and doctors must stick to succeed; also men in all other enterprises. The men who win are not the geniuses but the ones with a single guiding star. Most men have more brains than they know what to do with. They need common sense.

Stick to something, and stick to something that is good. Stick to your friends, and stick to the man who is down. But there is no man to whom we can stick through thick and thin; neither is there any political party. The one thing we all can afford to stick to is the Word of God. Some to-day think it is not up to the advanced thought, but he likened those people to the crab which outgrows its clothes occasionally and becomes a soft crab. It was the speaker's belief that should the world exist one hundred thousand years the Bible would be away ahead in advanced thought.

Dr. Henson told his audience they could afford to stick to the Bible, and charged them to stick if they desired life everlasting and immortality. [Applause.]

Mrs. Moore then contributed a group of two pleasing solos entitled "Innovation" and "The nightingale has a lyre of gold." For an encore she gave with equal success, "Proposals."

Votes of thanks were extended to the ladies and to Dr. Henson.

At the head table were:
President, W. F. Sidelinger.
Mrs. Sidelinger.
Rev. P. S. Henson, D. D.
Mrs. Henson.
Rev. E. N. Hardy.
Mrs. Hardy.
E. E. Craig.
Dea. George A. Sidelinger.
Mrs. Sidelinger.
V. E. Miller.
Mrs. Miller.
Geo. H. Newcomb.
Miss Hazel Mowry.
Charles Miller.
Mrs. Miller.

At the other tables were:
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Myers, Walter A. Mitchell, Simeon Scammell, John R. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. John Evans, Ernest G. Gay, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hunt, F. W. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pierce, W. H. Cobb, Miss Clara B. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. George Forsyth, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Harper.

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In New Quarters.

On Sunday, May 6, First church of Christ Scientist at Braintree, held services for the first time in its new rooms in Post Office block, opposite the railroad station. These rooms occupying the entire second floor of the building, include a large auditorium capable of seating 500 or more, and adjoining suites of rooms adapted to the needs of the Sunday school and reading rooms, cloak and toilet rooms, etc. The entire premises have been remodelled and renovated and fitted up in a manner calculated to suit the comfort and convienence of visitors.

Included in the list of improvements are an entire new system of heating and ventilating, new electric lights and plumbing fixtures, two new stairways leading to the hall, and new furnishing and decorations throughout.

Seats are free at all services and the public is cordially welcome to these as well as at the free reading room, which is open from 2 to 5 every afternoon except Sunday, and also on Tuesday evenings. Electric cars from Quincy, Weymouth, Holbrook and Randolph pass the door.

Mrs. A. White, who has been quite ill since January, is improving and able to be out.

City Council.

A fifteen minute session of the City Council was held Monday evening. Most of the pending business was cleaned up at the special meeting last Wednesday so that there was but little to do. Councilman Cannon, Chase and Flaherty were absent.

The Mayor forwarded a petition of S. F. Copeland and C. H. Adams for the refund of one-half the cost of granolithic sidewalk on Brook street. To Finance Committee.

The Mayor forwarded the appointment of Alfred J. LaCroix as a constable. Confirmed.

A petition was received for a catch basin and drain on Highland avenue. To Committee on Sewers and Drains.

A number of petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

The Finance Committee reported a loan order for $4,640 to cover the following deficiency bills of 1905. Highways $2,759.03; Poor Department, $1,505.82; Fire Department, $373.98. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Licenses reported on a number of applications for minor licenses. Adopted.

Councilman Ferguson offered an order requesting the Mayor to confer with the Metropolitan Park Commission relatine to constructing a bridge over Furnace Brook at the end of Reardon street. Adopted.

Councilman Polk offered a loan order for $1,000 to perfect the order for Assessors plans for Ward Five. To Finance Committee.

The order granting the Citizens' Gas Light Co. permission to lay mains took its second reading.

Councilman Crane offered an amendment providing that company should upon the completion of the work under the order fill a plan with the city showing location of mains. Amendments adopted.

The rules were suspended and the order passed to be ordained.

Adjourned at 7.50 until May 21.

Almost Impossible Feat.

Quincy's "Howdidhe" is certainly up against a seemingly impossible proposition in accepting the one made by W. G. Shaw, and a tough one at that. It may be an easy matter for him to make his escape from a pair of handcuffs or from a wooden box, but it is an entirely different thing to be locked securely in a fire proof vault and make an escape. If he does it he must be a wizard, and his fame will be established.

Here is a vault built of brick and mortar, with steel doors. The vault in question is one made by the York Safe and Lock Co. The vault itself is a room six feet deep by ten feet long and ten feet high. There is not an opening of any kind, in it except the entrance door. There are two of these doors, both of steel. Between the inner and outer door there is a space of perhaps two feet.

Both of these doors are to be locked from the outside by disinterested persons. Before the doors are locked however both of the locks are to be sealed on the inside, and the agreement is that the seals are not to be broken and the locks are not to be tampered with.

Once the doors of the vault are closed the interior is as dark as Egypt. Howdidhe is allowed the privilege of having a pocket flash light. This is the only thing in the way of a tool that he is to have. In half an hour from the time he is locked inside he expects to be free.

Can he do it? Anyone who has looked at the vault, and seen how it is locked, will at once say that it is impossible. There is probably air enough in the vault to sustain life for five or six hours so that there will be no danger of his suffocating while making a try for liberty.

These things do not seem to phase the young man however and he is ready and willing to try. Asked how he will do it, and he replies that he depends largely upon his hearing. When it is understood that he is a little hard of hearing the reply makes one smile.

Mr. Shaw, feels confident that he has given the young man a hard nut to crack, and he certainly has. Howdidhe has looked at the vault and is willing to make the try and he feels just as confident that he can escape as Mr. Shaw does that he cannot.

Howdidhe says that he will allow Mr. Shaw to put his hat in the vault; lock the doors; then leave the store and lock the outer door. That he will enter the store from the outside, unlock the vault, take out the hat put it on the desk and make his escape from the building in an half hour's time and leave no marks behind to show how the trick is done.

If one little man can do these things what good are safes and vaults? However, the present proposition is to escape from the inside of the vault, and in a letter received from Howdidhe Mr. Shaw is informed that the wizard will attempt the task today Saturday. He does not promise, however, that he will tell how he does it. The only provision he makes is that the key of the lock of the inner door shall be hung on a hook in the office near the vault.

Mr. Shaw will not lock the vault himself, but will select two well known gentlemen who are familiar with safes to lock the doors.

W. H. Woll of Walker street received a letter from his brother Monday, which left San Francisco, May 3, at 5 P. M. and arrived in Boston, May 7, between 3 and 4 in the afternoon. The communication was from his brother's place of business in the unfortunate city, although former letters were from Oakland. Mr. Woll wrote cheerfully of the future of San Francisco and expressed high hopes of the present reconstruction.

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Bashore, H. B. Sanitation of a country house.	492 87
Black, Hugh. Friendship.	543 55
Brown, Alice. Paradise.	311 60
Buley, E. C. Australian life in town and country. [Our Asiatic neighbours.]	295 45
Butler, E. C. Our little Mexican cousin. [Little cousin series.]	j 142 24
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Clarence, the fourteen-year-old son of A. E. Grant of Brackett street, had the misfortune to fall from a tree on Saturday last, spraining his right wrist, and dislocating his shoulder.

Interesting Service.

Altho' the weather was threatening Sunday morning, yet a big audience gathered at the 10.45 service at the Quincy Point church. At the close of the sermon, the pastor, Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, stepped from the pulpit, in front of the communion-table and was met by the two deacons, Mr. Charles Sherburne and Mr. T. B. Pollard, with the deacon-elect, Mr. George A. Sidelinger, who was publicly inducted into the office of deacon. The pastor said in part, "The office of deacon is a position of trust. You have been duly elected by unanimous vote of the members of this church, to serve as deacon. Your office is not merely honorary; it is arduous. Your special work, is to advise with the pastor, serve as a member of the examining committee and as treasurer of the repair committee; and to assist at the communion table. Speaking from a personal point of view, I am pleased to see you accepting this office. I feel the need of such a counsellor and assistant as you. Speaking from the church's point of view, and in behalf of this church, I give to the right hand of official fellowship, inducting you into the office of deacon." Then the two senior deacons conducted deacon Sidelinger to his seat at the communion-table.

The following children were baptized, Norman G. Bouham, Gertrude Maud Annid D. Bouham. After the baptising of six adults, the following were received into church membership. Mr. James Alfred Melville, Miss Haden, Miss Auwelda Smith, Mrs Kelsey, Miss Larkin, Miss Esther Sidelinger, Miss Helen Sherburne, Miss Helen Lincoln, Mrs. Mary L. Lincoln, Miss Clara Bushnell, Mr. Roy Sidelinger, Mr. Albion Bonney.

The Point church has received into its fellowship, since Jan. 1906; 30 members and baptized 15 others, a total of 45. The morning service closed with the sacrament of Lord's Supper. The pastor was aided in the services of the day, by his father, the Rev. L. P. Atwood of South Weymouth.

May Build Warship.

The Washington correspondent of the Transcript says: "The Navy Department is much gratified with the results of the secrecy imposed upon shipbuilders and others who received the plans and specifications for the new battleships. Nothing appears to have been given away beyond the meagre general statistics furnished by the department as to the chief characteristics of those vessels. The bidding for the two ships will be confined to the Bath Iron Works, Fore River Shipbuilding Company, Cramp and Sons, New York Shipbuilding Company, Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company, Union Iron Works and Moran Brothers Company.

The Transcript says editorially:

"The matter of the relative advantages of building warships at navy yards, as compared with private constructions, will be well threshed out before Congress passes the naval appropriation bill. There seems to be a general opinion that, based on dollars, the advantage to the Government is decidedly with the private establishments. An item of the bill extends the limit of the cost of construction of the battleship Connecticut, now completed at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, $980,000. The best authorities hold that the Connecticut, when ready to go to sea, will have cost in construction from eight to fifteen per cent more than her sister ship, the Louisiana, built by contract at Newport News. The factors of greater cost are in the shorter hours of labor and higher wages of the Government yards.

"Navy-yard workmen toil but eight hours a day against ten hours in private establishments, and receive considerably larger pay. As a rule the Government's working year is more than twenty days shorter than that of private employers. Yet with all these drawbacks the Government has made a remarkable speed record in building the Connecticut, which was not laid down until two months after the Louisiana. There has been a race on between the two ships, the private builders being stirred to do their utmost to demonstrate that it is cheaper from every point of view for the Government to contract for all vessels than to construct them for itself.

In the determination of the question thus presented several considerations must be reckoned with. The experiment of Government construction has beyond question quickened the progress of ships under contract. Private builders, secure from competition, may not have taken their own time heretofore with warships, but it seems to be conceded that they have not hurried. As a rule our battleships have been two years beyond date of contract in their delivery. One vessel still awaiting commission was authorized six years ago. If we consider the value of a vessel's services to the nation as a factor determining the real cost of the two methods, the private shipyards have not in the recent past had much to brag of.

Turning to the experience of other naval powers, we find that they have adopted the policy of dividing their new construction between Government yards and private establishments, setting the one against the other in a race for completion of vessels. Of sixteen battleships and armoured cruisers Great Britain was building or completing at the close of April, eight were constructed in Government yards. In Germany the Government-built vessels at the same date were five out of seventeen; in France, eight out of seventeen; while of the nine on the Japanese building programme only two had been awarded to private establishments and these under contracts made before the war with Russia.

A Good Boat.

The palatial steamer Providence recently build by the Fore River Shipbuilding Company of Quincy is now "Queen of the Sound" with the best record ever made. A Newport dispatch to the Transcript under date of Monday says:

The steamer Providence of the Fall River and Providence line of the New England Navigation Company came into this port today with a new record for a Sound steamer between this city and New York. She made the trip in a little over eight hours, and the time made was considered remarkable in view of the fact that throughout the voyage she encountered strong head winds. The best previous time made by any Sound steamer between this city and New York was about nine hours, a record held by the passenger steamer Priscilla owned by the same company. The Providence, which is a new boat, is now "Queen of the sound."

The Providence went on the line Sunday morning in place of the Priscilla, which met with an accident and had returned to this port. The Providence sailed for New York at ten o'clock yesterday morning and started on the return trip from that city at nine o'clock last night. She tied up at her dock at 5.30 o'clock this morning.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following are the recent real estate transfers.

Edward F. Zerega to Louis Monto.
Alice M. Carr to John E. Poland.
Henry M. Faxon ex et al to City of Quincy, $3200.
Ernest D. Gourd to Wilson Marsh.
Willard Welsh to George H. Wilson et al ex (2).
George H. Wilson et al ex to Mary Curtin, $330.
Annie M. Hodges to Mary Curtin.
Martin Pearson to Carl O. Johnson.
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Santo Giglio to Annie Gacicia.
Charles C. Barton et al trs to Ellen McGivney.
Wilson Marsh to Fairvilla A. Branch.
Emma M. Gram to William Kingenhagen et al.
National Granite Bank to Eben C. Stanwood, $2559.
Edmund P. Kelly to Bartho Savage (2).
Grace G. Wood to Ella A. Higginson.
Manet Land Associates by trs to Fannie M. Fraser.
Hingham Institute for Savings to Minnie G Sprague.
Fred B. Rice to Fred B. Rice et al trs.
Abbie F. Baker to John F. Mills.
Ella A. Higginson to William V. West.
Nettie Shay to Frank W. Knowlton.
Henrietta Holbrook to Lillie E. Fraser et al.
Harlow H. Rogers to William J. Johnstone et al trs.
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Elizabeth A. Hunt to Lucy H. Stephenson.
Clifford S. Drake est to Ida M. Hodsdon certificate.
Thomas Swithin et al trs to Joseph A. Deady.

Household Receipts.

Clam Fritters. Make fritter batter, using clam juice for moisture. If raw, chop the hard part of clams fine, stir all into batter, adding more flour if needed. Drop by small spoonfuls into hot fat. Clams in the shell should be steamed and dressed, using only the very large, tender clams. Dip in batter, drain and fry.

Strawberry Sandwich. Cut large strawberries in slices. Strew with sifted sugar and put them between thin slices of French roll spread with fresh butter.

Date Patty Cakes. Mix a third of a cupful of soft butter with 1 1-3 cupfuls of brown sugar. When partly creamed break in two eggs and beat the mixture until very light. Then add half a cupful of milk. Add 1 3-4 cupfuls of sifted flour in which has been mixed two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Beat to a smooth batter, then stir in half a teaspoonful each of cinnamon and nutmeg. Add half a pound of dates which have had the stones removed, cut small, and mix with a little flour. Then beat hard for two or three minutes. Bake in small fancy patty pans, in a moderate oven. When cold cover with vanilla icing.

Bacon Roll Pudding. Boil a pound of fat bacon for half an hour and then cut it in thin slices. Make two pounds of flour into a stiff dough and roll it out thin, lay the slices of bacon over it and cover the top with slices of apple and onion. Roll up the paste, tie in a cloth and boil it for two hours in plenty of water.

Anecdotes.

"The password is Saxe," said the officer of the guard, as he sent off an Irish trooper with a message; don't forget the word."

"Sure I won't sir," was the reply. "Sacks—my father was a miller."

When he came to the sentinel and was challenged, the Irishman looked wise, and whispered,

"Bags you spalpeen; let me through!" —Harper's Round Table.

Was your friend Lavery arrested on that assault case you were telling me about?

He was.

How did he come out?

He isn't out yit; he has foive more years to sarve.

Mrs. Schoppen—"I want five pounds of sugar, please."

Grocer—"Yes'm; anything else?"

Mrs. Schoppen—"No that's all; I'll take it with me if it isn't too heavy a package."

Grocer—"Oh it will only weigh three or four pounds, ma'am."—Philadelphia Press.

Mrs. Asker—Have you called on Mrs. Galloway, lately?

Mrs. Shadmind—No: she's away at present.

Mrs. Asker—I am afraid you are mistaken, for the last news I had of her she was dangerously sick.

Mrs. Shadmind—Then she must have entirely recovered, for I heard her doctor say only yesterday, that she was in extremis.

Corporal—Why is the blade of the sabre curved instead of straight?

Private—It is curved in order to give more force to the blow.

Corporal—Humbug! The sabre is curved so as to fit the scabbard. If it was straight how would you get it into a crooked scabbard, blockhead?—Filegende Blatter.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

"The Stolen Story," with its absorbing plot and fine cast, made an instant impression at the Tremont and is another instance of Mr. Savage's sagacity and liberality as a producer. George Marion, his general stage director, also comes in for his usual praise. The play has a distinct novelty in the theme and brings a new element of life before the public. Never before have newspaper people and their surroundings been pictured as they are. The final scene, showing Bill Woods turning out his stolen story, is most vivid and has the tensity of William Gillette's ealier plays. This scene is carried through at a swift pace by Jameson Lee Finney and Edwin Holt, both admirable actors, and has as a background the confusion and bustle of a great newspaper office in the early morning. In the third act Miss Dorothy Tennant has her principal opportunity. It is here that the reporter-hero gets possession of the original draft of General Cunningham's park bill, which gives him the evidence of a huge political plot.

Boston Theatre.

Manager Lawrence McCarty's announcement in relation to the season's business at the Boston Theatre that he was reserving the best attractions for the last has borne ample fruit in a "Yankee Circus on Mars," the big New York Hippodrome spectacle, which last Monday afternoon entered upon its second week of its engagement at the noble old playhouse. Beyond doubt the Hippodrome show has caught the fancy of Boston playgoers, and the uniformly large and enthusiastic audiences that have greeted it have advertised its wonders far and near. Its success in Boston, as elsewhere, is largely due to its all embracing variety of entainment. In "A Yankee Circus on Mars" everything from circus to grand opera ballet is provided, and everything is done on a more generous and elaborate scale than ever before. The attendance at the daily matinees as well as the evening performances is uniformly large and the big show's popularity seems to be forever on the increase.

Empire Theatre.

For the second week of the new Empire stock company, beginning with Monday next, the management announce a production of the romantic play, by Leo Ditrichstein, "The Last Appeal" first produced about five years ago when it was a success. It has had but a single revival in this city since then and as it has many good dramatic opportunities its coming presentation at the Empire may be safely anticipated with pleasure. It is the story of the Crown Prince Waldemar, who falls in love with the daughter of a rich commoner. The affair comes to the ears of the King who accuses the father of the girl of abetting his daughter in what he believes is a snare to entrap the prince into a marriage with her. The plot is worked out with great skill and admits of many picturesque scenes and situations.

Castle Square Theatre.

The Castle Square patrons have been longing for a revival of "Jim the Penman." It is some years since they have seen this masterpiece of melodrama, and they know that its romantic story of the forger who passed himself as a respectable member of society is certain to be powerfully and thrillingly acted by the present Castle Square stock company. "Jim the Penman" is, indeed, one of the strongest and most interesting drama ever written. The cast will be especially arranged to bring out the fullest dramatic effects, the leading roles being the in hands of Howell Hansel and Lillian Kemble.

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Total Liabilities - - - -	308,943.29
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Gain in Surplus in 1904 - - -	7,408.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	102,053.42
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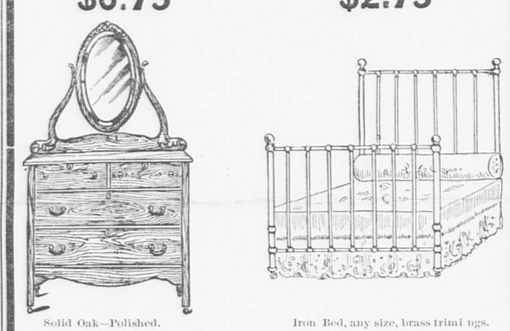
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Poetry.

The Dreams Ahead.

EDWIN CARLILE LITSEY

What would we do in this world of ours,
Were it not for the dreams ahead?
For thorns are mixed with the blooming flowers,
No matter which path we tread.

And each of us has his golden goal,
Stretching far into the years;
And ever he climbs with a hopeful soul,
With alternate smiles and tears.

That dream ahead is what holds him up
Through the storms of a ceaseless fight;
When his lips are pressed to the wormwood's cup,
And clouds shut out the light.

To some it's a dream of high estate,
To some it's a dream of wealth;
To some it's a dream of a truce with Fate,
In a constant search for health.

To some it's a dream of home and wife;
To some it's a crown above;
The dreams ahead are what makes each life—
The dreams—and faith—and love.

Miscellany.

Reconstruction of Sam.

Memories linger long in lonely places. On the remoter plantations of the South, the stirring events of the Civil War were still fresh subject of conversation long after they were all but forgotten in the cities. But when, with the destruction of the Maine, came the possibility of war with the Spaniard, they were relegated to a place of minor importance by the suddenly arising question. What ought the South to do should the controversy really end in blows? It was a question that many of the younger men promptly answered by declaring their intention to volunteer the moment opportunity should be offered them; but of the older ones, those who fought and lost in the cause of the Southern Confederacy, there were many irreconcilables who bitterly opposed any Southerner's taking part. "It aint ouah wah. Let th' Nawth do th' fightin'," they said.

Of the latter party, "Majah" Bullard was undoubtedly the leader in Parshall County. All day long he would sit in front of his office and argue the matter with any and all comers, invariably concluding with: "We agreed at Appomattox suh, tuh lay down ouah ahms an' quit fightin', an' I'm teetotally against takin' 'em up again, just 'cause th' Nawth needs us now." And upon one occasion he turned sharply to a silent listener, seated near his elbow, and added: "I'll bet a hoss 't you are with me on that, ain't you, Lit le Sam?"

Little Sam, an "infant" who stood six feet three in his stockings, blushed from the roots of his tow-colored hair down into his collar at being thus unexpectedly called upon by so great a man to express an opinion, and in his confusion stammered an answer that was only half articulate.

"Yes, suh, that's bound tuh be yo' way o' thinkin'," the major went on, bringing his cane down on the floor with a thump; "yo' daddy died in my ahms, suh; I caught him when he fell, up thah 'mong th' rocks an' Yankee guns at Gettysburg. He was as brave a soldier as ever lived, an' a gentleman, an' so I know 't no son o' his can evah put on th' unifohm o' th' man that killed him. Aint that right, suh?"

But little Sam made no answer; he had quietly risen and was walking away, a look of trouble on his face.

He had never seen his father, for his mother had been a widow three months when he was born, but at his home, hanging beneath a shot-torn battle-flag of the Confederacy, was the picture of a man in gray, a man with curling brown hair and fearless blue eyes, that told him what manner of man that father had been. And from his boyhood up it had been the dream, the hope of his life, that some day the gray would again be matched against the blue, so that he might avenge his death. Growing up shy and imaginative as a girl, almost daily had he gazed at his father's face and pictured in his fancy long lines of gray-coated men of whom he would be one, stirring bugle calls, and the bands playing "Dixie," the wild "rebel" yell, and a fierce charge, before which wavering lines of blue would break, scatter, and disappear. Always it was Northerner against Southerner. Now, however, a foreigner had entered the lists, insolently throwing down the gauntlet to America, and he resented it as insult to the South as well as to the North, and, his bosom swelling with pride at thought of the mighty power of the two sections united, a strange sensation of friendliness for his countrymen in the North found lodgment in his heart. And this feeling daily grew stronger, until he could no longer fancy himself aiming his rifle at Northern foemen; instead, he would fight shoulder to shoulder with them against a common enemy. But now Major Bullard's words had given a rude shock to the pretty picture; they brought home to him that every soldier of the Union must wear the Union blue.

And could he bring himself to put on the uniform of the man who had killed his father, he asked himself as he walked away. Though a man in years and stature, he was, nevertheless, a boy in heart and mind, and so he pondered the matter for days and weeks without reaching an answer

Finally, he took into his confidence "Big" Sam, a cousin somewhat smaller than himself, but whose ten years seniority caused him to be distinguished as large.

"Haw! haw! haw!" the latter laughed in good-natured ridicule; "so that's what's been makin' you look so hang-dog fuh a month past, is it? I thought it was all 'cause somebody cut you out o' yo' sweetheaht, I'll be jumped if I didn't. Now look a-heah, Budd," he went on, seriously, "if you want tuh go, don't you let any such stuff as that stand in yo' way. That ol' wah was fought out long time ago, an' it won't evah be fought again. Why? 'Cause the's nothin' tuh fight about. We-all in th' South don't want th' niggahs slaves again, do we? Naw, wouldn't be bothered with 'em. An' th' Nawth's not pesterin' us any, so we don't want tuh go out o' th' Union. An' don't you worry about wearin' th' uniform o' th' man t' killed Uncle Jim; 't was done in faiah fight, an' aftah Uncle Jim'd left his mahk on mo'n one Yank, I'll be'. An' don't you pay attention tuh what these ol' fogies say; fine ol' men an' all that, but they stopped th' clock when Lee surrendahed. Th' Spaniahds need a lickin' th' worst kind, an'. I'm glad all ovah 't Uncle Sam's big enough tuh give it tuh 'em."

Little Sam had always looked up, or rather down, to his cousin with a great deal of respect, and, thus encouraged, he was one of the first to enlist when the call for volunteers came, and journeyed to the nearest city for the purpose.

Immediately afterward he was permitted to go home to arrange his affairs, and while there happened to meet Major Bullard. The veteran regarded him in stern, disapproving silence a few moments, and finally said, harshly: "So you've gone 'an enlisted, have you?—gone back on yo' father an' his people? Well, suh, all I've got tuh say is, I hope you'll live tuh have th' son o' th' man 't killed yo' father make you black his boots. I do, suh; by Ned, I do." And with a savage flourish of his cane, he contemptuously turned his back and walked away.

This set Little Sam to troubling again. Then came the ordeal of putting on his uniform, but it was made far less trying by the news that Fitzhugh Lee, a general of the Confederacy, and nephew of "the well beloved" Robert E., had set him the example by accepting a commission as general in the army of the United States. And when he finally got it on and surveyed himself in a glass, the wonderful misfit the government had furnished him made him laugh outright, and it all came easier for him after that.

Among those who had enlisted from the city was Tom Owens, a man of about Sam's age and size; and being assigned to Sam's company, he was placed next to him in the ranks, and so the two quickly became friends. This, too, was fortunate for Sam, for Tom was his opposite in nearly every respect; well versed in the ways of the world, his mental powers sharpened by contact with other men, and ready to turn everything into a joke, he was just the one to keep Sam from thinking about himself.

Their regiment was one of those sent to the Philippines to enable Dewey to hold what he had taken, and, during the tiresome voyage across to the islands, Sam was necessarily thrown largely upon himself for mental occupation, and so Major Bullard's parting reproach came back to his mind to sting him again and again. He was the most miserable man aboard the transport when their destination was at last reached, and even the healthful exercise and excitement of fighting and chasing insurrectos, which began immediately, failed to drive from his mind the cloud of morbid gloom that had settled down over it. Hours and hours he spent, silently torturing his brain with regret for having enlisted, and then came unconsciously to thinking out loud.

"Oh, if I'd only listened tuh Majah Bullard," he groaned, "I wouldn't ha' done it."

Tom Owens, lying wrapped in his blankets on the ground at his side, raised his head. "W uldn't ha' done what?" he asked.

Sam's face flushed hot. "Oh, I was just thinkin'," he stammered.

"But thinkin' what?" Tom persisted; "who's Majar Bullard, anyhow? And what is it you wou'dn't ha' done if you'd ha' listened to him?"

"Wouldn't have enlisted," Sam blurted out, no longer able to contain his trouble.

"Wouldn't have enlisted!" Tom ejaculated; "why, what in thunder's th' matter with you? Gettin' cold feet? Naw, I won't believe that. But what is it?"

"No, it's not cold fe t," Sam said; "I—well, I oughtn't tuh be wearin' th' uniform—that's all."

"Why oughtn't you?" Tom returned, in surprise.

"Because—can't you understand?—because my father was killed at Gettysburg by a man wearin' th' blue, an'—an' I feel like it's strangling me all th' time," poured brokenly from Sam's lips.

Tom threw back his blanket and sat up in amazement. "Why, old man, I didn't know anybody could feel that way about it — an American, I mean," he said, gently; "but then, my dad wore th' blue in that little scrimmage."

"What's that?" Sam asked, sharply; "aint you a Tennessean? What you doin' in a Tennessee regiment, then?"

"Oh, I just happened to be down South when th' call came, an' it didn't make any difference to me what regiment I went in," Tom answered.

"An' yo' father was at Gettysburg, an' in th' Yank—the Nawthun ahmy?" Sam went on; "did he kill anybody that day, I wondah?"

"I've heard him say 't he did," Tom answered, thoughtlessly.

"Officer or private?" Sam demanded, in excited tones.

"B'lieve 't was an officer, a captain," Tom said, with hesitation; "he had to do it, you know, or th' other'd ha' killed him," he added, apologetically. "As 't was, a major shot him th' next minute an' put him out o' the army for good."

Sam's teeth clicked together, and a chill swept over him. His father had met death in just such an encounter, Major Ballard catching him as he fell and emptying his pistol at the artillery-man that fired the shot. And Tom was the son of that man! Forgetful, of all else, with the blood flowing in a furious torrent to his brain, he sprang to his feet, rifle in hand, and the weapon's muzzle swept down in line with Tom's head. Then he recovered himself, and the rifle went clattering to the ground. He was trembling all over, and his face shone ghastly white in the moonlight.

"My God, I'm glad I didn't do it," he quavered, impulsively, holding his hand toward Tom, but as quickly withdrawing it. "I wouldn't ha' done it for the world," he went on, piteously; "but I can't have anything more to do with you. I've got to weah th' unifohm, I reckon, but I can't be friends with you. I can keep my hands off, but that's all."

With quick movement he stopped and gathered up his rifle and blankets, and went walking somewhat uncertainly away.

"Well, I'll be shot!" Tom ejaculated, staring blankly at his retreating form. Then he hurried to his feet and went running after him.

"Why, old man, it ain't one chance in a thousand 't he did it," he cried, offering Sam his hand; "an' even if he did, it was war an' a fair fight. Don't let that come between us, Sammy; we can't help what they did."

But Sam would not take his hand, would not even answer him. Quickening his pace, he went striding away, and was lost to Tom's sight in the darkness. Meeting an officer he was peremptorily ordered to lie down and go to sleep. He obeyed the one, but not the other injunction; sleep he could not. All the rest of the night he lay with wide open eyes, listening to the deep breathing of his comrades and the sounds coming occasionally from the Filipino camp, and thinking, thinking, thinking.

From the present, his thoughts gradually drifted back to the past, to the old plantation, and his mother long dead, and to the faces of his boyhood friends. Then still farther back he went, back beyond things of his own recollection, to his father in the flesh, and the fierce battles of the Civil War. And, finally, just as the first flush of day was appearing in the east, he fell asleep to dream a dream of charging lines of men in gray, bands playing "Dixie," and himself firing shot after shot at the son of the man that killed his father.

The bugles of his regiment sounding reveille waked him, and a sob of disappointment escaped his lips as his dream vanished and men in blue instead of gray met his eyes; for a few moments he could hardly convince himself that it was a dream, so seemingly real, so vivid, so pleasing to his bleeding spirit had it been. But he was given no time in which to brood over his disappointment; breakfast was scarcely eaten when the Filipinos announced their presence in force by a storm of bullets that sent the men to cover behind a slight embankment, where they were joined by a sergeant.

"Reckon we-all are goin' tuh go up against it tuhday, boys," he cried, throwing himself face downward on the muddy ground; "I heah 't th' Ol' Man's goin' tuh send us intuh them cane-brakes tuh roust out th' niggahs, pooty soon. I say, Little Sam," he ran on in the next breath, "I'd sholy hate tuh be as big as you; why, baby, you'll stop two bullets tuh my one, any day." And he pinched slyly at the ankle of a man lying in front of him.

But Sam silently drew his foot away. He was in no humor for jesting; his heart was heavy with disappointment and hate; disappointment that his glorious dream had proved unreal, and a queer hatred that vanished instantly whenever for a moment his thought was not concentrated upon it, but a hatred, nevertheless, that boded no good for the comrade lying almost at his side. Presently the bugles sounded "Attention!" and with a bound the regiment was on its feet. Just then a band back at headquarters struck up, and instantly every man began cheering wildly—all but Sam. He stood silent, quivering from head to foot, his head back, his eyes flashing, his nostrils distended. It was "Dixie" that the band was playing.

With his mind, his every sense intoxicated by the sweet notes of the air to which his father had marched to death, he was seeing a vision, living his dream of charging lines of gray. Deaf to all but the band, he did not hear the bugle calls and quick-following commands of his officers, but with the instinct of the soldier stepped out as the men at his sides moved forward. Looking to neither right nor left, he strode on; and then, as the regiment surged ahead at the run, "Whoop-ee," the rebel yell, came ringing from his lips, and running his best, he led the way to where the Filipino flag hung limply in the still hot air.

The greater number of the Filipinos bolted before the Americans came within striking distance, but some of them were from the far interior of the island, savage bolo-men, who had not yet tasted the mettle of their enemies, and these stood their ground. With a wild yell the Americans poured into the first trench, and on the instant Sam and those near him found themselves engaged in a fierce hand-to-hand conflict with the bolo-men. A long brown arm shot out at Sam, and a gleaming blade came whistling down at his head, but he deflected the blow with the barrel of his rifle, receiving a wound in the arm, and a quick lunge sent his bayonet into the other's breast. It was action quick and sharp. Close at hand an American was battling single-handed with a circle of foes, and he sprang to his assistance.

Thrusting, parrying, clubbing with the butt of his rifle, the other man turned his face just then, and Sam saw that it was the face of the son of the man that killed his father—the face of Tom Owens. With the thought that he had only to keep his hands off to see his father's death avenged darting into his brain, he stopped, but the next moment the sight of half a dozen bolos uplifted to strike, drove all the hatred from his heart, letting in instead the love and kindly feeling that had preceded it. His arms shot out, catching the descending blades on his rifle, and then, before another blow could be struck on either side, a volley at short range from a body of their comrades ended the fight.

Tom's rifle slipped from his bleeding fingers, and he turned to Sam. "Did you know it was me, old man?" he asked, with a catch in his voice.

For answer Sam held out his hand, and the blood streaming from it mingled with that from Tom's.—The Argonaut.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of The Kind You Have Always Bought

Chas. H. Fletcher

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, May 12, 1906.

One of the unlooked for results of the Railroad rate bill that will soon pass the Senate is the decline of power of Senator Aldrich, the Corporation representative in the Senate. The Senator from Rhode Island has long been leader of his party in the Senate and his influence in that capacity has been practically unlimited. In the Rate bill though he appears to have met his Waterloo and it is doubtful if he ever regains the strength he has lost by that measure. No other Senator has worked so hard for the defeat of the bill or been so active in efforts to nullify the effect of any legislation on that subject that might be enacted. He met his first defeat though in the committee that had charge of the bill. In order to delay and possibly strangle the measure he fought to have it made over in the committee but he was opposed by both Republican and Democrats as is well known the bill was reported to the Senate without amendments. His next tactics were to prolong discussion of the bill, to indefinitely delay action and to so confuse the issue that a vote could not be reached this session. Forced at last to submit to the naming of a date for the vote he organized his forces for a fight on the amendments and in this he was defeated at every point. He has fought persistently the Lodge proposal to place Interstate pipe lines under the Interstate Commerce Commission by making them common carriers and the greatest of all his campaigns has been against the Elkins amendment to prevent railroads from producing coal or other commodities which they ship in competition with other producers. When he found this last measure could not be defeated openly he essayed to kill it by having it referred back to the Committee that it might be reported as new bill. In all of these and in his opposition to the anti-pass provision he has met unequivocal defeat and it is predicted that the passage of the bill will prove an end of his great power in the Senate. The rate bill has in fact been the cause of some startling changes in the Senate. Senator Gorman who has been the leader of the Democrats up to this winter has been ill and the leadership has passed to Senator Bailey who has more than proved his right to the position. Senator Gorman who is above all things the friend of the corporations has not passed on these preferences to Senator Bailey and the party under him will fight for far different ideals. Senator Allison whose name is used in connection with the compromise amendment which he repudiates has also been absent from the Senate all winter on account of illness and it is not likely that he will ever be restored to the power which he has previously held in the party. With Senator Aldrich also dethroned the leadership must fall into new hands and there is much speculation as to the reorganization of both parties. Without doubt there will be many changes and the introduction of new blood means the passing away of old time methods and the introduction of newer, and it may reasonably be predicted, better ideals and attitudes.

The sentiment in the House in regard to the rate bill is practically unanimous in favor of its passage and even the drastic amendment of Senator Elkins adopted in the Senate that coal carrying roads shall not be permitted to own and operate coal mines will not be opposed in the House. It is probable that no objections will be made to the judicial review amendment accepted by the President and the Senators and there is every reason to predict that the bill will pass the House with a rush and be signed by the President within the month. The discussion and the paramount importance of the regulation of rates has for a time eclipsed all other issues but there are several weighty matters which Congress this session should consider. Once the rate bill is out of the way the Senate will take up the statehood bill again. It is rumored that strenuous efforts will be made to have the bill carried over to the short session but if this is prevented it is probable that some sort of a compromise will be agreed upon.

But there are other questions before Congress which if brought to a vote this session would find that body in session well into next winter. There is the Philippine tariff for instance, which at the beginning of the session was called a "vital issue" and which is by now practically ignored. There is the denatured alcohol bill which the House passed by a large majority and which the Standard Oil Trust and the wood alcohol industry are making such a vigorous effort to have defeated. Tariff and Reciprocity have been put to sleep before the time but the question of regulating the currency is as insistent as ever. There are the Chinese exclusion laws, which must be modified if we are to be spared a cruel and unjust war later on, and if we are to have our share of trade with that country. There are the harbors of Hawaii to be provided for and forts for their defense if we are to persist in the Chinese exclusion laws, Hawaii, Alaska and Porto Rico are clamoring for, rights and privileges of our citizens if they are to be amenable to our laws. Immigration and the Merchant marine are other subjects for debate and legislation and a dozen other subjects of scarcely less importance are demanding attention at this time when Congress is standing with watch in hand impatient for nothing but the day for adjournment.

The ever present question in courts of social precedence has broken out in a malignant form in Washington. For years the Supreme Court and the Diplomatic corps have struggled and debated the problem of which should have preference in the White House and once the Speaker of the House homely Uncle Joe, because unmanageable when some one tried to precede him to the President but all of these squabbles sink into insignificance in the presence of the one which now threatens to disrupt the social organization. A week or so ago the Baroness Hengelmuller wife of the Austrian Ambassador announced that she would be patroness for a culinary exhibition to be given for the benefit of the San Francisco sufferers, but which was in reality an exposition of the sufferings that the society chefs inflict upon their patrons. The chef of the Austrian Embassy was the real instigator of the exhibition and it soon developed that he had not kow towed to the Dean of the Embassy chef corps. Several chefs in Washington have been in the service longer than he and the insolence of one of his standing thus bringing himself into prominence was not to be tolerated by the others and has resulted in the passing of resolutions and the formation of societies all looking toward the recall and ignominious disgrace of the Austrian chef. The affair, it should be said was, so far as cooking was concerned, a distinct triumph. Adams.

What the Doctor Did.

"You'd better ask the doctor for his bill next time he comes," said a poor, sick minister to his wife. "I don't know when we can pay it, I'm sure. He's made a good many visits, but I hope he won't have to come many times more."

The old doctor was a grim looking person, who said as little as possible, and spoke in the gruffest of tones; but he had kept his eyes open, and was not half as unfeeling as he appeared.

At his next visit the minister's wife followed him out of the sick room and timidly preferred her request.

"Your bill?" said the doctor, glancing round the kitchen, then down at his boots.

"Yes, sir," said the woman. "Mr. Ames wanted me to ask you for it, though we can't pay it just now. We'll pay it as soon as—"

"Well, here it is," said the doctor. And he took out his pocket-book and handed the astonished woman a ten-dollar greenback, and was out-of-doors before she could say "thank you."

Made a Mistake.

A boatman on the Mississippi river tells the following: A poor chap was going down the river in a dug-out, and had been informed of a certain locality called Rich's Bend, which was eighteen miles around, and in one place about one hundred yards across. He was advised to land at the narrow point and drag over his croft, but he passed the spot going down without observing it, and paddling on eighteen miles around, he struck it on the other side. Landing at once he dragged his boat across, and went gliding along down, with a light heart till he came along within a few paces of the spot where he dragged across before. Thinking it was a new cut-off, he went ashore and tugged his boat over again. When he got back to the river a second time he sauntered around a little to stretch himself, and soon discovered an old newspaper, out of which he had taken his breakfast that morning. It was now about sundown, and he had paddled thirty-six miles without any flattering progress; he scuttled his dug-out with a hatchet, built a camp and waited till the next day for a steamboat.

A Bad Break.

During the annual convention of a certain religious body, not so very long ago, an incident occurred which was not on the programme and which completely upset the gravity of the ministers and brethren assembled. It was at the closing session, and the chairman stated that they were about one hundred dollars short of an amount desired to be raised for a given purpose, and hoped that the sum could be made up before the final adjournment. One of the laymen jumped up with the remark,—

"I'll start the good work with twenty-five dollars."

"I don't know your name, brother," said the chairman, "but may God bless you, and may your business be doubled during the year."

Much to his astonishment, a burst of laughter followed from many in the hall, which was explained when a brother up in front stepped to the platform and whispered,—

"Why, that's Mr. Blank, a prominent undertaker of the town."—Lippincott's.

The Japanese Way.

Feeling drowsy in a public conveyance and not being able to lie down, a Japanese woman will lift her long sleeve before her face ere she begins to nod. This use of the left sleeve is either fortuitous or instinctive, probably instinctive, as the right hand serves best to cling to strap or seat in case of shock. The spectacle is at once pretty and funny, but especially pretty, as exemplifying that grace with which a refined Japanese woman does everything, always in the daintiest and least selfish way possible. It is pathetic, too, for the attitude is also that of sorrow and sometimes of weary prayer, all because of the trained sense of duty to show only one's happiest face to the world.

Nature no Sabbatarian.

The Rev. David Macrae has brought together in a most interesting little volume, entitled "Quaint Sayings of Children," a number of stories many of them old, but nearly all of them good. There is one, evidently told in print for the first time, of a little girl in Aberdeen who brought a basket of strawberries to the minister very early on Monday morning. "Thank you, my little girl," he said; they are very beautiful. But I hope you did not gather them yesterday, which was the Sabbath day." "No, sir," replied the child, "I pulled them this morning. But they was growing all yesterday.

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What the People Admire.

At the Washington Street Congregational church, Quincy Point, the young men have recently conducted a series of Sunday evening services, at which the pastor, Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, has spoken from the topic "Young Men and the Times." A corresponding course is now being conducted by the young ladies of the church. The general topic is, "Qualities people admire." The special topics are as follows:—

May 20, "Qualities in young women, young men admire."

May 27, "Qualities in young men, young women admire."

June 3, Address by Rev. Geo. A. Hood of Boston.

June 10, "Qualities in children, parents admire."

June 17, "Father; the head of the family."

June 24, "Mother; the heart of the family."

The young ladies have selected the following committees:

On announcement, —Miss Beatrice Adams.

On plants and decorations, —Miss Hayden, Miss Phillips and Miss Thomas.

On ushering, Miss Foster, Miss Grace Lapham, Miss Walker and Miss Crane.

On music, Miss A. Smith, Miss Perry, Miss Scholar and Miss Barnes.

Y. M. C. A. Sunday.

The Quincy Young Men's Christian Association will continue their anniversary exercises on Sunday, the 20th, in fourteen different churches, at the morning service. Four of the pastors will present the work in their own churches; in the others, leading association secretaries and business men will make addresses upon the movement in general.

Following is the list of churches and speakers.

Bethany Congregational,—R. C. Goodwin, member of the State Executive Committee, Boston.

Point Congregational,—C. A. Coburn field secretary of State Committee, Boston.

Wollaston Congregational, — D. L. Rogers; general secretary,—Lynn Y. M. C. A.

Atlantic Congregational, — C. A. Green; general secretary,—Abington Y. M. C. A.

Park and Downs Congregational,—H. A. Maxwell, general secretary Everett, Y. M. C. A.

Wollaston Baptist,—G. L. Richards, business man of Boston.

Calvary Baptist, (evening)—Ernest G. Gay, general secretary Quincy association.

Water St. Presbyterian, —Andrew Case, business man of Lynn.

United Presbyterian, — George E. Payne, boys work director of Brockton Y. M. C. A.

Christ Episcopal, — Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector.

St. Chrysostom's,—Rev. A. E. Clattenburg, rector.

Wollaston Methodist,—S. B. Carter, ex-president Congregational Club, of Boston.

Atlantic M. E.,—Rev. M. Collyer, pastor.

West Quincy, M. E.,—Raymond W. Noon, boys' work director of Quincy association.

Anniversary Week.

Next week is "Anniversary Week," when the Unitarians hold special services in Boston, throughout the week, opening Monday, at nine o'clock, with morning prayer at King's chapel. There will be services every day. Among the speakers will be Prof. F. C. Doan of Meadville, Pa., Rev. H. E. Gilchrist of Sidney, N. Y., Rev. Merle St. Clair Wright of New York, Rev. William M. Brundage of New York, Rev. W. G. B. Pierce of Washington, Rev. F. V. Hawley of Chicago, Rev. John C. Perkins of Portland, Maine. There will also be Alliance meetings presided over by Miss Emma Low; annual meetings of the Sunday school society, and of the Unitarian Historical society; annual meeting and luncheon of Meadville Alumni association; annual meeting of Young People's Religious Union; annual meeting of Unitarian Temperance society; meeting of Children's Mission to the Children of the Destitute, besides a reception at hotel Somerset, where Gov. and Mrs. Guild and President and Mrs. Charles W. Eliot will receive. The week ends Friday with the festival and anniversary dinner at six o'clock at Tremont Temple.

Festival at Quincy Point.

The annual May Festival of the Quincy Point church opened Wednesday. The vestry was tastefully decorated, as were the following tables.

Fancy table,—Mrs. C. W. Newcomb, Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Eaton.

Apron table,—Mrs. S. P. Hayden, Mrs. Sherburn, Mrs. Damon, Mrs. George A. Sidelinger and Mrs. Higgins.

Candy table,—Mrs. George Bailey, Miss Foster, Miss Bonney and Miss Barnes.

Flower table,—Mrs. Pollard and Mrs. R. H. Newcomb.

Cake table,—Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Chubbuck.

Punch table,—Miss Etta Lapham.

Children's corner,—Mrs. Walker Hayden.

A salad supper was served at 6.30 o'clock. On the menu were chicken, potato, egg and lobster salads, rolls, coffee and pie. It is unnecessary to add that all were excellent.

The entertainment consisted of vocal selections by Mrs. Page, accompanied by Miss Sara Kelly, pianist, and a farce entitled "Sunbonnets" presented by the following members of the Ladies' Aid society.

Mrs. Butterfield,	Mrs. Holman
Carlina,	Miss Smith
Mrs. Dublus,	Mrs. Selleck
Mildred,	Miss Johnson
Miss Tryphena Sanford,	Mrs. Pollard
Mrs. Phoelan	Mrs. R. H. Newcomb
Mrs. Martin	Mrs. Bailey
Mrs. Tibbits	Mrs. Adams
Mrs. Pendleton,	Mrs. Mueller
Miss Malvina Spinney,	Miss Etta Lapham
Mrs. Crannon	Mrs. C. W. Newcomb

Street Railway Conference.

The delegates from the different unions in the Old Colony and Boston and Northern systems met President Sullivan in conference Thursday afternoon. Besides the delegates and President Sullivan, Vice President Goff and General Manager Reynolds were present.

The conference was a very harmonious one and lasted from 2 o'clock until 3.30. An adjournment was then taken until Friday, at 2 o'clock, when it was continued.

It is believed that this conference will result in a peaceful settlement of the differences.

—Governor Guild signed on Thursday the 12 o'clock bill for Boston. It provides that hotels of the first class may be licensed to sell intoxicating liquors till 12 o'clock midnight on week days in Boston, one license to be issued to each 20,000 of the population. It has the referendum for the next city election attached.

CITY BRIEFS.

Adams street near the Adams Academy is being resurfaced.

A patent has been issued to Hugo E. Grieshaber of this city.

"A friend" added $25 Wednesday to the Quincy fund for California.

Quincy has several candidates in the new voting contest of the Herald.

The coal team drivers have asked for a new scale of wages.

Miss Abbie Barnes of Dorchester was the guest of relatives and friends in this city, Tuesday.

Alfred W. Bennett has purchased four shore lots of George A. Smith at Adams shore.

The Citizens Gas Light Co. expect to commence work in a few days laying mains.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Lyons of 68 Washington street welcomed a little daughter Thursday.

George L. Gill Rebekah lodge have donated $10 to the San Francisco sufferers.

The Committee on Streets of the City Council go on a view about the city today.

With gasoline at twenty cents per gallon, an increase of six cents over last year, gas stoves should be in demand.

F. Everett Winslow of Brockton has launched a new yacht this week and will sail under the colors of the Quincy yacht club.

The Y. M. C. A. received the past year from rental of dormitories the sum of $1,944.27, almost as large as from membership fees.

Everett Crane's house on Presidents hill is begining to show its shape and lines and is to have an outside chimney. It will command a fine outlook.

Lewis N. Curtis has this week finished painting the house of Mrs. Lois K. Wales on Coddington street and the result is most artistic and pleasing.

The cellar for the new residence of Hon. Russell A. Sears on Cranch Hill is rapidly nearing completion. This will be one of the fine places of Quincy.

The brick layers are rushing work now on the High school addition. This is the kind of work that shows and the daily progress is very noticable.

Rev. E. C. Butler, Charles H. Johnson and Emery L. Crane are the delegates from Quincy to the Unitarian anniversary meetings next week.

One of the trees in front of the Woodward Institute was nearly ruined Wednesday night, by having a large limb torn off.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corning who went to California shortly after their marriage, were in Quincy this week. Mrs. Corning was formerly Miss Minnie Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Davis and baby daughter of Somerville, are spending a week with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardwick of Spear street.

There was a very large crowd present Monday afternoon at the Kirtland furniture auction by Auctioneer Johnson. Good prices were obtained for the furniture.

The people of the old North church in Weymouth are very sorry to hear that Rev. Edward Norton, who has acted as pastor there for some time, is soon to leave them.

The High school dramatics, like the recent concert and everything the school undertakes, will be a success. Two plays will be presented by pupils this evening at High school hall.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Richards of Presidents hill have been called to Zanesville, Ohio, by a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Richard's father, George W. Griffee.

Miss Jessie Pratt of Coddington street was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening by a number of her friends and classmates, the occasion being her sixteenth birthday.

Mrs. William B. Rice is giving a luncheon at her home on Adams street on Thursday, May twenty fourth, in honor of her daughters, Mrs. Harry L. Rice and Mrs. Homer Lane Bigelow.

"Tim" DeCoste, the City Hall Howdidhe, gave another exhibition of his skill in escaping from the inside of a vault on Tuesday afternoon and was equally as successful as at his first try in the morning.

B. J. Weeks, formerly superintendent of the street railway in this city, has resigned his position at Spokane, Wash., and is returning to Tacoma as general manager of the Pacific Traction company.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Curtis of Washington, D. C., are the guest of their daughter, Mrs. Arnold of Elm street, for a few days. Then go to their summer cottage at Bay View, Marshfield for the summer.

That row of poplars along the railroad embankment next to Sheppard's coal office is in good condition this spring and gives promise of rapid growth. The leaving out of the trees gives pleasure to all beauty lovers.

In the Norfolk Superior court at Dedham May 11th Benedict Benson of Quincy secured a vedict of $984.77 against Frank E. Hall, and Gustave B. Bates obtained a verdict of $20 against Robert B. Smith.

Thorpe Babcock, Yale '07 rowed in the winning boat on Lake Whitney last Saturday when the annual university regatta took place. The crew to which he belongs was obliged to row two races of a mile each the final race being for the class numerables.

Paul R. Blackmur, Esq., has just purchased a large tract of 50,000 feet of land on Presidents Hill. Mr. Blackmar intends to erect a fine residence at once and to surround the same with fine venetian gardens. The sale was negotiated by Herman E. McIntire.

Mrs. Louis Bush Bradfoad, nee Underwood, of Newport News, Virginia, is coming to Quincy next week for a few weeks' visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Underwood. Mr. Bradford comes north as far as New York on business and will come to Quincy later to return with Mrs. Bradford.

Carle Reed Hayward of this city, who has served two years as instructor in physics and chemistry in the Bellows Free Academy, Fairfax, Vt., has just accepted a position as instructor of metallurgy in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Mr. Hayward is a son of P. F. Hayward of the Consolidated and was graduated from Quincy High school in the class of 1900 and from M. I. T. in 1904.

The Makaria fraternity held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening and entertained the Galahad brotherhood of Christ church. There was a special and interesting entertainment by Stanton King of the Sailors' Bethel of Charlestown. In addition to this there were songs by Mrs. Talbot, and solos by Miss Parker, the whistling soloists. Ice cream and cake were served and a general good time enjoyed.

It was a summer Sunday.

George W. Jones has opened a shoe polishing department.

The flag staff at the Woodward Institute is being newly painted.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co. sell the standard Eddy refrigerators.

A large new safe has been put in the office of the Granite Cutters union.

Open cars were in general use on all lines of the street railway on Sunday.

The work of the Young Men's Christian Association will be presented in the churches on Sunday morning.

The temperature took a drop of 18 degrees between Sunday noon and midnight.

Commissioner Burke is making some needed repairs on Hancock street, near the Dargin-Merrill block.

Percy E. Taber of Baxter street has gone on a six weeks' business trip to New London, N. H.

As usual, reliable summer goods can be obtained at Miss Hubbard's City Square store.

A working train was in Quincy all day Sunday making repairs to the tracks near the Granite street bridge.

Mrs. John E. Lennon and children of Marlboro have been the guest of Mrs. Gibson, Granite street the past week.

Mrs. Malcolm Rich (nee Rhines) and son of Gloucester are visiting for a few weeks her relatives on Miller Stile road.

The warmest days last year came in July, but there were only eight 90 degree days in 1905, the highest being 95.

"Per Telephone" and "Tommy's Wife" are to be presented by the Class of 1906 of the High school this evening.

Commissioner Burke is doing a good job on the west side of Hancock street between the Adams academy and Saville street.

There are some lively browntails in the woods between Woodward avenue, Coddington, Valley and Greenleaf streets.

Rev. W. W. Dornan of Plymouth came to Quincy on Saturday especially to witness the feat of his son, better known as "Howdidhe."

The Boston papers say the feat accomplished by Charles E. Dornan was something Houdini did not attempt while in that city.

John Conway, assistant general superintendent of the Old Colony street railway, has purchased a house in Braintree, and will shortly move to that town.

George I. Aldrich of Brookline, formerly superintendent of schools in Quincy, was on Wednesday reappointed a member of the State Board of Education by Governor Guild.

Cards have been received announcing that the marriage of Miss Alice Bacon, only daughter of Mrs. Eugene N. Hultman, and Louis Eckert of New York, will take place on Wednesday evening, June 6, at 219 Washington street.

The sale which the young girls are giving for the benefit of the Floating Hospital this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Z. S. Arnold, Coddington street, will be from two to six and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. William A. Field has moved from Holbrook to 17 Grant street, this city and will be welcomed by many old friends and acquaintances. She having been away from this city several years.

The first 80 degree temperature of 1906 came on May 13 this year. In 1905 it came on May 6 and in 1904 on May 4. In four years out of the last ten it has come in April, the earliest date being April 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett C. Bumpus of Presidents hill have this week issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Christine Louise to Mr. Eliot Wickham Remick of Boston, on Saturday, June the second, at three-thirty at Christ church.

Miss Matilda Koch, of Zanesville, Ohio, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Adrian of Upland road. Miss Koch will spend the summer in Quincy, and anticipates an enjoyable time during her sojourn in the City of Presidents.

T. L. Williams and C. F. Pettengill were among those present at the twelfth meeting of the New England Association of Opticians at the American house, Boston, on Wednesday. In the evening the members and friends attended the theatre.

Mr. Gurney, director of the old-time singing school recently held in the Unitarian chapel, died suddenly Wednesday morning at his home in Milton. Funeral services were held Friday at 11 o'clock from his late home on Brook Hill road.

The civil term of the superior court at Dedham, adjourned Thursday morning, until Monday that Judge Maynard of Springfield, who was on the bench might return to his family where sickness was present.

Dr. and Mrs. B. U. Richards and son of Pawtucket, R. I., accompanied by Mrs. Wentworth of Rochester, N. H., were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wentworth of Bigelow street. They made the trip from Pawtucket by auto.

This afternoon from two to six, four young girls, Miss Rachel Hardwick, Miss Alice Arnold, Miss Miriam Miller and Miss Daisy Brooks, are to hold a sale at the home of Mrs. Zenas Arnold, Coddington street, when they hope to make a nice little sum to contribute to the Floating Hospital, of Boston, to help in the care of sick babes.

Bethany Congregational church was crowded at the Sunday evening service, when Parsifal was successfully presented under the direction of Mrs. Morey, the organist, assisted by the stereopticon. It was a great undertaking for one woman, but Mrs. Morey not only gave the lecture but rendered the music. Miss Williams, the violinist, assisted and pleased the audience.

It is said that John Adams Thayer, formerly of Quincy, treasurer and general manager of the Ridgeway Thayer Company, has sold the larger part of his stock to his original partners in the enterprise, for an amount said to approximate a quarter of a million dollars but he retains an interest which leaves him the third largest stockholder in the company. Mr. Thayer's reasons for withdrawing are understood to be wholly of a business nature. The policy of the magazine it is stated will not be changed.

The ladies of Christ church in charge of the successful Y. M. C. A. banquet were: Mrs. Hazen Ricker, Mrs. F. L. Jones, Mrs. F. Brewer, Mrs. W. Jenness, Mrs. C. F. Derby, Mrs. G. H. Brown, Mrs. W. McConnell, Mrs. J. Emery, Mrs. E. J. Boyce, Mrs. J. Malcolm, Miss E. Wilde, Mrs. C. A. Wilson, Mrs. C. T. Hardwick, Mrs. G. E. Studley, Mrs. R. J. Williams, Mrs. S. Oxford, Mrs. W. Spargo, Mrs. F. Moore, Mrs. H. Crocker, Mrs. W. E. Gardner, Mrs. Amos Litchfield and Mrs. C. M. Chase.

The trees along the public streets are being burlaped to catch gypsy moths.

The warm weather is a reminder that summer is near at hand.

The was a little rain Thursday night but hardly enough to wet the ground.

The City Council Committee on Streets will go on a view about the city this afternoon.

Quincy High and Higham High met Wednesday at Merrymount park and the home team won 8 to 6.

E. M. Wheeler, who is in the navy and attached to the battleship "Illinois," is visiting at the home of J. A. Sedgwick on Goffe street for a few days.

A Brockton paper says that a feature of the annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. in that city was the address of Mrs. E. W. Sheppard, the president of the Quincy auxiliary.

Thursday evening the R. P. degree staff of Manet Encampment, I. O. O. F., accompanied by about forty patriarchs, paid a visit to Paul Revere encampment of Roxbury. The R. P. degree was worked by the Manet encampment staff in a commendable manner. Canton Shawmut and a number of patriarchs from other encampments were present. After the degree work a banquet was served, followed by a general good time.

ATLANTIC.

The Kitnalta club was entertained on the 17th by Miss Corinna Wild. Prizes were won by the Misses Laura Hall, Ethel Vogler, Mabeth Fish and Addie Ruggles. The last regular meeting, with Miss Fish, is indefinitely postponed, but an extra party is to be given by Miss Ruggles on Thursday, May 31.

Atlantic boasts of at least one man who believes in arranging the world to suit himself. This citizen as a rule retires with the early birds, but for all that delights in his morning nap. It so happened that a near neighbor of his had bent all his energies in the erection of a garage and, being a business man, found time for his carpentering only between five and six-thirty in the morning. For several days the building progressed, and the builder whistled gaily at his work, all unconscious of disturbing the slumbers of the man who had no auto to inspire early rising. But there came a reckoning. One morning, when the builder opened his back door, hammer in hand, a large piece of paper stared him in the face. On the paper was neatly written: "Please do not hammer before six in the morning." A word to the wise is sufficient. That morning and every morning thereafter, only the inconsiderate robbins disturbed the taker of naps before the six o'clock whistle bids mankind to be up and doing.

The members of the Octave Bird Club took another early morning walk on Sunday, seeing rose-breasted grosbeaks, warblers, cat-birds, downg.

The following clipping is taken from a paper in Chelsea, where Mrs. William Johnson was a former resident: "At their final meeting of the season, the members of the L'Apres Medi club were entertained by Mrs. Julia Horne Johnson of Atlantic. Prizes at whist were taken by Mrs. Benton Wiley and Mrs. Edna Stearns. The club's guests were Mrs. Wiley and Mrs. Gertrude Cook, formerly Miss Gertrude Tenney of Chelsea."

Genjiro Yeto, the Japanese artist who took the Morgan prize at the Salmagundi in New York and has done such good work in the way of illustrating, is being entertained this week at the home of Mrs. Florence Peltier Pope, Newbury avenue.

William Cummings of Clive street has been called to East Orleans on ccount of the illness of his mother.

William Cummings of Clive street has purchased an automobile and is first to set the example in his vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Read of Squantum street have returned from Jamaica, where Mr. Read has been spending a few weeks on account of poor health.

Mrs. Antoinnette Page and family of Groton, will soon move into the house on Davis street formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hendrie.

The tearing down of the Mus-we-usket Landing, on account of the boulevard, has driven lovers of yachting to seek the privileges of either the Squantum or Wollaston yacht clubs. This fact has made the harbor at the foot of Webster and Appleton streets look somewhat desolate in comparison to its appearance last year at this season.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Ware of Webster street is very much better after his illness of some ten weeks.

Carl Milliken of Neponset who attempted on Saturday to row from Squantum to Neponset, had a narrow escape and was rescued by City Point life saving crew.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill of Clive street are entertaining friends from Attleboro.

Ralph Hobbs of Atlantic who has been under surgical treatment at Dr. Boothbay's hospital is reported very much improved in health although as yet not able to return to his home.

The N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. will macadamize the walk skirting the railroad station and its approaches at Atlantic just as soon as the contract for such finish is signed. The delay will probably be but a few days.

Miss Mabel Drew of Walker street returned Monday from Hampton, Virginia, where she has been visiting her sister. Miss Drew spent a few days in Washington and made a short stay in New York. She was favored with delightful weather during her entire trip.

Master Lawrence Pope of Billings street gave his friends a rollicking time Saturday afternoon at Rock Island, where his mother owns a charming cottage high on a hill overlooking the ocean. The guests had unquestioned sway of green fields and a hard beach, with eatables to satisfy vigorous young appetites after out-door and in-door sports. The day will long be remembered by Master Pope's friends as one of the pleasanest of the summer season.

The Rev. Sherrard Billings, formerly of the Groton school, who accepted the position of assistant minister of St. Paul's in Boston during his Sabbatical year, has decided to return to Groton school to resume his work there. He will, however, remain at St. Paul's until October, and will be in charge during the summer vacation. Mr. Billings was born in Quincy in 1859, was prepared for Harvard at the Adams Academy, and was a member of President Roosevelt's class, Harvard, 1880.

There will be a concert in Atlantic Memorial church sometime during the first week in June composed of home talent. Special arrangements are being made for an exceptionally pleasing entertainment.

A receiver has been appointed for the Mt. Pleasant Quarry Company, a Maine corporation capitalized at $60,000. Alexander S. Bruce of Lawrence has a claim of $20,000.

On sale at Rev. P. Gurney's, Wollaston, piano, furniture, crockery, etc.

WOLLASTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Willard of the Quincy Mansion school have issued invitations to a reception on Tuesday evening, May twenty-ninth, from eight until eleven o'clock, which they are giving in honor of the Senior class of the school. This is an annual event which is looked forward to with much pleasure by the class and their friends and anticipates the commencement exercises in June.

The Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 with Miss Litchfield 109 Prospect avenue. Subject: National Department not considered in our general line of work.

Mrs. Charles H. Logan, nee Abrams, who has been stopping since her marriage with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Rollins Abrams, at Concord, Mass., left this week for California, where she will join her husband who is stationed at San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Roberts of Arlington street are spending a few weeks in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hunt of Arlington street have moved into the house on Grand View avenue, formerly occupied by Mr. Taylor and family.

Funeral service for the late Mrs. William J. Battison of Wollaston were held Tuesday afternoon and were conducted by Rev. Preston Gurney and Rev. E. D. Webber. Appropriate music was rendered by a Boston mixed quartette. There were many beautiful flowers. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston.

A team match by women golfers was played on the links of the Wollaston club on Tuesday, and won by Miss Osgood's team, which defeated Miss Allen's team by the close score of 4 to 3.

Miss Fora Brown of Wollaston is visiting relatives in Hardwick, Mass., and holding a sale of seasonable millinery.

The subscriptions collected at the Wollaston Unitarian church for the San Francisco sufferers appeared in the Ledger after the names of the different subscribers. The total amount sent from the church was $121.35.

The Wollaston Y. R. R. U. met in the vestry of the Unitarian church on Sunday evening. The meeting was in charge of Roy C. Baker and George E. Brown, Mrs. James H. Slade, of Wollaston, gave a very interesting paper on "Our place in the church" offering some helpful suggestions to the young people. R. F. Weston and W. C. Bennett rendered two charming violin duets.

The sudden death of Walter L. Gurney, who passed away at his home on Standish avenue Sunday morning, came as a shock to his many friends. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gurney, and was nineteen years of age. He graduated from the Quincy High school in 1904 and has since been employed at the Commonwealth Trust Company of Boston, where he was very popular. Funeral service were held at his late home on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. E. D. Webber of the Wollaston Baptist church conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Preston Gurney, a former pastor. There were many beautiful floral offerings, including pink roses from the class of 1904, Quincy High school.

The leader of the Wollaston M. E. church Epworth league Sunday evening will be Mrs. R. B. Smith. The subject is "Serving by Example."

Charles E. Dornan, Quincy's original Howdidhe, gave an exhibition of card and other tricks before the Merrymount club of Wollaston on Thursday evening. A lunch was served after the exhibition.

R. R. Freeman was the leading Wollaston club man at the Brookline Country club golf tournament on Thursday. He was No. 10 in a field of 152 with a score of 85 gross, and will play in the qualifying round.

WEST QUINCY.

The Granite Railway company has received the contract for two large all-polished building jobs for the west.

The firemen were out for practice will ladders in the Willard school grounds on Monday evening. Bags of sand were also dropped from a height and caught in a net, and finally Fireman Connelly dropped in. The net was not strong enough to hold him but broke the fall.

The quarry syndicate is moving its large stone crushing plant from the Lyons quarry to the O. T. Rogers' quarry on Willard street.

The Copeland club are making great preparations for its farmers' ball the last of the month.

The returns from the two shipping terminals for the month of April show that the total amount of rough and finished granite shipped that month to have been 12,644,491 pounds. This was an increase of 4,267,256 pounds over the previous month. Of the amount shipped, West Quincy forwarded 6,975,525 pounds and South Quincy 5,668,968 pounds.

The Boys' Athletic club of West Quincy would like to play any fourteen-year-old team in the State paying half expenses. The players are as follows: Henry Donaher, c. and Manager; Ernest Donavon, p.; Lawrence Keegan, 1st b.; Charles Shortle, 2nd b.; William Birmingham, s. s. and Captain; George Chardi, 3nd b.; George Lemeanx, c. f. Edward O'Brien, r. f.; Michael Cuningham, l. f. Would like to arrange games with Crescents, Belmonts, Defenders Huscarls and teams from out of town. Open date May 30. Address, Henry Donaher, 6 Common street, West Quincy, Mass.

Jonas Shackley is seriously ill at his home on Hall place.

Mrs. A. M. Gove, of 6 Copeland street, has received a letter from her sister dated at Berkeley, California, April 25, who says Berkeley did not fare as badly as San Francisco, but nearly every chimney fell and considerable damage was done. Have had shocks every day since. Our city is under martial law. Car loads of provisions are coming in. Many are getting help who do not need it, and some who most need it do not get it. It is a case where the cheeky ones fare the best.

The Merrymounts and Copeland club will meet on the morning of Memorial day at Merrymount park.

The alarm from Box 46 at 7.43 A. M. Friday was for a slight fire on the roof of Woodward's blacksmith shop on Copeland street. The fire caught from the chimney and burned over a place two feet square. The damage was small.

In the superior court at Dedham, on Thursday, the court ordered a verdict for the defendants in the suit of Michael Shyne against Ransom Rowe et al for injuires received by the explosion of a dynamite cartridge at West Quincy, Dec. 28, 1904. Shyne sued for $10,000.

An important quarry sale was consumated this week when the Wigwam quarry, owned by Badger Bros., was sold to J. S. Swingle. The Wigwam was one of the first quarries opened in Quincy for it was in 1836 that the granite for the New York exchange was taken from it. The quarry produces a dark stone and has an inexhaustible supply. The purchase price is not given. It is said, however, to have been not far from $50,000.

HOUGHS NECK.

The season at Houghs Neck this year is at least a month ahead of last year. Things have been booming there during the past winter and a number of cottages have been erected. Several of these have been built for all the year residences and next winter the colony will be considerably larger than ever before. The real estate men report an unprecedented demand for cottages and Agent Dwyer says that he has had more calls and has already let more cottages this year than he had the first of July last year.

Many families have already arrived and every day sees some new arrival. The stores, that is the summer ones, have not opened permanently as yet, although they are opened on pleasant Sundays. There is to be one change for the better this year and that is the absence of many of the clubs that had cottages here last year and which gave the police more or less trouble. This year cottage owners who have placed the letting of their cottages in the hands of agents have given instructions to them that they are not to be let to clubs. This is a move in the right direction for the many so called clubs that were located here last year gave the place a bad name and served to keep many permanent residents from locating here.

NEW COTTAGES.

Among the new cottages erected and building are the following:—

N. J. Burlo of South Boston has a new cottage on Great Hill.

H. C. Greenlaw of Roxbury has built a cottage on Manet avenue.

James C. Wall has built a new cottage on Manet avenue.

M. H. Galligan of Roxbury is now building two cottages on the water front.

L. H. Matthews of Waltham has a new cottage on Great Hill.

Mrs. Crosby of Hyde Park is building a cottage on Cottage street.

Mrs. B. Hart of West Quincy is building a cottage on Centre road.

O. L. Calkins of Brockton has a new cottage on Great Hill and has moved in for the season.

John Sullivan has built a cottage on Sea street near the Willows for all the year residence.

W. H. Powers is building a cottage on Weymouth street.

George S. Morse of Dorchester has a new cottage on Great Hill.

The house on the water front recently damaged by fire is being rebuilt.

Arthur Dunham is building an addito his store.

NEW ARRIVALS.

H. W. Robbins has arrived at the Cliffhurst for the seaoon.

Hugh Bradley of Dorchester and family are in a cottage on Great hill.

J. J. Williams and E. F. Williams of Roxbury with their families are in their cottages on Great hill.

J. H. Sullivan of Roxbury is at his cottage on Great Hill.

W. F. Sturgess of Quincy has opened the Great Hill House.

Ralph E. Tobey of Medford has leased the Fisher Cottage on Rock Island road.

C. C. Harmon and family of Boston are in the Madeleine cottage.

QUINCY POINT.

Rev. and Mrs. Leon Austin, will return to-day from Connecticut, where they have been during the past week.

You can learn the qualities which young men admire in young women, if you attend the Sunday evening service at the Quincy Point church.

James H. Lalley of Edison Park, entertained a few friends Saturday evening.

The patent granted to Hiram W. Phillips is for a guide for joining pipe sections which he used successfully under water last year.

The four submarine boats building at the Fore River shipyard in this city are over fifty percent completed, and the two scout cruisers for the government over thirty percent completed.

The Lynn football team did not show up on Saturday for the match with the Fore River boys.

A football game is scheduled today at Quincy Point—Fore Rivers vs. Bostonians.

Next Sunday evening a series of lectures will begin at the Quincy Point church under the direction of the young ladies of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. George K. Carter of Pawtucket, R. I., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born on Saturday, May 12.

The steam trawler Spray, built at the Fore River shipyard, has returned from her ninth trip with 37,000 pounds of haddock, cod and flounders. While on the La Have bank dogfish destroyed the trawls.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon of Broadway wish to extend their congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Boyd (Miss Eva D. Phillips) of Hotel Ilkley, Boston, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Rev. A. B. Tyler of West Quincy, preached an interesting sermon at the Quincy Point church Sunday evening. There was a large attendance to receive the many new thoughts which Mr. Tyler brought before the people.

At the Fore River grounds on Saturday the local team will line up against the Everetts, who will have Fred Gatcomb in the box. The Fore Rivers will try Hogan in the outfield.

It is reported that there will be four June weddings at the Point this season.

Mrs. Lynch of East Howard street will move in a short time to Wendall road.

Louis Anderson, 22 years, was severely burned by gasolene on Thursday at the shipyard.

Esborn W. Hall of South street, who has been confined to the house three weeks or more with injury to his leg, is able to be out this week.

Manager Smith and Treasurer Sedgwick of the shipyard visited the plant of Grafton and Knight Manufacturing Co., Worcester, Thursday afternoon.

John F. Bruton foreman of the machine shop at the shipyard is one of the guests on the "St. Louis." This vessel is having her trial trips on the Rockland, Maine, course this week.

Painters from the shipyard painted the bottom of the battleship Georgia, Tuesday and Wednesday, when that vessel was in dock at the navy yard.

One of the pleasant events in the social calendar this week was the at home of Mrs. Edwin Sumter Bennett and Mrs. Amos Warren Stetson Anderson, which was held from four until six o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bennett, Granite street. The house was thronged with guests. In the library Miss Jane Reed assisted by Miss Georgianna C. Lane, served strawberry ice and in the dining room at a dainty appointed table Mrs. James H. Steton poured tea and Miss Abbie Wood, chocolate. Mrs. Hunting, Mrs. Gow, Mrs. Drinker, Mrs. Beattie, and other friends also assisted in the dining room. So many friends were gathered together it was an unusually happy occasion.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Mrs. George S. Murray and daughter of Granite street sailed Tuesday on the S. S. Ivernia, for a three months' visit in Wales and by the change is in hopes to be benefited in health.

Mrs. Emma E. Marnock is confined to her home on Bennington street with tonsilitis.

The members of the Junior society Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian church, enjoyed an entertainment and social, under the direction of their superintendent, Miss Jessie Shirley, on Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock. It was held in the vestry of the church, giving the children a larger space in which to enjoy themselves. Games and music were participated in after which refreshments were served. There were about seventy-five little ones in attendance.

The granite cutters voted Thursday on the location for the next five years of the headquarters of the union. It will be some days, however, before the result is definitely known. Quincy cutters were unanimous for having it remain in Quincy.

DOWNS AND PARK.

The children of John Stuart and Mr. Feeman of Wollaston Park, who were lost and for whom the lost child call was sounded at 1.58 came home of their own accord before a searching party could start. They were near by all the time.

James Cochrane, whose body was found in Fredericton, N. B., left Norfolk Downs April 23, to visit his son, in New Brunswick. He has been in poor health and unable to work. He lived at No. 9 Brook street, Norfolk Downs.

The bathing season has begun at Wollaston Beach and several enjoy a dip each day. Those who have investigated the subject say that the work being done along the beach will not harm and probably will improve the bathing.

MILTON.

Friends of Mr. Walter E. Grant, of Nottingham Ind., formerly of this town will be pleased to learn that he is publishing a newspaper in that town. It is a bright little paper called the Petroleum Journal and it is well stocked with local news and "ads."

Rev. Theodore I. Reese will give a talk on the Milton Abbey of England, illustrated with the reflectiscope, after the evening service next Sunday. A tablet will also be unveiled at the same time.

Measles are quite prevalent at East Milton.

The annual meeting of the Milton Firemen's Relief Association will be held next Monday evening at the central fire station.

William M. Berry of Bryant avenue was found dead in bed Tuesday morning. He was 67 years of age.

The Tuesday Evening club will keep its rooms open all summer this year.

Arrangements are nearly completed for the reception to Orrin A. Andrews, by the graduates of the Belcher school on June 1, in honor of the completion of his 35 years of service as master of the school.

Milton Academy defeated a Harvard scrub nine in a ten innings game on Tuesday, 3 to 2.

Motorcycles, equipped with speedometers, and ridden by officers, resulted in the capture of nine automobilists on the Blue Hills parkway on Sunday. They were all in court Tuesday and were fined sums varying from $10 to $20, according to the rate of speed they were travelling.

Patrick Maguire has purchased a new driving horse.

Miss Fannie Johnson of the Ellsworth market is confined to her home by illness.

The assessors have about completed their field work.

Miss Kate Tryon gives a lecture on birds, illustrated with the stereopticons, at the Town Hall next Tuesday evening.

At probate court in Dedham this week the will of Roland Hayward late of Milton was allowed. By its provisions the museum of comparative zoology of Harvard will receive the testator's collection of coleoptera. The Boston Society of Natural History is given the right of selecting any works on entomology that may be lacking in its library. The balance of the works on entomology is left to the Milton Public Library. The executor of the will is George G. Hayward of Boston. He gives a bond for $50,000. The will is dated Feb. 16, 1903.

Mrs. Battison.

Mrs. Wm. J. Battison, well known in her early days as Lottie Dow, a resident of Wollaston since the spring of 1874, passed away May 12 after an illness which confined her to her room for five weeks. Her funeral took place on Tuesday, the 15th, and was conducted by her former pastor, Rev. Preston Gurney, assisted by Rev. Edmund Webber, present pastor of the Wollaston Baptist church, to which she belonged, coming to it from the old Rowe street Church in Boston, of which she became a member in her girlhood.

Although her brothers and their families are at present in California, her home at the hour of the service was filled to overflowing with other relatives and her many friends, among them many of the older residents of the town, members of her church and of the societies, benevolent, social and literary, in which she ever held an earnest interest.

Flowers, of which she was exceedingly fond, covered every available spot in the room near her, and most beautiful music, in which she always delighted, was finely rendered by the quartette of the Second Church, (Copley square) of Boston, under the leadership of the well known tenor, Mr. Bruce W. Hobbs. The selections were: "I Cannot Always Trace the Way," set to music by her brother, Mr. Howard M. Dow; "The Strife is O'er," "The Battle Won," and "For all Thy Saints Who From Their Labors Rest," from the church hymnal. All, like the address of Mr. Gurney and the prayer of Mr. Webber, being typical of a life consecrated to the highest ideals, devoted to the interests of her home and family, where her life was centered, and of the faith and love and trust of which she said but little, but which controlled her life.

Some decided improvements are being made about the Dorothy Q. estate. The broad main walk from the front entrance has been regraded and rolled down hard. The old walk from near the corner of Butler road and Hancock street to the house has been filled up and rolled down and a new walk laid out from this corner to the main drive. These

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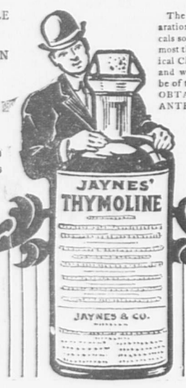
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SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1906.

WEEKLY ALMANAC,	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon rises
Saturday, May 19,	4.19	7.01	8.45	9.15	2.52 A.M
Sunday, " 20,	4.18	7.03	9 30	10.03	3.19 "
Monday, " 21,	4.17	7.04	10 15	10 30	3.46 "
Tuesday, " 22,	4.17	7.05	11.00	11 15	4.16 "
Wednesday, " 23,	4 16	7 06	11.30	11.45	7.12 P.M
Thursday, " 24,	4.15	7.07	12 00	12.15	8.16 "
Friday, " 25,	4.14	7.08	12.30	12.45	9.09 "

New Moon, May 23, 3.01 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898.
Sunday,	82	55	61	70	75
Monday,	61	59	63	66	70
Tuesday,	67	66	66	58	58
Wednesday,	83	69	48	75	57
Thursday,	71	60	50	67	76
Friday,	88	62	60	80	6
Saturday,	—	68	73	65	76

Malden people are not getting their Metropolitan water so very much cheaper than Quincy; the present rental for meters is $2 and the minimum advance charge for water $12. All takers therefore pay $14 or more.

Hon. Carroll D. Wright, whose address was so popular at the Y. M. C. A. banquet, is a Unitarian in religious belief, but he is a gentleman who is quick to recognize a good thing and gives the Y. M. C. A. his endorsement.

The qualities which young men admire in young women, the topic for the Sunday evening service at the Quincy Point church, will not be the sentiments of the pastor, but replies which he has received from letters sent to young men. Of course the names of the young men will not be revealed, but all marriagable women will be present to see wherein they may have been a failure.

On Saturday before reporters of the Boston dailies had left the scene, the Daily Ledger was for sale at the store of W. G. Shaw and elsewhere with an extended report of the miraculous escape of Charles E. Dornan from a fire proof vault. Although it was nearly four o'clock when "Howdidhe" accomplished the feat, many readers of the Daily Ledger received the extra edition instead of the regular edition, and wondered at the prompt news.

Quincy Club Entertained.

Tuesday evening, the Braintree Pine Tree club, at their regular monthly meeting, entertained the Pine Tree club of Quincy in Pythian hall at Braintree. There was a large attendance of both clubs, making a total gathering of over 200 people.

President W. W. Mayhew of the Braintree club welcomed the guests, and then announced the entertainment. Piano duets were rendered by Miss Fannie Whitten and H. Porter Pratt of Weymouth, violin selections by Mr. Baldwin of East Braintree, reading by Miss Van Horne of Boston, and soprano solos by Mrs. Moore of Quincy.

All the entertainers were justly deserving of the applause given them and they later received many compliments.

Mrs. E. F. Mitchell, president of the Quincy Pine Tree club, expressed her appreciation for the warm reception by the Braintree club, and in return invited the Braintrees to join the Quincy club in an annual picnic to be held in June. She also invited them to attend the meetings in Quincy held the second Thursday of each month.

A committee from each club has been appointed to act jointly on the June picnic, as follows:—

Braintree,—Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wales, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Pennock, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mayhew.

Quincy,—Mr. and Mrs. S. Learmon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Yeaton, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Monroe.

After refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served, dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

3D SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 11.50. All invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon service at 2.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 3.30. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 8.30 A. M., Holy Communion. 10.30 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon. Sunday School in the Parish house at 12 M. Galahad Brotherhood in the church at 12.10 M. Evening prayer and address at 7 o'clock. All welcome.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street, —Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Address by Mr. R. C. Goodman of Boston. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Praise service and address by the pastor. The public is cordially invited.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Address by Mr. C. A. Coburn, State Secretary of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior C. E. for all between 7 and 14 years old at 4. P. M. The leader has for all Juniors a "Black Bird Pie." Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Topic: "Lessons from the Lives of Elijah and John the Baptist." Evening service in charge of the young ladies at 7.30. Topic: "Qualities in young women, young men admire." Friday evening Christian fellowship service at 7.30. Topic: "Enthusiasm." Our motto is: A place for all and a welcome for all.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Rev. Ernest W. Hunt, minister. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by minister. Sunday School at 12 M. All are invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Address by Mr. C. A. Green of Abington Young Men's Christian Association. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7. Sermon by pastor. Let everybody come.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Post Office block,—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Ancient and modern necromancy; or mesmerism and hypnotism." Golden Text: "Because thou hast kept the word of my patience, I also will keep thee from the hour of temptation which shall come upon all the world, to try them that dwell upon the earth." Revelation, 3:10. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. an experience and testimony meeting. Reading rooms open every week day from 3 to 5, and every Tuesday evening. All are welcome.

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For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, May 16, 1906.

Now that it has gone all over the country that the entire Massachusetts legislature has been summoned before the Suffolk grand jury to tell, man by man, what it knows about bribery upon any matter before the legislature, and especially in connection with the defeat of the bill to shut up the bucket shops, it is to be expected that every citizen who loves the honor of his state will demand that everything possible be done to show whether or not there has been any corruption. At the very outset, it may be admitted that probably every experienced member of the legislature will admit that there may be a few tainted members, and that probably there are a few every year. When an entire constituency, like that behind the Curleys, elects a representative when he is in jail for crime, it is to be expected that some members will not care whether or not they are known to be corrupt. But every experienced member also knows that by far the large majority of the members are honest. Therefore, when the Suffolk district attorney drags in the entire legislature, as he proposes to do and had done in part, some extraordinary justification is to be expected. If this is not shown then there is sure to be a reaction against that candidacy for the democratic nomination for the governorship which doubtless plays a considerable part in these proceedings. The entire legislature is ready to go ahead with the investigation. One of the suspected men Representative Gethro of Boston, has brought suit for $200,000 damages against the Boston American for libel and as the law firm engaged as his counsel is very lively, and its members have been prominent in politics, some stirring scenes are to be expected.

The investigation which the House has ordered into the bribery is to be made by the committee on rules. This consists of the best men of the House, having the speaker as chairman, and it must be presumed that Speaker Cole will conduct the inquiry in person, for this is by far the most important matter of practical political consequence of the session and it is not to be presumed that he will delegate his function to any other member. Legal advice will doubtless be necessary, and there are on the committee Mr. Lowell of Newton, House chairman of the judiciary committee; Mr. Ames of Orange, who already wears the title of "judge" from his local position; Mr. Turtle of Pittsfield and Mr. Peabody of Cambridge, both also lawyers. These constitute a body sufficient to help out the speaker, who is a newspaper publisher, with all the legal advice necessary.

One of the difficulties found in the way thus far has been that neither Mr. Swig of Taunton, who first set the stories afloat, nor Mr. Leonard of Springfield, who permitted the Boston American and the Boston Traveler to publish statements that he had been approached improperly, will stand up before the committee and corroborate what they said at first. Both of these members have changed their attitude materially, refusing to talk, in Mr. Leonard's case, and saying that he had been misreported, in case of Mr. Swig. The outlook is not at all for a fruitful result. Yet the case has gone so far that it seems as if nothing short of public effort to get to the bottom of the charges would satisfy the rightful demands of the public to know what sort of representatives they have sent to the state house. In other cases, when the outlook has been much more positive, nothing has been accomplished to warrant putting a penalty upon any member of the legislature.

At the opening of the House session this afternoon, Speaker Cole read a statement regarding the policy to be pursued by the committee on rules in making the investigation. The sessions will be secret and the committee is expected to furnish the public verbatim reports of what was said, but how soon remains to be seen. The newspaper men of the House were summoned directly after the session and most of them were examined. Speaker Cole told one of them to print what was said before the committee would be an act of contempt, he supposed. The members of the House will be summoned alphabetically and it will take a long time to go through the list, judging of the rate of progress made this afternoon. There is a feeling in some quarters that the committee makes a mistake in having the hearings private, for the public has rights in knowing what is done by its representatives. There is also the question of soundness of the policy as far as the satisfaction of the curiosity of the public is concerned.

This afternoon there was reached an end of the midnight liquor bill, as far as the second bill is concerned in the House. Just at the end of the forenoon session of the Senate, the bill was passed to be engrossed, after the failure of a motion to strike out the referendum. This afternoon the bill was enacted in the House and it is not to be supposed that there will be any further effort to defeat it in the senate. This is the bill which the governor wants. The first bill, which was recalled from the governor and then put into the hands of the clerk, remains there and it is now to be seen what status it will ever have. It is dead by act of the majority of the Senate but the way the killing was done is without precedent.

Senator Felker of Northampton has won a point in his fight for the taxation of the property of educational institutions. The Senate was against him till he amended his proposition so as to cut the taxation of domitories. Then the Senate accepted it by a roll call of 19 to 15. The bill has one more stage in the Senate and the House has still to pass upon it. So there is no certainty yet that it will become law, but the chances are much improved by cutting out the one feature against which there was most opposition. College men and women all over the state have a deep interest in the matter, as well as the taxpayers, and a sharp contest on it is to be expected.

The House is clear gone over to the side of old age pensions. Mr. Ward of Buckland, for the ways and means committee, did what he could to prevent favorable action, but the House was strongly the other way, so strongly that when the bill came up on its second debatable stage, it went along by unanimous consent. But it is not to be presumed that the Senate will agree to such a proposition. It is altogether too radical for such a body as our state Senate has been for time out of mind.

This afternoon the corrupt practices act was passed to be engrossed in the the House after being amended so as to take out the charge, made by some that under the bill it would be impossible for justices of the peace and notaries public to make campaign contributions. There is really a great deal of opposition to the bill, but it is of a kind which is driven into its hole by a roll call, as Mr. Luce of Somerville proved on the first stage of the bill. But there will be enemies lying in wait for it in the Senate and it is by no means certain that it will become law.

Opposition is growing to the bill for a sliding scale for gas in Boston. There is a feeling that a guarantee of 7 per cent. dividends for 10 years is altogether too much of a plum for the monopoly and there will be some sharp protests before the bill gets through. The growing distrust of the nominal opposition to the Boston gas consolidation on the part of the public franchise league will also have some effect upon the situation. It is possible, according to figures presented today, for gas to be furnished at a profit in this territory for 80 cents per 1000 cubic feet.

Rule.

Free Kindergarten

A kindergarten mass meeting was held in the Wollaston Congregational church last Wednesday evening to interest the public in starting a free kindergarten in Wollaston, which proved a most interesting occasion. There was a good audience and a great deal of enthusiasm for the cause was shown. Mrs. J. Arthur Jewell, president of the Child Nurture club, presided.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. Jewell with a few words introducing the subject of the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Y. Follett sang a duet from Cowen's "Rose Maiden," after which Rev. Edward A. Chase gave the invocation. Mrs. Follett then sang four children's songs—"My Shadow" by Hadley," "A Necklace of Pearls" by Nevin, "Craddle Song" by Kate Vannab, and "The Sweetest Girl" by Edith Noyes Porter; which were followed by a report from Mrs. Walter S. Pinkham, secretary of the kindergarten committee, stating what had already been done by that committee and others to raise the $1,000 necessary to run a free kindergarten in Wollaston one year.

After this report, Mr. Follett sang two song—"I know a Lovely garden" by D'hardelot and "Come to me Mavourneen" by Lynes. Mrs. Jewell introduced the speaker of the evening, Miss Laura Fisher, director of the Boston Kindergarten system, who gave a most instructive and delightful address. She said in part as follows:

Some people think that any kind of education will do for little children. This is a great mistake; little children need just as much thought put into their education as older ones do. The kindergarten helps little children in many ways. For instance, it develops their powers of observation, their mutual helpfulness, their versatility, dexterity, thoughtfulness for each other; it makes them more alert, more obedient, more sympathetic.

In the kindergarten children are taught to observe the color and forms of things and to use their eyes, ears and tongues. They are also taught to use various materials for building, and to build with a purpose according to certain principles of construction. Then, too, the kindergarten through its spirit of co-operation develops the sympathies of the child. The child has a great capacity for sympathy. This is shown by his faith in everyone around him.

Therefore all that is necessary is to turn his sympathy in the right direction. The kindergarten puts him into sympathy with nature by making him an intelligent observer of nature and by giving him something in nature to take care of—flowers to tend either in gardens or window boxes, or animals to feed. This responsibility laid on the child develops the good husbandman. He feels the joy of helping some one who is dependent on him.

The kindergarten puts the child into sympathy also with human life by teaching him to be helpful to other human beings and unselfish and fair in his play. The little child should have all his work made play, for in play he naturally expresses himself. Many children playing together develop more freely and naturally than one child alone or even two or three children together. It is noticeable that parents who fear that their child will be contaminated by others always think that it is somebody's else child who will do the contaminating.

A child alone at home is like a bird in a gilded cage; he is fed and petted, but he cannot fly, he is deprived of the joy of freedom. The child as well as the bird has a right to fly. The kindergarten gives him this right by placing him among his equals. Among his equals he leads his own natural life instead of a life imposed upon him by older people. Among his equals he can try his strength and he learns to look at things as they are for children are always perfectly sincere with other children.

There is furthermore a certain responsibility for his conduct thrown on the child, for if he is unfair in the games he is soon thrown out, if he is selfish he is not liked. Children learn much more readily from their equals than from their elders. In the kindergarten the child is taught to see kindly aspects of nature, and to observe what men are doing, as for instance, the carpenter at work on a new house or the farmer sowing and reaping. In the kindergarten also the highest moral ideals are held up to the child in the stories told, in songs, in play, in pictures and in conversation.

In closing Miss Fisher said that nothing appeals to people like the needs of childhood, and on the other hand nothing is neglected as the needs of childhood sometimes are, but a community can build no finer monument for itself than by uplifting the future generation.

After Miss Fisher's address there was an open discussion. It was expected that Mr. Parlin would open the discussion, but as he was unavoidably detained from the meeting, Mrs. Jewell called on Dr. Record, a member of the school board.

Dr. Record said that if the kindergarten would do all that Miss Fisher said it would do, he could not see why there ought not to be a kindergarten in every ward in the city.

Mr. Hull, a member of the City Council, told of his experience with his own boy. After putting him into a kindergarten, he noticed a remarkable change in the boy, and he considered that he had never spent money to better advantage than in the kindergarten.

Mr. Amos D. Albee said that he could say amen to everything that had already been said and that anything further he would have to say to the subscription box.

Mr. Herbert H. Albee asked a question which the solicitors had been asked several times, viz: Why is it that children who have gone to private kindergartens have gained so little benefit? Will this free kindergarten be better?

In answer, Mrs. Jewell said that a private kindergarten was under only one individual, whereas the free kindergarten would be run by a committee chosen by the contributors, and would have the support of the whole town. It would also have a larger number of children and more money and therefore better facilities. The same results cannot be gained with a small number of children as with a large number.

Mr. Follett asked if $1000 would be enough for one year. Mrs. Jewell said it would, but of course the more money they got, the better teacher they could have.

Mr. W. S. Pinkham said that if a free kindergarten of the kind that had been described at the meeting that evening could be successfully carried on in Wollaston it would in the end become a necessity and would force the city to put a kindergarten in every public school,

Dr. Record asked if a free kindergarten had ever before been carried on in the way now proposed. Mrs. Jewell said that Mrs. Quincy Shaw had run a free kindergarten on her own private means in Boston. Miss Fanny Johnson said that free kindergartens had been run on subscriptions very successfully for several years in New York; and some one else in the audience said the same thing had been done in Fall River. Miss Johnson thought that this might account for the great interest which the whole city of Fall River took in kindergartens.

Mr. and Mrs. Follett then sang a duet, "Oh! that we Two were Maying" by Nevin, and the meeting was dismissed.

Quincy Satisfied.

Chairman Freeman and Secretary Piper of the Republican City Committee attended the hearing on Representative districts at Dedham.

The commissioners submitted the proposed division as follows, the Patriot giving also the voters of 1895:

	Voters. 1895	Voters. 1905
DISTRICT 1.		
Quincy, (Wards 1, 2, 3)	—	3196
DISTRICT 2.		
Quincy (Wards 4, 5, 6)	—	2813
DISTRICT 3 (Two Representatives)		
Brookline	3243	5120
DISTRICT 4.		
Hyde Park	2772	3362
DISTRICT 5		
Weymouth	3039	3249
DISTRICT 6.		
Braintree	1331	1693
Holbrook	645	686
Avon	469	504
	—	2883
DISTRICT 7.		
Stoughton	1333	1453
Randolph	1123	1134
Sharon	423	499
	—	3086
DISTRICT 8.		
Milton	1171	1604
Canton	1086	1098
	—	2702
DISTRICT 9.		
Dedham	1702	1834
Needham	763	943
	—	2777
DISTRICT 10		
Norwood	1133	1474
Walpole	715	895
Norfolk	193	320
	—	2689
DISTRICT 11.		
Wellesley	694	932
Dover	169	150
Westwood		245
Medfield	447	437
Millis	231	254
Medway	818	721
	—	2789
DISTRICT 12.		
Franklin	1184	1699
Foxboro	858	792
Bellingham	323	345
Wrentham	700	376
Plainville	—	344
	—	2956

Most of the opposition seemed to center about Randolph which has about 1,100 voters and is largely Democratic.

Ex-Representative John J. Collins of Avon desired that his town should be placed with Stoughton and Randolph, rather than with Braintree and Holbrook, and suggested that Weymouth, Braintree and Holbrook constitute a double district.

Chairman Hewin said the commissioners had endeavored to abolish all double districts.

Dr. Faxon did not want Randolph with Stoughton, but favored the old district—Stoughton, Sharon and Walpole.

E. H. Talbot of Sharon also was opposed to keeping company with Randolph, and favored a district composed of Holbrook, Avon, Stoughton and Sharon.

G. W. Pratt of Stoughton suggested other combinations.

Fred L. Fisher of Norwood suggested that Westwood and Norwood change places.

H. D. Humphrey desired that Dedham should continue to be known as district No. 1.

The commissioners in their new appointments gave this honor to one of the Quincy districts, Quincy being the only city in the county.

Brookline has a representative for each 2,560 voters, while Hyde Park has one for 3,362 voters, but this caused no comment.

The Commissioners took the matter under advisement, but will probably adhere to their apportionment, because by changing one town they disarrange several districts.

Y. M. C. A. Athletic Meet.

For the first time in the history of Norfolk County, the Young Men's Christian Association is to hold an athletic meet that will interest all of the boys and young men of the county. These contests are to be held at Stone Park, East Dedham, on Saturday, May 26, beginning at 10 A. M.

More than 150 applications have been entered and will bring together boys who are members of the Phi Alpha Pi Fraternity in the following villages:—Avon, Dover, Milton, Plainville, Randolph, Norwood, Sharon, South Weymouth, Wellesley Hills, West Medway and Wollaston.

Following the morning portion of the athletic meet, the Norfolk County Y. M. C. A. convention will be held from 1 to 3.30 o'clock in the Baptist church at East Dedham. After the adjournment of the convention the athletic contests will be concluded.

For full information and program of the athletic meet and County Convention, write to Wm. J. Sholar, County Secretary, 2 Park square, Boston, Mass.

AMONG THE CLUBS.

The Junior Friday club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert Griswold, for its last meeting for this season. It was the annual business meeting and the following officers were elected for 1906-07: President, Mrs. Walter E. Burke; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Jesse I. Litchfield and on the board of directors the above and Mrs. Lawrance H. Sturtevant, Miss Abbie Wood and Miss Edith Randall. At the close of the meeting the hostess served refreshments and a social hour was enjoyed.

The annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's clubs was held Thursday at Melrose.

A special meeting of the state society of the Daughters of the Revolution was held on Friday afternoon at two o'clock at hotel Vendome, Boston. There were reports of the annual meeting at Philadelphia and also from chapter regents.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Historical society will be held at the birth place of President John Quincy Adams on Saturday afternoon, May 26 at four o'clock.

The Quincy Charitable Society will hold its last meeting for the season on Monday next with Mrs. Thomas Addison of Washington street, Quincy Point, and a full attendance is requested. Cars for East Weymouth leave City Square at 2.50.

Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps 103, have donated $10.00 to the San Francisco sufferers, also a box of articles is being prepared, to which each member of the Corps is contributing.

The annual meeting and election of officers, of Women's Auxiliary to Y. M. C. A. will be held on Monday afternoon next, at 3 o'clock at Association building. The business meeting will be followed by a social hour with vocal and instrumental music, reading, etc. Refreshments will be served. All women who believe in the object for which the association exists are cordially invited to be present.

The regular meeting of the Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters will be held Monday evening, May 21st, at the home of Mrs. Albert Sayward, 253 Belmont street.

The Shakespeare club of Atlantic have planned a literary treat for next fall by engaging the famous Marshall Darrach for a dramatic recital in Atlantic Music hall.

QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

The closing meeting for this season of the Quincy Women's club will be on Tuesday afternoon, May 22d at the club house, when Col. Edward Anderson will be the speaker. There will be the usual good musical program and social time.

Mrs. Bumpus, Miss Annie L. Prescott, Mrs. John W. Sanborn and Mrs. Wilson Marsh represented the club at the Federation meeting Thursday at Melrose.

The board of directors hold a business meeting the first Thursday in June to act upon names from the waiting list proposed for membership. A few vacancies have occurred in the club caused by resignations and non-payment of dues, and the places will be filled from the waiting list in the order received.

DAY NURSERY.

The Quincy Day Nursery association appreciates the receipt of $150.00 as the result of the entertainment of "Scenes from Dickens," especially as the condition of treasury was at low ebb. Every member of the association should be personally grateful to the large number who attended; to the efforts and intelligent work done by the Friday club; to Miss Phoebe Bedloe for her delightful singing, and especially to Mrs. Theophilus King, who not only gave the use of her home, but doubled the receipts.

Owing to the illness of the secretary, Mrs. Reed, a secretary pro tem. was asked to send in a report of the May meeting, and she wishes to apologize for an omission in the report. Mrs. Page's and Miss Bishop's classes of little girls of the Unitarian Sunday School at Wollaston gave a sale of May baskets and candy on April 28, and bestowed the receipts, $14.25, on the Nursery, for which the Association extends to them its gratitude.

NEIGHBORING WOMEN'S CLUBS.

The social season is over for most of the women's club but their good work in philanthropy, education, civic improvements, and the like, goes steadily on in season and out.

The Old Colony Women's club has elected Mrs. Henry B. Reed, president; Mrs. H. H. Longfellow and Mrs. Gordon Willis, vice presidents; Mrs. L. A. Cook, Jr., recording secretary; Mrs. Frederic Terrell, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Fletcher W. Howe, treasurer, Mrs. T. M. Sampson, custodian; Mrs. W. R. Wagner, Mrs. James T. Pease, Miss M. A. Cady, Mrs. Nelson Gray and Mrs. Wilton Hawes, directors; Mrs. Nellie T. Carroll and Mrs. Charles C. Morrill, auditors.

At the meeting of the Brighthelmstone club of Brighton and Allston last week, Mrs. Frederick Allison Tupper, formerly of this city, was elected second vice president.

The Danvers Women's association held its 24th annual meeting last week and has begun preparations for the observance of its silver anniversary.

Almost Ninety.

Friday will pass for a rousing hot day. The temperature at noon was 88 degrees which is the highest point the mercury has gone thus for this year. There have, however, been two days this week, when the temperature at noon was over 80 degrees.

—Mrs. Mariah S. Arnold died at Braintree on Thursday at the advanced age of 92. She was the widow of Stephen S. Arnold and resided with her daughter, Mrs. Margery M. Bates of 390 Washington street.

SUMMER STAPLES.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Night Robes, Skirts, Chemises, Drawers and Corset Covers. Up-to-date Styles.

Wrappers, Two-piece Suits, Short Kimonas, Black and Gingham Petticoat Skirts,

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Sheppard—Bryant.

Many thought that the Sheppard-Bryant case had been decided some time ago, but the plaintiffs took it to the Supreme court, and now the full bench sustains the verdict for the defendant.

The court holds that what the mayor said was pertiment to the inquiry and was entirely privileged. The court does not treat the question of falsity or truth in the statement of the mayor, and holds that for the purpose of the decision it is immaterial.

This was the case where J. F. Sheppard & Sons, coal dealers, brought a suit for $50,000 for alleged slander against Charles M. Bryant, then Mayor of Quincy, because of statements made before a committee of the Legislature which was investigating the high prices of coal during the great coal strike in 1902.

New Books.

The following is a list of new books at the Thomas Crane Public Library:

	Shelf No.
Atherton, Gertrude. Travelling thirds	329 86
Atkinson, F. W. Philippine islands.	205 38
Bacon, B. W. Story of St. Paul: a comparison of acts and epistles.	532 47
Beebe, C. William. Two bird-lovers in Mexico.	143 31
Beveridge, A. J. Young man and the world.	543 86
Browning, Oscar. Napoleon, the first phase: some chapters on the boyhood and youth of Bonaparte. 1769-1793.	437 40
Centralization and the law: scientific legal education.	65 121
Churchill, W. S. Lord Randolph Churchill. 2v.	433 31,32
Clute, W. N. Fern allies of North America, north of Mexico.	505 84
Comstock, J. H. *and* Anna B. How to know the butterflies: a manual of the butterflies of the eastern United States.	504 51
Crothers, S. M. Pardoner's wallet. [Essays.]	73 44
Ganz, Hugo. Land of riddles: Russia of today.	131 33
Grinnell, G. B. Jack in the Rockies; or, adventures with a pack train. *Sequel to* Jack among the Indians.	j 287 67
Hart, A. B. Essentials in American History: from the discovery to the present day. [Essentials in history.]	394 77
Hazard, Bertha, *compiler*. Three years with the poets: a text-book of poetry to be memorized by children during the first years in school.	j 512 74
Hoffding, Harald. Problems of philosophy.	352 98
Jacobs, W. W. Captain all. [Stories]	299 62
Leupp, F. E. Man Roosevelt: a portrait sketch.	417 88
Mallock, W. H. Reconstruction of religious belief.	531 89
Molesworth, Mary L. "Carrots": just a little boy, and other stories.	j 271 43
Nitobe, Inazo. Bushido, the soul of Japan: exposition of Japanese thought.	111 57
Osler, William. Counsels and ideals	545 35
Phillips, D. G. Deluge.	238 64
Potter, Mary K. Art of the Louvre.	474 138
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Rankin, C. W. Dandelion cottage	j 288 50
Richman, I. B. Rhode Island: a study in separatism [American commonwealths.]	398 16
Righi, Augusto. Modern theory of physical phenomena: radioactivity, ions, electrons.	493 101
Skinner, Harriet P. Boys who became famous men: stories of the childhood of poets, artists, and musicians.	j 451 50
Thackeray, W. M. Letters to an American family.	421 58
Thurston, Katherine C. Gambler: a novel.	258 110
Told to the children series 6v. j:	
Kelman, Janet H. Stories from Chaucer.	523 49
Kingsley, Charles. Heroes.	85 85
Water babies.	285 75
Lang, Jeanie. Stories from the Faerie queen.	525 26
Macgregor, Mary. Stories of King Arthur's knights.	85 84
Marshall, H. E. Stories of Robin Hood.	523 69
Tomlinson, E. T. Red chief: story of the massacre of Cherry Valley.	j 282 66
Wade, Mary H. Our little brown cousin. [Little cousin series.]	j 112 45
Waller, Mary E. Wood-carver of 'Lympus.	232 25
Wharton, Edith. House of mirth.	326 80

The District Court.

Fred S. Douglass, Hurlbert C. Shedd, were fined $10 each; William C. Hamilton and George H. Faxon, $15 each; Arthur H. Bowditch, Alba M. Kent and Isaac R. Thomas, $20 each, for exceeding the speed limit with automobiles in the reservation.

Joseph M. Everett was find $15 for exceeding the speed limit with an automobile at Milton.

The continued case of Louis Schatzl, for assault at Quincy was called. Case placed on file upon payment of costs amounting to $2.80.

The continued case of James W. Walsh for larceny of tools from the Fore River Shipbuilding Co., was heard and he was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

The continued case of Charles E. Bicknell of Weymouth for felonious assault was heard and he was held in $1,000 for the grand jury.

The liquors seized from Frank N. Benson at Quincy were forfeited.

The thirty-eight game cocks and three sets of scales seized at Weymouth were ordered destroyed.

Jacob Visula was arraigned for assault on Calrina Visula at Quincy. He was fined $15. Sentence suspended until July 7.

Patrick Duggan was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy. Sentence suspended until July 7.

The continued case of Michel Canale for indecent exposure at Quincy was called, and he was sentenced to three months in the house of correction. Appealed.

James M. O'Connor was arraigned for non support of his family at Quincy. Case continued until July 7.

—Past Department Commander George H. Innis of the G. A. R., has been nominated as Commander of the Ancients, to be voted for at the historic and time-honored annual drum-head election which is to be held in Boston, on the first Monday of June.

—The "South-End" ball-team of Norwood would like games with 15-17 year old uniformed teams. Will pay half expenses or return game. If beaten 2 out 3 games will surrender handsome trophy to the winning team. For conditions and arrangements address Geo. Buchman, mgr., 10 Concord avenue, Norwood, Mass.

Deaths.

BATTISON—In Wollaston, May 13, Mrs. Charlotte A., wife of Mr. William J. Battison, aged 62 years.

GURNEY—In Wollaston, May 13, Walter L. Gurney of 14 Standish avenue, aged 19 years and 8 months.

BARRETT—At National Sailors Home, May 16. Mr. John Barrett, aged 63 years.

CURLEY—In Weymouth, May 12, Mr. William H. Curley of Granite street in his 38th year.

DUNKERLEY—In South Braintree, May 12, Mr. Walter H. Dunkerley, son of

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Poetry.

Angel of the Commonplace.

MARIANNE FARNINGHAM.

Lighten the morning, fill the day
With visions from the infinite;
Throw hope across the soddened way,
Change the soiled robes for garments white
And let us see through winsome grace
An angel in the commonplace.

Let us exalt all common things
To high endeavors and great aims
And see the glint of angel wings
Shining across familiar names,
And understand that it is given
To earth to be the door of heaven.

Oh, homely faces of dear friends,
And household pictures in the fires,
And humble duties with wise ends,
And faithful loves and pure desires,
Could we not better lose than these
All unfamiliar joys that please?

Notes and Comments.

—An incident which shows how hard it is for some people to break away from habits of years' duration, is daily illustrated at the post office by parties dropping in letters upon which they have placed only one cent for postage when they are addressed to parties in Quincy. Since the introduction of the free delivery it costs just as much to send a letter to a person in Quincy as though he lived in Florida and the party to whom the letter is addressed must pay the amount of postage due before he receives the letter.

—The quarterly meeting of the New York Mutual Life Insurance company just held indicates a reduction in general expenses exclusive of commissions of over $1,400,000. Independent of this reduction there was an increase of $362,890 in the revenue from interests and rents for the quarter. On this basis, including the reduction in general expenses and the increased revenue from interest and rentals, the report indicates an annual saving of nearly $2,000,000 in the cost of management. It pays to clean out the Augean stables once in a while, and the public are finding it to their advantage to do so.—Rockland Standard.

—Miss Vining, editor of the Hall Beacon, says: "I have for many years endeavored to teach the people who come to the seashore during the summer, that, by delaying their arrival until July, they miss two of the best months in the year. May and June are ideal months at the shore, either for a residence or for a day's outing. The trees are putting forth their buds and blossoms, the flowers just beginning to unfold their fragrant beauties, the grass is fresher and greener than at any other season of the year, the air is invigorating and not too sultry; the ocean takes on its greenest and bluest tinges by turns, and nature, like a young giant, awakened from a refreshing sleep, puts forth its most attractive and alluring qualities for the benefit of mankind."

—So desirous is Canada of securing immigrants, that she pays a bounty of of $13 on every British agricultural laborer, and $5 on each settler from the continent, the money being paid to the the immigration agents. The conditions of this country are entirely reversed, and it is now proposed to levy a tax on each new arrival in order to keep down the great influx of foreigners. This last proposition does not seem exactly the proper method to pursue, for if the quality of the immigration is good, we can hardly have too much of it; if it is undesirable, we have no use for them. It would be far better to raise the standard for admission, and so benefit the country.—Old Colony Memorial.

—The New York Legislature has repealed the law enacted last year, imposing a tax on mortgages. It was found that to make the money lender pay the tax was an impossibility. The borrower simply had the rate raised on him and he paid the tax, which was not at all what the Legislature intended.

—One of the most interesting inventions of the day is the "seeing telephone" or "televue." A Portland, Oregon, inventor, recently demonstrated that his televue could transmit sights and sounds over a distance of 5,000 feet. A German inventor has a televue one hundred miles long, which carries sounds distinctly and produces an exact photograph of the person telephoning. The German claims that the photographs can be transmitted just as accurately over five thousand miles of telegraph line or submarine cable. The invention has its advantages—but it will be rather distressing to be obliged to witness the facial contortions of the man at the other end when you tell him that the line is so noisy you can't hear a word he says.—Randolph Register.

—Young ladies and elephants attain their growth at eighteen. But here anology ceases. One trunk is enough for an elephant but a lady wants several.

—Any one in Denmark who pays the State six pounds and ten shillings when he is 21 is entitled to an annuity of 13 pounds when he becomes 65. But if he dies before that time the State gets the money.

—The coal miners are reported to be indulging in manifestations of great joy at the settlement of the differences between their leaders and the coal operators. This reveals the extreme innocence of the miners who have been the only losers since work was stopped several weeks ago. They have gained nothing by following the advice of their leaders and have lost over $10,000,000 in wages.—Banker and Tradesman.

—Among the immigrants to this country during the past year were 12,000 professional men ranging from physicians to actors and musicians, and a large number of teachers, architects, clergymen, etc. Some of the teachers were classed high in the old world, and included those of almost every nation, on the earth.

—Who's saying anything about tainted money these days? And yet the saving of souls and bodies both enters the nation's present strenuous efforts to relieve San Francisco. Mere theology is barred completely out in a time like this.—Boston Courier.

—The Jamestown exposition to be held at Norfolk, Virginia, next year in observance of the three hundreth anniversary of the first white settlement within the territory now comprising the United States, is not likely to be given up, in spite of the claim that a Spaniard settled on the Pacific coast near the present town of Monterey, California, in December, 1602, or five years prior to the settlement of Jamestown.—Milford Gazette.

—The Mansfield News thinks that "it would be a positively refreshing relief to have a few weeks when the Boston dailies were not exploiting the grewsome details of a New England murder."

—One outcome of the San Francisco conflagration may be legislation limiting the amount of liability that any insurance company is allowed to incur in any one city. It certainly isn't right that an insurance company should take risks in one place exceeding the amount of its assets.—Somerville Journal.

Church of President.

The Four Track News for May, that very entertaining monthly published by the New York Central Railroad, had an illustrated article of local interest from the pen of S. Harris Ferris. We quote as follows:

Near the middle of a big, central square, surrounded by graceful elms and neatly kept grass-plots, in the quiet city of Quincy, Massachusetts, stands an old, gray granite edifice locally known as the "Church of the Presidents." Beneath its enduring walls rests all that is mortal of two chief magistrates of the Nation, John Adams and John Quincy Adams, with ther respective wives.

The Unitarian society worshiping in the building is one of the oldest religious organizations in the country, having been formed in 1639, being in a sense, an outgrowth of a congregation established two years earlier in the neighborhood, by Rev. John Wheelwright, who was banished from the colony for holding heretical theological opinions.

The history of the society, extending so far back into the misty past, naturally embalms the story of many deeply interesting events. The Rev. John Hancock served the congregation for many years as its pastor, and during the time baptized his son, of the same name, who afterwards became the great patriot and statesman.

Among other interesting happenings recorded in the church books are the baptism and admission to full communion of dainty and beautiful little Dorothy Q., the subject of Dr. Holmes' famous poem beginning:

"Grandmother's mother, her age, I guess,
Thirteen summers, or something less;
Girlish bust, but womanly air;
Smooth, square forehead with uprolled hair,
Lips that lover had never kissed;
Taper fingers and slender wrist."

Nearly all the outlines of the exterior of the venerable church are severely plain, betraying the Puritanic character of the designers. The interior, however, produces an impression that is much more pleasing. The pews, it is true, are of the rectangular, straight-back, uncomfortable kind, that were commonly used in the early orthodox places of worship in New England. The ceiling, though, is quite ornamental, and behind the pulpit is a great lambrequin, or curtain, of crimson velvet, attractively draped and plaited.

It is, however, upon the marble mortuary tablets, at either side of the pulpit, that the eyes rest longest, while the mind ponders their quaint wording. A condensation of one of the inscriptions is as follows:

"Beneath these walls are deposited the mortal remains of John Adams, second president of the United States. On the fourth of July, 1776, he pledged his life, fortune and sacred honor to the Independence of his Country. On the fourth of July, 1826, he was summond to the Independence of Immortality, and the judgment of God. At his side sleeps till the trumpet shall sound, Abigail, his beloved and only wife."

Briefly the other tablet reads:

"Near this place reposes all that could die of John Quincy Adams, sixth president of the United States. Amidst the storms of civil commotion he nursed the vigor which serves a statesman and a patriot, and the faith which inspires a Christian. For more than half a century, whenever his country called for his labors, in either hemisphere or in any capacity, he never spared them in her cause. Beside him lies his life partner for fifty years, Louisa Catherine."

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following are the recent real estate transfers.

Peter McCohárty to Rose Guarino.
J. Winthrop Pratt to Meyer Abrams.
Annie M. Kelley to William J. Hennessey, (3).
Frances S. Edwards et al to Walter J. Coombs.
Hugh P. Tracy et ux to Thomas F. Murphy.
Thomas F. Murphy to Julia A. Tracy.
Francelina E. Quimby to Hattie H. Wagner.
Herbert L. Bearce to William J. Tilley.
Joseph W. Robertson by trustee to Edmund G. Hayden.
Albert W. Parker to Mary R. Lyons, $2,000.
Mary R. Lyons to Harry E. Sherburne.
Winfield A. Andrews to Emma E. Andrews.
Daniel C. Pope to Catherine C. Pope et al.
William Allison to Victor Leeman et al.
Thomas J. Dwyer to Sara Himmel.
George W. Hopkins et al, trustee, to Edgar W. James.
Charles L. Bartlett to Patrick Dolan.
Harlow H. Rogers to Theophilus King.
George W. Humphrey to Susan M. Roberts.
Elizabeth A. Leeds to Frederick A. Leeds.
William H. Trask to W. G. Carl Roessler.
Nathan G. Nickerson to John Leeco.
John W. Chisholm to William R. Payne.
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Yachting News.

The yachting season is now at hand. Lovers of this invigorating sport who are fortunate enough to own yachts, or have friends who do, are busy talking of the events of the coming season.

At all of the boat yards an unusual scene of activity presents itself. Covers have been taken off the yachts hauled up last fall for the winter. Their bottoms are being scraped and painted and the few repairs necessary are being made preparatory to sliding them into the water.

Not a few of the boats are already in the water. Among these might be mentioned the two rivals Hustler and Marvel. While there have been no scheduled races as yet these two flyers have already had several scraps and the rivalry is just as keen as ever.

The orders of the Boston police to stop Sunday work on yachts not in the water has not yet been extended to Quincy.

Ex-Commodore Fred B. Rice of the Quincy Yacht club has sold the Velella to Pearson Bros. of this city.

At Barrows & Sprague's yards they are building a power tender. The Josephine and C. C. are already in the water, and there are several others that will be in before many days.

At Bakers Yacht Pasin the new cape cat for Mr. Nickerson, named "Arawak," is in the water, and her owner expects to make some of the boats hustle the coming season. Work at this yard is rushing. Many private steamers have been stored here during the winter months and work getting them ready for the water is being pushed along as fast as possible.

C. C. Hanley is building two 21-footers which are nearly ready for launching. One is for Fletcher Paper Co. of Alford, Mich., and the other is for W. P. B. Weeks, who will race her in Buzzard's bay. The Fletcher Co. boat will take part in the races for the Lipton cup. Both are 38 feet overall, 7 feet 6 inches beam and 6 feet 6 inches draught. The Fletcher boat will carry 850 square feet of sail, and the Weeks boat, which is a centreboard, will carry 650 square feet of sail.

The "Atlanta," A. A. Lincoln's new boat, has been launched and she has been sailed several times. She is a flyer.

The Quincy Yacht club-house has been opened for the season, and Frank Pray has been engaged as janitor for another year.

Vice-commodore H. W. Robbins has moved to Houghs Neck for the summer, and he is out in the Hustler nearly every day. He says that he will do the Marvel all right this year.

The Quincy Yacht club has a hustling set of officers headed by Commodore Frank Fessenden Crane, and unless all signs fail, there will be races enough this season to suit everybody. Aside from the open races of the Y. R. A., there will be the usual club races and the races for the Quincy Yacht Club challenge cup, which will be held in August. There will also be a series of interclub races. The annual open race in Quincy July 26 will doubtless be the largest in the history of the club, for besides being an open race for the Y. R. A., it will also be the date for the interclub race off the club house. Then again the club will doubtless receive an invitation to participate in the Corinthian invitation races in August off Marblehead.

The schedule of events of the Quincy club for the season is as follows:—

May 26. Club race, 2.30 o'clock.
May 30. Y. R. A. and Interclub races at South Boston.
June 2. Club race, 3 o'clock.
June 9. Club race, 2.30 o'clock.
June 16. Club race, 3 o'clock.
June 23. Club race, 2.30 o'clock.
June 30. Mosquito Club Interclub at South Boston.
July 7. Club race, 2.30 o'clock.
July 12. Ladies' Day.
July 14. Columbia Club Interclub.
July 26. Y. R. A. open and Interclub races at Quincy.
Aug. 11. Wollaston Club Interclub at Wollaston.
Aug. 25. Y. R. A. open at Duxbury.
Sept. 8. Squantum Interclub at Squantum.

The time for the start of the open and interclub race is to be fixed at a later date.

The races for the Quincy Yacht Club challenge cup will probably be held between Aug. 11, and Aug. 25. The exact dates have not been decided upon.

The dates of the fixtures of the Wollaston and Squantum clubs have not been announced.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Caroline Dabney, daughter of Mr. Lewis S. Dabney of 298 Beacon street to Mr. Augustin H. Parker of Southville, Mass., which was announced the middle of the week is the leading topic of interest in society says the Boston Globe. Miss Dabney's mother who has been dead for some years was a Bigelow of Quincy and a sister of Mrs. Philip V. R. Ely. Mrs. George W. Armory of 391 Beacon street whose daughters are the Misses Constance M. and Lena Armory, is an aunt. Miss Dabney's only brother is Mr. Frederick L. Dabney of Bay State road. Mr. Parker who resides with his brother and sister-in law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Parker (Rose Guild) of Southville, is a grandson of the late Mrs. Fay of Dartmouth street, and first cousin of Mr. Dudley B. Fay of Beacon street.

Vaudeville.

The young people of First church gave a fine vaudeville show May 11th to a large audience. Mrs. Waller of New York as Mrs. Jarley was capital, both in her dress and acting, as were also the "figgers."

George Brown of Wollaston made a decided hit in his coon songs. His white spats, purple coat, green gloves, red necktie and silk hat were stunning. His performance was worthy of a professional and encores were loud and long. In the last song he hit up local matters such as water meters, gas, ice, etc.

The Huntings in their opera burlesque repeated their former success and were loudly applauded, especially Dr. Hunting, in his ballet. He was repeatedly called back and the whole troupe received a curtain call at the end of the performance.

Trolley Express.

The trolley freight service by the Old Colony Street Railway was started on Monday between Brockton and Providence says the Enterprise and everything moved along smoothly. The first car to be sent out left Brockton at 9 o'clock, with Felix Durand as motorman and T. J. Edic as messenger. Both are Brockton men. George Dunford, general freight agent, was in charge of the arrangements and the car started out with a large load of varied merchandise. It attracted a lot of attention and proved a welcome sight to merchants here and produce raisers in the outlying districts. The car went through to Providence, making stops at the various towns along the way, and at each stop a considerable amount of express was taken aboard. The first car from Providence arrived at Brockton at 12 o'clock.

Letter from South Africa.

The Technology Review for April contained the following letter from J. A. Pitts now in South Africa, which will be of interest to his Quincy friends:

Johannesburg, Jan. 19, 1906.

I have been out here now about four months, getting here the middle of September. I had a swell trip down here on the steamer. I tell you, it is a good deal better to travel first-class and have everything done for you than it is to travel on a fruit steamer, and sling oil for your living.

Much to my surprise and that of all my friends, I graduated last June from M. I. T., and at once accepted this position. Before coming here, I spent six weeks in New Jersey with the Manhattan Rubber Company, Robins Belt Conveying Company, and with the New York Lubricating Oil Company. Then I lit out for the unknown. I came first to England, and from England to Cape Town, and thence to Johannesburg by rail, the whole trip being a little over 10,000 miles.

My first impression of Jo—burg was that it was the dustiest place I had ever seen, and that first impression still holds good. The Main Reef runs right through the city, and stretches out about 30 miles on each side. The winds out here get hold of the waste dumps, and scatter them gently over the whole city. It is not so bad now in the summer, for it is the rainy season; but, when the dry season comes, it is fierce.

The firm with whom I am employed is Frazer & Chalmers, and they are probably the largest firm in South Africa dealing with mining supplies. Mr. B. M. Mitchell, who is the assistant manager, graduated from Tech in 1893. Mr. Park, the manager, is also an American. There are a great many Americans here, the greater proportion of the consulting engineers and mine managers coming from the States. I went to an American college dinner about a month ago, and there were twenty-seven different colleges represented.

My work at present is mostly in connection with lubricating oils and belting, packing, etc. I am out on the Reef, visiting the different mines, etc., almost every day. In order for me to get around quickly, the firm have bought me a large motorcycle on which I expect to break my neck sooner or later. I find my work very interesting and not in the least tiresome. After I have been out here a year, it will be better than ever, as it will be more varied.

There is one thing about this country which I am not struck on, and that is the price of everthing. Eggs cost $1 a dozen. You can't get decent board under $50 a month, and a small room cost $20-$25 a month. Clothes cost the same as in the States.

Most of the get-rich-quick schemes out here consist in buying shares, and then selling them for about one-half what you paid for them. None of that for me.

If any of this is printed, kindly send me a copy, as it will be the first novel I have ever had published. As ever,

J. A. Pitts.

No Increase Granted.

The wage scale on the Old Colony and Boston & Northern street railway companies for the past three years has been:

Year of Service.	Per hour.
First year,	20 cts.
Second year,	21 cts.
Third and fourth,	22 cts.
Fifth, sixth and seventh,	23 cts.
Eighth, ninth and tenth,	24 cts.
Over 10 years,	25 cts.

The men employed on the two systems have recently demanded that they be paid a flat rate of 28 cents an hour and a 9-hour day. This matter has been under consideration by Pres. P. F. Sullivan of the two companies, who gave his formal answer to committee representing the unions on the lines of the two systems at a conference held at his office in Boston May 11th.

President Sullivan pointed out in his reply that it was impossible for the companies in justice to the three parties interested, the public, the investors in the companies and the men themselves to pay more than they are paying at present.

He said in part:

"Your request, if granted, would increase wages in the case of car men varying from 12 to 40 per cent; in other classes from 27.34 to 54.32 per cent; the total amounting to $191,929.01 per annum. Comparing this latter amount with dividends of $146,248 00 paid in 1905 and $204,378.00 paid in 1904, is any further argument necessary?

"The present scale of wages went into effect March 1, 1903, and amounted to an average of increase of 12 1-2 per cent. This percentage is greater now owing to the fact that some employees have had three years longer service. Since that time dividends have been reduced. I wish to state here and now, that if the company in 1903 could have forseen the changed conditions, and greatly increased cost of operation, such increase would not have been granted.

Other reasons are given, and in conclusion President Sullivan says:

"Your request that all employees of this company shall become members of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America will not be granted. This company does not discriminate against a member of a labor organization; it will not discriminate against a person who is not a member of such organization. Should it decide to discriminate against the latter the Supreme Court of this State has decided such act unlawful.

"The management has under consideration minor details contained in your request and will give them careful and unprejudiced consideration. Among others under consideration is one guaranteeing to all spare men a fixed weekly amount of wages. Of this you will be advised at an early date. The foregoing is the unanimous decision of the Directors of this company, which I approve."

Held Up by Two Thugs.

Theodore Hermanson the well known athlete, was held up by two thugs on Common street Saturday evening. According to all accounts however the two fellows got all they wanted and some to spare.

Mr. Hermanson was on his way up Common street on a bicycle to attend a social gathering. There is quite a sharp grade at this point and he was riding slowly. He met two men who came toward him. He paid no attention to them however. Suddenly, one of them struck him a stunning blow knocking him from his wheel. He picked himself up and sailed into the two men and according to his story, the fur began to fly and they got all that was coming to them.

They finally got away. Mr. Hermanson did not know the parties but he got a good description of them which he furnished the police. When he arrived at the house where the party was in progress his clothing was bespattered with blood. He said that he was not injured, however, and that the two men probably had more need of a physician then he.

Howdidhe Successful.

Charles E. Dornan, Quincy's Howdidhe, was successful Saturday in making his escape from the vault at the furniture store of W. G. Shaw, thus furnishing conclusive proof that something stronger than handcuffs and locks are necessary to keep the young man in confinement.

To anyone who has taken the time to look at the vault it seemed like an impossibility to escape without outside help. Yet this young man apparently had no difficulty in doing so. How did he do it? No one but himself knows. That he was successful in getting out, the large number who witnessed the performance can testify.

In response to a general invitation sent out by Mr. Shaw, a large crowd gathered at the store Saturday. The furniture outside of the office had been removed, furnishing ample space for the spectators. Inside of the office were Horace F. Spear, who locked the vault, Lieutenant D. R. McKay who applied the handcuffs, and several newspaper men. Nearby was an enterprising photographer with his camera all focused ready to catch a picture of the young man as he walked out.

It was not far from the hour of 3 o'clock when D. R. McKay snapped the handcuffs about Dornan's wrists and with one of those smiles that won't wash off, the young man walked inside of the vault. Mr. Spear quickly closed the inner door and locked it placing the key on a hook near the door. Then the outer door was closed and the combination turned.

A small screen was placed in front of the door, and everybody waited for developments. They did not have to wait long, for soon there was a click as the bolt of the inner door slid back. It was then figured out that the young man was in the small space between the two doors. Subsequent developments proved that they were right in their supposition, for in an amazingly short space of time the outer door was seen to move, and the next instant Mr. Dornan made his appearance.

He was greeted with a round of applause and then there came a sharp report as the photographer exploded a flash light cartridge. He seemed no worse for his confinement in the vault, and in response to a query as to how he did it, replied that it was easy, if you only knew how. Which is probably true.

About 25 minutes expired from the time the outer door was locked until he made his appearance.

When the young man entered the vault he had no tools of any kind, other than a flash light. As an extra precaution the face of the locks on both doors had been covered with sealing wax and an examination of these showed that they had not been tampered with, and to all appearances the vault was in exactly the same condition as when he entered.

To say that the audience was amazed would be putting it mild. They were dumbfounded. Many of them were willing to wager, when the young man entered the vault, that he would not get out until someone on the outside unlocked the door and let him out, but he did.

Many of those present took the opportunity after the exhibition to inspect the large line of house furnishing goods carried by Mr. Shaw and all ladies who presented the coupon cut from Friday's Daily Ledger and the Quincy Patriot received a gift of a cake of toilet soap while the gentlemen having a coupon received match safes.

What will "Howdidhe" do next!

Entertainment.

Division 22, A. O. H., entertained nearly 800 members of the order from all over Norfolk and Suffolk counties at St. Mary's hall on Saturday evening. The occasion was a visit of Division 3, of Randolph to work the four degrees of the new ritual.

The gathering was welcomed by President John S. Dolan of Division 22, who introduced President Edward Long and his staff of officers from Division 22. The staff was composed as follows:

Patrician,—Edward Long.
Bard,—M. F. Sullivan.
Oracle,—Joseph Kelliher.
Grand Scribe,—Joseph H. Foster.
Grand Guard,—James G. Hoye.
Guards of Honor,—Timothy O'Leary, M. M. Sullivan, Joseph Dent, Edward Mahoney, James Mahoney, Charles McMahon, Farrell H. Cain.
Sentinel,—John P. Rooney.

During the first part of the evening there was a concert of Irish melodies given by John A. Hoye, Thomas Boyle, M. F. Boyle, Lawrence McGrath, Howard Foley, Edward Cusby, Joseph McMahon and Thomas Kiernan. Joseph S. Dempsey was pianist. These gentlemen also acted as choristers during the conferring of the degrees upon the forty candidates.

After the work of the evening the Quincy team gave an exemplication of floor work which was one of the best ever seen in Quincy.

An adjournment was then made to the rooms of Division 22, where a banquet was served.

President Dolan acted as toastmaster and remarks were made by President Long of Division 3, Randolph; President M. J. Walsh, Division 18; Cornelius Duggan, Division 15; Jeremiah Dinneen, Division 4; M. M. Barrett, Division 5 of Quincy; Vice president M. F. Sullivan, recording secretary Joseph H. Foster, financial secretary M. Shayes and treasurer P. Brady of Randolph; William P. Boyd, Edward Monahan, David Farrell and James Sweeney. Songs were given by James Flanerry and Hugh Golden.

Over a Hundred Years Old.

The office of Probation Officer Francis A. Spear at the district court room was fragrant with the odor of beautiful flowers Tuesday which the smoke of many cigars could not overcome. The reason of this unusual floral decoration was that it was the anniversary of the day a number of years ago when he was ushered into this world.

Frank looks just as young today as ever. Age does not seem to tell upon him, and if looks count for anything he will continue to hold down the Probation Officer's chair for years to come.

While his friends saw to it that bouquets of beautiful flowers found their way to his office, he in turn saw to it that there should be a plentiful supply of fruit and cigars on hand, and the dozens who shook his hand heartily and wished him many happy returns of the day smoked and ate fruit.

As soon as court was over he hiked himself to what he is pleased to call "Lazyhurst," where he passed the balance of the day with pleasant surroundings.

The callers at his office were largly those whose business requires their daily attendance at court. At "Lazyhurst," however, there was an almost endless stream of callers all day. To all who asked which birthday it was he replied 104.

Base Ball.

Merrymounts defeated Boston Unions at Merrymount Park on Saturday in an interesting game.

The Unions started in the first and scored, Craig put a three bagger to right and scored on Rings two bagger. Foley reached first on Taylors error and they both scored on Jones hit, Cullen reached first but Attridge was an easy out.

In the sixth after two men were out Foley got a two bagger and scored on Jones hit to center field, this finished the scoring for the Unions.

The Merrymounts opened the first by scoring two runs, Taylor and Baker getting first and getting home with the help of a couple of errors and clever base stealing.

In the second, a base on ball by Bennett who advance on Leach hit to short and Kolson filled the bases with a hit, and all scored on Taylor's three base hit to right field. Taylor scored on Baker's hit and Baker advanced to second on Stevens' base on balls and both advanced when Cole got hit by the ball, and Baker scored on Hoxie's fly, but Cole was forced at second on fielder's choice.

In the fourth, Baker and Stevens got a free pass and advanced on Cole's out and Baker stole home,

In the seventh, Bennett hit safely and stole second, and advanced to third on Leach's hit to second base. Bennett scored on a wild pitch by Foley. This ended the scoring by Merrymounts.

The features of the game were the fielding of Baker and Craig. As the weather was cold, the attendance was rather small, there being about 400 present to root for the home team.

The score by innings:

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Merrymounts,	2	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	0—9
Boston Unions,	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—4

Two-base hits—Ring, Foley. Three-base hits—Taylor, Craig. Struck out—By Kolson, 3; by Foley, 2. Bases on balls—By Foley, 6. Passed balls—By Leach, McIntyre. Wild pitches—By Foley. Hit by pitched ball—Cole. Umpire—Cunningham. Time—1h, 30m.

The Fore River nine defeated the Deweys of Weymouth at Quincy Point on Saturday in one of the most exciting games ever played on a local diamond, and before a very enthusiastic crowd of followers of both clubs.

There was a great demonstration in the last half of the ninth inning when with the score 5 to in Dewey's favor, Drake singled two runs and scored on a terrific crash to left centre which nearly hit the battleship Vermont in the basin. The crowd carried him from grounds on their shoulders.

Donaher and Drake played in midsummer form the latter, catching Patterson's delivery in great style. Patterson had Dewey completely at his mercy after the fatal fourth inning in which round Dewey stored all its runs.

The score by innings.

*Drake out for interference; none out when winning run was scored.

Fore River	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	2—6
Dewey	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0—5

Earned runs—Fore River, 2; Dewey, 1. Two-base hits—Drake. Home run—Birnie. Double plays—Duggan to Drake. Struck out—By Patterson, 7; Cate, 6. Bases on balls—By Patterson, 3; Cate, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Osgood 1. Reardon 1. Umpire, Reagan. Time, 1h, 47m.

The Quincy Points showed that they were able to play good base ball on Saturday by defeating the Harons of Roxbury, by the score of 10 to 4. The playing of both teams was clean and snappy all through the game. Capt. Smith of the local team set his usual high example of batting by making his second home run hit of the season. The fielding of Bonney and Mullen was especially good, Mullen making several catches that were thought to be impossible to get.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Quincy Point	1	0	3	1	1	2	1	0	1—10
Huron A. C.	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0—4

OTHER GAMES.

Glendales of Jamaica Plain, 8; Atlantics, 2.

Bigelows, 6; Glendales, of Roxbury, 4.

Worcester High, 5; Thayer Academy, 2.

Milton Academy 12; M. I. T., '08, 7.

The Boys A. C. nine defeated the Defenders on Saturday 15 to 0. Donovan and Donaher were the battery of the victors. Donovan is from Detroit and played with a club there. The Boys A. C. would like to hear from the Fore Rivers, the Merrymounts or the Copelands.

Field Day.

The first annual field meet of the Boys' department of the Quincy Young Men's Christian Association, will be held today at Franklin Park, Dorchester. The events will be as follows subject to changes:

50-yd. dash.
100-yd dash.
3-legged race.
Base ball throw.
Hop, step and jump.
Running broad jump.
Standing broad jump.
Shoe race.
Running high jump.

Each event counts 2 points except 3 legged race which counts 1 for each participant.

The feature of the day will be the base ball game between South Boston Y. M. C. A. Juniors and Quincy Y. M. C. A. Juniors. It will be Quincy's first game, and Capt. Russell Bates has a strong snappy team to back him up. The players in battery order are:

First Team		Second Team
G. Ericksen	p	L. Brooks
H. Mitchell	3 b	A. Artes
C. Costello	1 b	W. Manning
R. Bates	s s	J. McGregor
A. Marsh	1 f	F. Gross
K. Pinel	c	C. Tinglof
F. Gullicksen	2 b	J. Pinel
H. Miller	c f	A. Isaacsen
M. Olsen	r f	H. Brown

This field meet will be an annual affair and it is hoped that many fellows will enter in the sports. All will arrive home at 5 P. M. Basket lunch.

—The proposal to increase the insurance rates all over the country, to make up for the losses in San Francisco, is an injustice to those cities, which because of the careful building laws and adequate fire protection, have secured low rates. Every city and town should be judged by its own individual conditions, and the rates made to conform to such. A level increase over the whole country would be manifestly most unfair, and if the fire insurance companies are wise, they will think twice taking any such step.—Old Colony Memorial.

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Baked Chocolate Pudding. Break up half a cake of sweet chocolate, and boil in one quart of milk. Pour this over one cupful of breadcrumbs. Beat two eggs with one cupful of light brown sugar, and add to the chocolate and breadcrumbs. Season with vanilla. Bake in a buttered dish, and serve with hard sauce. Sauce for the pudding: Beat to a cream one cupful of sugar with one-half cupful of butter; add the whites of two eggs beaten stiff, and flavor with grated nutmeg and a little orange juice. Set it on ice until wanted.

Fruit Punch. Pour one cup strong tea over one cup sugar. Add three-quarters cup orange juice, one-third cup lemon juice, one pint strawberry juice, one pint ginger ale and one pint Appollinaris. Strain into punch bowl over a large piece of ice and garnish with slices of orange.

Spiced Pudding. Soak one packed cupful of brown crusts of bread in one pint of scalded milk until soft. Then add one-half cupul of molasses, scant measure, a saltspoonful of salt, and one fourth of a level teaspoonful of mixed spice, and from one-half to one cupful of raisins Stir occasionally at first and bake in a very moderate oven for nearly one hour.

Escaped from Vault.

Since Howdidhe made his escape from the vault in W. G. Shaw's furniture store last Saturday, almost everybody who could get access to a vault has been trying his luck.

There are several similar vaults in City Hall and some of the young men have been trying their luck during noon hours.

Tim De Coste, one of the young men in the City Engineers office, has mastered the trick and can make his escape. He demonstrated the trick this morning in the presence of a number of city employees.

The vault from which he escaped is the big one beneath the main entrance. This vault has an electric light in it so that it is light at all times.

Tuesday DeCoste went in and allowed himself to be locked in. Then the crowd waited.

In seven minutes from the time he was locked in the doors opened and he walked out.

He claims that no screw driver is used in the trick, but it is simply a turn of the wrist.

When he came out his thumb and forefinger were bruised and bleeding showing that he had been used roughly.

—The pupils of the Weymouth High school held an inter-class field meet on Monday. The class of 1906 won 57 points, the class of 1907 won 22 points, the class of 1909 won 15 points and the class of 1908 won 4 points. There were eleven events.

Anecdotes.

Bjones—"The best I can say for him is that he is consistent."

Bjohson—"How so?"

Bjones—"Well, he's pigeon-toed and chicken-hearted."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

It was in a Maine Sunday school that a teacher recently asked a Chinese pupil she was teaching to read if he understood the meaning of the words "an old cow."

"Been cow a long time," was the prompt answer—Lippincott's.

"Popley's baby is beginning to talk now."

"Has he been boring you with some stories about it?"

"No; but I sat next to him at the lunch counter today, and I heard say, absented-mindedly, to the waiter: 'Dime a jink o' water p'ease'"—Philadelphia Press.

Papa—"Your mother tells me you haven't been a very good boy today, Johnny."

Johnny—"Between us, pa, I think she's a little prejudiced against me. It was only the other day she told Aunt Katie that I was just like you."—Boston Transcript.

"There's something the matter with this clock," said the office boy; "it won't strike."

"Heavens!" exclaimed the excited captain of industry; "and it's union made too!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Colonial Theatre.

Probably no actress in America can portray as effectively as Miss Grace George such a composite character as Lady Kitty Bristol in the dramatization of Mrs. Humphrey Ward's novel, "The Marriage of William Ashe." In the first scene, what more touching than the childish naivete of the girl, whose mother had disgraced her, among her cold-blooded English relatives, who looked upon her as a pariah even as she entered carrying the little waif dog she saved from the streets in her arms. In a moment Miss George gained the heart of the audience as she unaffectedly fed the mongrel from her own formerly served dinner plate, as she laughingly chaffed William Ashe with being the regulation British goody-goody, and lured him and the wretched villian poet, Goeffrey Cliffe, into dancing a Spanish cachucha in which she used the silver covers of the dishes for castanets. At the close, as she acknowledged she loved the man who offered her his mother's home when she was expelled from her aunt's, she gave her undisciplined heart so charmingly that the audience loved her as well as William Ashe did.

In the fourth act, the very frivolity and inane lack of judgment in her effort to place her husband above the other members of the English cabinet by belittling even the Prime minister himself and exposing his meanesses and his follies in print, increase the pathos of the unfortunate wife, who thinks she had made William Ashe's political career, and finds she has destroyed it. Miss George's engagement at the Colonial closes on Saturday, May 26.

Empire Theatre.

The interesting announcement is made by the management of the Empire Theatre that an engagement has been effected with John Craig as leading man of the Empire stock company for the balance of the summer season. Mr. Craig is too well known to the amusement public of Boston and vicinity to need any words of introduction to the patrons of the Empire Theatre. He has gained an immense following among the theatrical public in his repeated seasons in Boston and there are few actors better equipped for the work he is to do. Mr. Craig will make his first appearance with the Empire company in William

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Amount at Risk,	$7,474,675 01
Cash Assets,	174,112.20
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	61,242 47
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$109,869.73
Contingent Assets,	114,617.7
Total Available Assets,	288,629.77
Gain in Surplus,	3,215.44

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Amount at Risk - - - -	$3 ,869,990.00
Cash Assets - - - -	507,409 00
Deposit Notes - - - -	647,081.17
Available Assets - - - -	1,434,360.24
Total Liabilities - - - -	308,543.29
Cash Surplus - - - -	198,86 .78
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - - -	4,48 .87
Gain in Assets in 1904 - - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	103,055.43
Dividends paid in 1904 - - -	68,294.25
Receipts in 1904 - - - -	244,429.85
Disbursements in 1904 - - -	228,975.58

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Reserve for Re-insurance (Fire)	4,506,936.04
Reserve for Unpaid Losses (Fire)	564,542 63
Reserve for Other Claims,	295,725.22
Net Surplus, - -	6,446 851.09
Total Assets,	15,814 054 98

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Decoration Day

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Soldiers do you hear the bugle
Calling as in days gone by,
When the battle lines were forming
And loud rang the battle cry?

Then your steps were firm and steady,
Strong and vigorous your arm,
In your eye the light of courage
That shrank not at war's alarm.

Not today the drum and bugle
Call you forth to do and die,
But to lay a soldier's tribute,
Wreaths of flowers, where comrades lie!

They have answered their last roll call,
Bivouacked now in Fame's fair Field,
Strew the flowers in love above them,
Keep from rust their sword and shield.

Though your forms are bowed and broken,
Slow your step and dim your eye,
Yet a nation stands uncovered
While each thinned rank marches by.

And when the last of all you heroes
Join your comrades in their rest,
Other hands will lay the spring flowers
Reverently above your breast.

Miscellany.

DOROTHY.

"Let's go back East, John."

"Back East! Bless your soul, Mirandy, we hain't got enough to get us across the Rocky Mountains. Might as well talk of goin' to the moon as to old Massachusetts."

"Got enough to go in an ox team, haven't you?"

"That would be too 'tarnel slow for me," said John. "Think I'd prefer a vestibule car on the Sunset Limited, an' if ever we go that's what we'll take."

"Little ought would make to me how I went, or how I looked, if I could once get back," replied his wife, with an energetic toss of her head.

"Lor' sakes, Mirandy! you seem to think there's no place on God's earth like old Massachusetts."

"Well, why shouldn't I when I was born an' brought up there! Many's the night I dream of it—the groves so cool an' still-like, the running brooks an' the shady lanes where the grass grew so green. Tell you what, John, you don't see anything like that in southern Californy."

"Maybe not, but your New England climate can't hold a candle to this. The folks at home don't eat peas an' strawberries for their Christmas dinner, or sit with their doors an' windows open on a day in January."

"No, an' I'm glad they don't. 'Tain't the natural way o' things. Many a time when I sit here sewin' I've wished for a good old-fashioned snow-storm, a howling blizzard, just to stir things up a little. There's Dorothy, doesn't even know what a snow-storm is, never went sleigh-riding in her life or coasted down hill on a double runner."

"She hain't pined for amusement all the same. Goes to more parties an' dances than you or I ever thought of in our day."

"Yes, she's one that would enjoy herself most anywhere, even on a frontier ranch. But the girl's missin' a good many things, John, an' I'd hate to think of her spendin' all her days here in Val Verde. It's as much on her account as my own that I want to go back."

"Well, just you keep a hopin' an' maybe there'll be a way provided one o' these days. Bad luck ain't goin' to follow us always," and with this the ever-sanguine John picked up his hat and left the room.

Mrs. Braynard paid little heed to her husband's remarks. She had heard their like too many times perhaps to derive much from them now in the way of consolation. Busy with her thoughts she plied the needle, half wondering the while that Dorothy should be so late.

In the midst of her musings the sound of voices came floating on the breeze, a girl's clear ringing laugh that was like music,—Dorothy's own,—and looking down the road she saw her coming on the old gray mare. Some one was riding with her,—Hilton Meredith she verily believed. They were walking their horses, and Dorothy as usual was talking animatedly, her red brown eyes sparkling with merriment. They had known each other for a year or more, these two. He had ridden home with her from the postoffice,—the way was too long and lonely for her to come alone, so he had told her; whereupon Dorothy had flashed one of her piquant glances, and accepted his escort, since it was pleasanter to have some one to talk to, especially one like Hilton Meredith, the most agreeable man by far that had yet crossed her path. Mrs. Braynard grew a trifle impatient the while, as she waited for Dorothy to bring in the mail. She had half a mind to call her, but no, it would not be necessary, for Meredith was lifting his hat now and turning his horse homeward. A moment later Dorothy came tripping up the walk, her face still wreathed in its happy smile.

"You've been long enough gettin' home, I hope," said Mrs. Braynard.

"Oh, not so very long, but the road 's so dusty, you know, and we had to walk our horses more'n half the way."

"Well, you no need to stood an' talked half an hour after you got here. For a 'feller' that's engaged to a girl back East, Hilton Meredith comes here altogether too often. First thing you know you'll get to likin' each other more'n you'd orter."

"O, never fear for us! We're just the best o' friends, that's all,—a sort of mutual consolation society," replied Dorothy, smilingly.

"I don't believe in them kind o' societies. 'Tain't safe for either of you. But where's the mail, Dorothy? Didn't you get anything?"

"Yes, a letter from Aunt Hilda. Here it is."

Mrs. Braynard hastily broke the seal. She had read, but a few lines when the letter dropped from her hands.

"Would you believe it!" she exclaimed. "Your Aunt Hilda's comin' to visit us, is on her way already. Early the following week their expected guest arrived. Dorothy recognized her the moment she stepped off the Overland, a tall lady in gray, with keen dark eyes and resolute chin.

"This is Aunt Hilda, is it not?" said Dorothy, going up to her with outstretched hand. "I'm your niece—one of the California productions, as Pa calls me."

Mrs. Evanston took her in at a glance,—this tall slip of a girl in gingham dress and shade hat, but who, in spite of her simple attire, had a charm of her own, and did not look in the least like an unsophisticated rustic. The two kissed each other, and Aunt Hilda remarked something about California productions being all right, especially when they came from New England stock. Then John came up with the carriage, and the three rode out to the ranch where Miranda had supper waiting. It seemed to Dorothy that she had never seen her mother quite as happy as she appeared that night. Aunt Hilda was certainly very entertaining, not at all the dignified, unapproachable creature she had pictured in her thoughts.

"It's the next best thing to goin' back East havin' you here, Hilda," said Mrs. Braynard in one of her confidential talks, some few weeks later. "I've been pretty near dead with homesickness. Pioneer life never agreed with me, anyhow, though 'tain't so bad now as when we first came out here. John took up a hundred an' sixty acres Government land, you know, an' set it out to barley an' vineyard, but 'twixt grasshoppers an' drought he's had a pretty hard time of it. 'Twas just all we could do to get enough money to send Dorothy off to school, — up at the Claremont Seminary,—but we managed after a fashion, an' proud enough we were the day she graduated, the prettiest girl in the whole lot of 'em, an' the smartest. How she keeps so bright an' cheery now she's back at the ranch is more'n I can account for. I've done my best to get her father to sell out. He's always waitin' though for a better offer, thinks he's goin' to get a big price some day if they're ever lucky enough to strike artesian water. I tell him we've lived on prospects long enough, but John's that stubborn when he gets an idea of his own, that talkin' don't do a bit o' good, an' I s'pect he'll stick to the ranch till he loses his last cent."

"Well, you have my sympathies, Mirandy, but let us hope with John that things 'll come out all right. In spite of his reverses he's always praising up California, I notice."

"Yes, an' he thinks I'm a bit cranky 'cause I don't rave as he does over the everlastin' sunshine an' the flowers an' fruit. All very nice, to be sure, but I tell him things were good enough for me back in New England. The fact is, I wasn't one o' the kind that transplantin' agreed with, an' there's never been a day when I wouldn't have been willin' an' glad to go back to the farm."

"How about Dorothy, would she like to go, do you think?" asked Mrs. Evanston.

"To be sure, if she ever had a chance."

"What do you say to my taking her home with me? A few years in the East would mean everything to a girl like Dorothy."

For a moment Mrs. Braynard said no word, so surprised was she at the unexpected offer. "Take our Dorothy—" she faltered.

"Yes, she's too pretty to waste her sweetness on the desert air, and it's time she saw something of the world. I could give her every advantage, you know."

"I suppose you could, Hilda, but it's all so sudden, an' I haven't had time to think it over yet."

"There'll be plenty of time for further consideration," said Mrs. Evanston. "Perhaps it would be best to let Dorothy decide for herself."

And so it came about that a very momentous question was handed over for Dorothy Braynard's consideration. To this fair, young creature, eager for the least diversion that came her way, it seemed a dream too glorious for realization. Had it not been for leaving the loved ones at home her decision would have been made in a moment; as it was she hesitated. But Aunt Hilda's wise counsel prevailed at last, and the news that Dorothy Braynard was going East soon spread from house to house throughout the settlement. Hilton Meredith heard of it at last. He was busy with his books there at the water company's office, and the news seemed to have interfered somewhat with rapid calculation and trial balances. On the spur of the moment he dashed off a note to Miss Braynard, telling her he should be happy to call on the following Sunday, and if it suited her pleasure they would go for a drive to Dripping Springs. Evidently it suited Miss Braynard's pleasure, for on the following Sunday these two were seen riding along the quiet country road that led to the foot-hills. All nature seemed to smile that day. A golden haze rested over the valley, and the air was soft and balmy, rich with the odor of sage and blooming chaparral. Dorothy in her white dimity and sailor hat was radiant. The expressive face with its peach-blow coloring and soft brown eyes had held a subtle attraction for Meredith from the first. And when at Dripping Springs she threw off her hat and sat down on the mossy rocks in the shade of the sycamore trees, he thought he had never seen her when she looked more fair. She was talking merrily the while, telling him about her prospective journey and the gay times she anticipated in the East.

"No doubt you're delighted to go," said Meredith, "but the place will seem like a howling wilderness without you."

"Not so bad as that, I hope. You'll still have Loizy Green to call on, and the widow Sarber."

"Rest assured I shall not find consolation with them."

"You're expecting somebody from the East, perhaps, so 'twill not be necessary," said Dorothy with an arch glance.

"No, Miss Treherne's coming is still indefinite. She's in no hurry to bury herself in Val Verde, I fancy."

"You should have painted the place in more glowing colors, a la Claude Melnotte. By the way, Aunt Hilda tells me that she has often met Miss Treherne in Elmwood, so in all probability I too shall make her acquaintance sooner or later. Strange how things come about, isn't it? As a specimen from Val Verde, and the whilom friend of Hilton Meredith, she'll be interested in me, don't you think?"

"She's interested already. I've often written about you in my letters—"

"And told her what good comrades we've been, I suppose. We've certainly got along very nicely. Your being engaged puts things on such a delightful footing. From the first we've understood each other perfectly."

"Are you quite sure we've understood each other?" he questioned.

"Certainly. You've said some very pleasant things to me—if I remember rightly—but I wasn't quite unsophisticated enough to believe in you."

"Things had been different, perhaps, had our paths crossed earlier," said he.

But Dorothy did not seem to hear, being very much absorbed just then, writing hieroglyphics in the sand. It was early twilight when at last the two rode homeward.

Time passed very quickly in the busy preparations for her departure, and at last came the long-looked-for day when Dorothy was to take her leave. And then the Overland steamed slowly out from the station, sombreros were lifted and handkerchiefs waved 'midst a chorus of farewells.

"I shall never tire of this quaint old place. I don't wonder, mother dear, that you've longed to come back where you could hear the babbling brooks and the whispering pines. God's country you called it, I remember. The orchard is in full bloom now. Every day I walk out to the grove on the hillside, or go rowing on the river. Out on the lawn the grass is like velvet — I just long to roll on it, and shout hallelujah, but restrain myself lest the neighbors think me a second edition of Topsy from the wild and woolly West."

Six months later she sent her picture. She was in evening dress, her hair coiled high in the latest approved fashion; and the face that looked out so brightly seemed to have gained an added loveliness. At least so thought Hilton Meredith when Mirandy brought out the picture for his inspection. He had called to consult with John about a little matter of business, and while he waited Mrs. Braynard entertained him with several of Dorothy's letters. Evidently he was much interested for he listened very attentively. Indirectly he heard from Dorothy several times. Miss Treherne, whose home was, but a few miles from Mrs. Evanston's, had been among the first to call on Dorothy, being actuated by a natural curiosity to meet one of Hilton's California friends.

"Miss Braynard promises to be quite the favorite," she wrote. "Gilbert Forsyth, one of the wealthiest fellows in Elmwood, pays her marked attention; has been teaching her to skate, I hear, and on Thursday last took her out for the first sleighride. She looked like a picture in her Gainsborough hat and sealskin. Really, Hilton, I wonder that you didn't fall in love with her yourself. There in the wilds of Val Verde it would have been the most natural thing in the world, so it seems to me."

And Hilton Meredith smiled grimly as he read, but the random shot struck home. In the days that followed he plunged into his business duties more earnestly than ever. Land speculations were rife at this time. Already plans for developing artesian water were talked of, plans which if successful would cause the waste places to blossom as the rose and increase the value a hundredfold. John Braynard's hopes were kindled anew, and he would talk to Mirandy by the hour about the possible turn things might take for the better. Meanwhile, Dorothy was enjoying herself to the utmost in the rich, full life that was hers. There was still the charm of novelty about the old New England home. But sometimes as she sat by the blazing fire-place on a winter's night, when the wind and the storm howled dismally without, there would come a vision of sunlight plains, over which floated the breath of chaparral and sage.

The following spring Miss Treherne went to New York. Her letters to Dorothy told of many a brilliant social affair, and sundry references were made to Mr. Underwood, an old-time admirer, who brought her flowers and took her out riding.

"Hilton's not jealous in the least," she wrote. "He trusts me perfectly, you see. By the way, he inquired very particularly about you in his last letter, and I wrote him that I expected you were engaged to Gilbert Forsyth, or would be before long, if prevailing report was true."

"He'll believe her, I suppose," thought Dorothy. Yet what did it matter. Half unconsciously her eyes sought the far southwest, resting on the blue horizon line, but the thoughts that came seemed to cast a shadow, and she put them resolutely away.

It was about this time that Dorothy took up a systematic course of reading, and joined an art class; in fact, so assiduous were her efforts along the lines of self-improvement that Aunt Hilda looked on in wonder, but with a smile of genuine approval. She was very proud of this young niece of hers. A touch with the world had brought out new graces both of mind and person. There was never a social gathering in which Dorothy did not shine. And following ever in her train was Gilbert Forsyth, hoping against hope, yet determined to win.

"She is young," Mrs. Evanston had told him in friendly conference, "and a girl's no is not always final."

Affairs in the West, meantime, had never been so promising. After years of waiting John Braynard awoke one morning to find his dreams fully realized. The development of artesian water gave a new impetus to capital, and ranch property was now at a premium. John bided his time, but finally sold to an English syndicate at figures highly satisfactory.

"Your father's pretty well set up," wrote Mirandy. "I don't wonder though; am a little that way myself, and can hardly sleep a wink at night, just for thinkin' about our glorious good fortune. Soon as we can get ourselves ready we'll start for the East—on the Sunset Limited that'll take us just a flying through the Texas cotton fields and the old plantations. If nothing happens we'll be with you when the lilacs are in bloom. Almost I can see them now, and catch a whiff of their fragrance there by the old stone steps. P. S. I almost forgot to tell you. Hilton Meredith left Val Verde very suddenly. Gone East to get married, I guess."

With mingled emotions Dorothy perused the letter. She sat very still for a time thinking it over, so strange did it seem and so unexpected. They would never go back to Val Verde, doubtless. That chapter in her life was ended. And Hilton—he was coming eastward. Some day they would meet perhaps. It would be pleasant to see him once more—just for old acquaintance sake—and she would wish him well—yes, and offer her congratulations with a smile. He came at last, one day in May. Miss Braynard had gone for a walk, the servant told him, but he might possibly overtake her. Afar he saw even then the flutter of a blue muslin. She was standing by the meadow-bars there at the foot of the lane, so absorbed in reverie that the sound of a manly footstep did not reach her. Not until he stood close beside her did she look up—and then—was she dreaming? No, in very truth this was Hilton Meredith himself, holding out to her the glad hand. And Dorothy, taken by surprise, could say no word for the moment, though she soon regained herself and with a sweet graciousness gave him welcome. They talked of many things and Hilton's eyes never left her the while. Quite casually Dorothy referred to his approaching marriage. A peculiar smile lighted up his countenance. And then, after a moment's pause he told her how all was over between him and Miss Treherne.

"She cared for another, you see," said he in conclusion. "And I, I, too, had found out my mistake months ago. Had I been free I would have told you all. But honor, my plighted troth, stood between us. And now, new barriers have risen"—he paused here, but Dorothy said no word. She was looking down, and the brown eyes gave no encouraging glance.

"It was madness for me to come here, knowing you were promised to another," said he.

"Promised to another," repeated Dorothy. "You are taking much for granted, it seems."

"Pardon me, but you are engaged to Gilbert Forsyth, are you not?"

"No, Hilton—and there's no one I ever cared for but you, though I tried so hard to forget."

"Then at last I may claim my own, may I not?" said he in glad exultant tone, and bending low he kissed her.—Marion Holmes Harris.

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Letter from the Capital.

Washington, May 19, 1906.

The real Railroad rate issue has been temporarily obscured this week by the scandal launched by Senator Tillman in his charge of bad faith against the President. Grave discussion of the constitutionality of the bill gave way to noisy barangues in which "Liar" and "You're another" have been the pyrotechnics. Senator Lodge posing as the handy friend of Mr. Roosevelt precipitated an awkward embroglio by his ill-considered action in calling up the White House by phone and getting the President to reply without time for thought, that Senator Tillman's charge that he had criticised Senator Knox, Spooner and Foraker was unqualifiedly false. Seldom in our history has there been a time when it would better become all high officials to apply to themselves the well worn principle that there is so much good in the worst of us and so much bad in the best of us that its hardly worth while for any of the pots to call the kettles black. The President has no worse enemy in the country than his effrenata lingua and that he is so little averse to using his tongue is his greatest inconvenience. As a matter of fact however, in this instance he has come out with his usual luck and the charge of Senator Tillman has acted as a boomerang. The President still stands before the country as an ardent advocate of rate legislation and any indiscreations he may have committed in forcing it through the Senate are generally condoned by the public as having at least for their object, the greatest good to the greatest number. Mr. Tillman on the other hand has displayed himself as the tool of the Republicans, the traitor of his party, the dupe of the President and a toggle-jointed blunderbuss. Senator Bailey's quarrel is interesting but not impressive. Some newspaper correspondents have accused him of something not agreeable to him and he has been hurling anathemas at the Administration for several days but the expletives "lies" and "liars" have been so common in the Senate of late that they have lost their sting. The whole affair is much like a quarrel among chorus girls and "the leading lady" and the public is excusable for not getting into a perspiration about it.

The Beef Trust is getting it from every side. All the world is reading and believing "The Jungle" a story by Upton Sinclair, the jungle being the stock yards about Chicago and the meat slaughtering factories there. The author openly charges that cattle arriving on the trains mutilated, dead, dying and suffering from contagious diseases pass the inadequate or corrupt inspecting force of the Government and reach our tables and dinner pails in various disguises undertaking trade names. Few people will eat Trust beef after reading this book without gastric qualms, and, to make the criticism more deadly, it is confirmed by a writer who is an ex-Government inspector, in a recent article in "The World's Work Magazine" who gives statistics and details and who says that the only remedy is to divide up and scatter over the country nearer the sources of cattle production the great, fetid slaughter house excreicences in Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha and other congested meat packing centers. If this is done another outrageous evil will be remedied that of unspeakable cruelty to millions of animals by transportation without food, water, or rest, in a half dying condition, over thousands of miles of railroad.

Now is the time of all other for the people of the country to let Congress know and feel that the public eye is upon it and is watching the vote of each member and Senator. Congress can pass the pure food and pure drug bill if it will, but there is a powerful and desperate lobby trying especially to maintain the grip of the patent medicine harpies of the country. Their vile poisons have murdered a million times more innocents than were slain by Herod. All that the law requires is that these conscienceless poisoners shall state the actual constituents of their nostrums. They are spending millions of dollars to avoid telling the truth. Will Congress abet them?

The question of buying Canal supplies wherever they can be bought cheapest, which means buying great quantities of them in Europe is uppermost again and the President and Secretary of War Taft agree that they should be purchased abroad if necessary. This of course raises a great stir in Congress and threatens to once more bring up the question of the tariff which has been so assiduously avoided. In the matter of steel dredges for the work there it was found that Scotland could furnish and deliver to the Isthmus dredges at a saving of from sixty to seventy thousand dollars on each one. Cement also, of which vast quantities will be required, may be purchased abroad cheaper than at home and those who are in favor of saving the Government expense rather than adding to the great wealth of a few corporations believe that the supplies should be purchased where they can be had cheapest. The Committee on Interoceanic canals has favorably reported the adoption of the sea level type of canal which will cost $247,000,000 or about fifty millions more than a lock canal. The time it will take to complete the work is variously estimated but undoubtedly it will exceed by several years the time required to build the waterway with a system of locks. It is conceded generally though, that this type of canal has superior advantages in many ways and that it is especially fitted for a section in which an earthquake such as caused the demolition of San Francisco would have a no less serious effect on a lock canal. There can be no extravagance about building the Canal according to the best plans even if they are the most expensive but any favoring of the giant industries of this country at the expense of the people is an outrageous extravagance that the people who pay should be quick to resent. To buy supplies in the markets of the world and to give out the work of the construction of the canal by private contract are the fundamental conditions now of building the canal economically and expeditiously. Adams.

A Poser.

Evelyn is a very cowardly little girl. The world is so full of terrors for her, indeed, that her life is scarcely worth the living. Her father, finding that sympathy only increased this unfortunate tendency, decided to have a serious talk with his little daughter on the subject of her foolish fears.

"Papa," she said at the close of his lecture, "when you see a cow ain't you 'fraid?"

"No, certainly not, Evelyn."

"When you see a horse ain't you 'fraid?"

"No, of course not."

"When you see a dog ain't you 'fraid?"

"No!"—with emphasis.

"When you see a bumblebee ain't you 'fraid?"

"No!"—with scorn.

"Ain't you 'fraid when it thunders?"

"No!"—with loud laughter. "Oh, you silly, silly child!"

"Papa," said Evelyn, solemnly, "ain't you 'fraid of nothin' in the world but jest mamma?"—Harper's Magazine.

Could Not Believe Him.

The Lookout heard a good story the other day which illustrates the benefits of being a truth teller, and therefore have your words relied upon. It seems that two sons of the Emerald Isle got into a difficulty, and agreed to settle their trouble by a set to, promising that when one should say "enough" they would quit.

After one had knocked the other down and pounded him severely, the weaker one of the pair began calling out, "Enough! enough!" But the other paid no attention, but kept hammering away.

A bystander called out: "Why don't you let him up? Don't you hear him say he has got enough?"

"I do," replied the best man, "but he is such a liar I never know when to believe him."

Adulterated Flour.

People have an idea that adulterations in bread stuffs are not now very common. The old joke about sand in the sugar and chalk in the flour has become so stale that people no longer smile at it.

A certain fact, however, came up the other day which set the editor of the Healthy Home to thinking. He came upon a man who is familiar with a talc mine. Talc is a kind of mineral which grinds up into a white and beautiful powder which looks much like white flour.

This man stated that talc was being constantly shipped from the mine he knew about in large quantities to certain great flour centers like Minneapolis.

The reader is left to draw his own conclusions. Some people go so far as to say that flour to which a small quantity of talc is added, makes better bread. It may be better for the baker, because it is a little heavier, but most of us would prefer to eat something else if we knew it.

—The first class battleship Louisiana left Newport News on Monday for the Norfolk Navy Yard, to be turned over to the government. The Louisiana is the first to be delivered in competition between government and private yards, in the battleship building race which has been on for nearly two years. The Connecticut, a sister ship, is being built by the government at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, and is not yet completed.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1906.

Colonial Contrasts.

Quincy is particularly fortunate in its historical setting and has much to attract the tourist who is interested in colonial history. Not only is Quincy the home of two presidents, a sufficient attraction in itself, but in the homes of these presidents and in the Dorothy Q house, is contrasted two distinct types of colonial life.

In the quaint lean-to house at South Quincy where John Adams started housekeeping with his bride Abigail, is found the simple home. Here the Quincy Historical society has with much care and thought, gathered together a wonderful collection of articles typical of the house and seeming a part of it. One could spend hours in the kitchen with its primitive cooking utensils; the fore rooms with old china, big fireplaces, simple furniture, and in the chambers, with their four poster beds, quaint old bonnets, and wearing apparel.

In contrast to this humble cottage is the Dorothy Q. house, a large imposing colonial house, showing in architecture and surroundings the wealth of the owner. A few years ago this house passed into the possession of the Society of the Colonial Dames and by them has been renovated and restored to correspond to its age. It is beautifully furnished with quaint and rare old chairs, tables, desks, even to the spinnet, while in the chambers are carved high poster bedsteads and other appointments all most harmonious; a collection of furniture, dignified and typical of a colonial home.

Both old houses are gems and the contrast in them but adds to the charm of each, being perfect examples of the humble and the affluent homes of the colonial period.

Mt. Wollaston.

There are few more sacred or beautiful spots in Quincy, than Mt. Wollaston cemetery. It is indeed a beautiful spot, and never more so than at this season of the year. For a number of years the cemetery has been under the care of James Nicol, who has proven a most efficient official. The cemetery has improved wonderfully under his management and his selection as superintendent was a wise one.

Just at the present time he and his corps of assistants are bending every effort to get everything in readiness for Memorial Day. This is the one day of the year when the general public visit the cemetery, although there are scores of visitors every day.

The cemetery certainly never looked better than it does today. Nature has done much to make the place beautiful, but that of itself would not be sufficient. For several years it has been the policy of the managers to place the lots, as far as possible upon what is known as the lawn plan. It is impossible to do this all at once. Every year, however, more lots are being placed under this plan and so marked is the improvement that orders for this work are constantly being received, and it will not be many years before all of the lots have been placed on this plan.

The only drawback to the cemetery at the present time is the ground between the cemetery and sea street. This is an eyesore, and as there is still a balance of the appropriation made for this purpose several years ago it is hoped that the Commissioner will see his way clear to put this plot in shape before another year.

The cemetery is suffering for rain and a good long shower would do a great amount of good. While the lots are watered by a lawn hose no amount of water applied this way will do the good that a few hours rain would.

During the past year a number of new monuments have been erected. These are largely on the Greenleaf street side. One of the largest is that erected to the memory of the late James Nightingale. This memorial is sarcophagus in shape and is cut of white Westerly granite.

Another large memorial is that on the John Shaw lot. This is an all-polished oblong base and die, and is cut in Quincy granite. On the Robert S. Jones lot there is a large all-polished column die monument of the sarcophagus design in Quincy granite.

A very pretty, fine hammered, pink Westerly granite memorial has been placed on the Dr. C. S. French lot. On the lot of Charles L. Coe there is another handsome memorial. This has a polished die and second base.

A simple but striking memorial is that erected to the memory of Friend Crane. It is a rough boulder. Upon the face there is a finished panel upon which the name Friend Crane has been carved in raised letters.

Near by are memorials on the Daniel F. Tinney lot, the John Hector lot, Philip & Halvosa, John C. Hall and Charles E. Jones. Near the centre of the cemetery are the memorials of William Packard, the Levi Crane and on the Craig lot.

Besides these there are a large number of small markers that have been placed at the head of graves. It is probable that there will be other monuments set before Memorial Day.

Fine Stores.

Quincy has many attractive stores, and each year of late has added to their number. Those in the new block, put up the past year by Henry M. Faxon on Granite street, are equal if not superior to all others. The one opened a few weeks ago by George W. Jones is acknowledged to be the finest boot and shoe store to be found in this city, and in fact anywhere in the county.

His next door neighbor, Mr. Ames, south of the post office, has one that is equally as well equipped in the hardware line. We were surprised, a day or two ago, the first time we stepped into it, to find so large a store—everything in the hardware line—and all nicely arranged for taste and convenience.

There will be no necessity in future for our citizens to go to Boston, for a better stock cannot be found; and it is a credit to the city to have such men as Messrs. Jones and Ames to open to the public such beautiful, well stocked stores.

Quincy Charitable Society.

The regular monthly meeting of the Quincy Charitable society, was held at the residence of Mrs. Thomas A. Addison, Quincy Point, Monday May 21, at three o'clock. The President was in the chair, and nine members present. Regular business transaction, and new work of extraordinary interest presented. This is the last of a series of profitable sessions held this season, the annual meeting coming in November.

The Quincy Charitable society is one of the oldest organizations of the kind the state, having among its management, during the past and present, people who have worked diligently for the success of its aims, each year, increasing in usefulness, and prosperity. The past year has been one of unusual interest, it being the first year of work, as a body incorporated.

CITY BRIEFS.

Channing Furnald is now at the market of L. M. Pratt.

Fred H. Lord of Wibird street has entered the employ of W. G. Shaw.

A house of Hazen E. Ricker at Hull was slightly damaged by fire Tuesday afternoon.

Both the Quincy and the Wollaston yacht clubs have races scheduled for today.

Memorial day exercises will be held in the public schools on Tuesday of next week.

Mrs. Lyman A. May of Lynn was the guest of relatives in this city on Saturday.

The roof of the Johnson block burned during the fire this week has been repaired.

This is the busy season for the City Scavenger and he has a large number of orders ahead.

Auctioneer Dinegan will sell shore cottages at North Weymouth at auction on Memorial day.

Albott & Miller now have an auto express wagon to be used between Quincy and Boston.

C. M. Jenness of Quincy and J. J. Hagerty of Dorchester, are in Maine enjoying the salmon fishing.

Miss Eva Marden of Coddington street has been entertaining a friend from Norwood the past week.

Melville Hayward has returned from the South, where he spent the winter, combining business with pleasure.

The Brownie whist club was entertained by Mrs. Mary E. Powers of Bigelow street, on Wednesday afternoon.

Abbott & Miller Express Co. had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse on Tuesday, by pneumonia. They had recently purchased him.

The Juniors of the Y. M. C. A. will play the Wollaston Parks in the lower field of Merrymount Park, today, at 9.30.

Reports from Mayor Thompson, who is away for a rest, are that he has greatly improved and that his health is returning.

Paul Revere, W. R. C., No. 103, with Post 88, will attend Memorial services at Universalist church, Sunday, May 27, at 2.30 o'clock.

Dr. and Mrs. George B. Rice of Brookline have gone to their summer home at Hingham where they will stay until late in the fall.

Many from Quincy were present at the at home reception of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Wilcutt (nee Ross) at Dorchester on Tuesday evening.

On May 25, 1840, Quincy celebrated the 200th anniversary of the old town of Braintree, of which it was formerly a part.

The Quincy Historical society holds its annual meeting this afternoon at four o'clock at the cottage of John and Abigail Adams.

Quincy High won in the first inning May 18 in its game at Merrymount park with Weymouth High, the final score being 6 to 1.

William T. Isaac and a party of friends have been enjoying an auto trip from Buffalo, to New York, Atlantic City and Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Ryan of Hartford, Conn., are spending their honeymoon at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. George B. Cosser, of 7 Cottage avenue.

Only one bid of $900 was received for the Paterson land on Canal street offered at auction Saturday and the property was not sold.

Delegates were sent from Wollaston and Quincy to the meeting of the National Union of the Y. P. R. Us. in Boston on Thursday afternoon.

Dr. H. C. Hallowell attended the annual meeting and dinner on Tuesday of the City Physicians' Association at the American house, Boston. He was elected a member of the executive board.

Charles E. Dornan, Quincy's Howdidhe, has accepted a position with an amusement enterprise and is to travel on the road. He goes in the Maine circuit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sproul returned the first of the week from Hot Springs, where Mrs. Sproul has been spending several weeks, and returns much improved in health.

The regular meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday, May 31st, at three o'clock, in the Quincy Women's Clubhouse, 148 Goffe St. A good attendance is desireed.

Mrs. Edward Macdonald is entertaining her mother and friend, Miss Minnie Lang of Troy, New Hampshire. Miss Lang came for surgical treatment in the St. Paula's Hospital, Boston.

Mrs. Mary Fox and Miss Emma Leavitt have charge of the dinner for the Grand Army on Memorial Day. Members of corps will solicit food for same. It is hoped the public will respond generously.

The marriage of Miss Christine L. Bumpus and Mr. Eliot W. Remick will be solemnized next Saturday afternoon, at half past two at Christ church, and will be a large wedding as both families have a large circle of friends, not alone in this city, but in Boston and vicinity.

Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter is at home this afternoon from five to six at her studio 149 Tremont street, Boston. It will be in the nature of a musicale as Miss Alice Eldridge is to play and Mrs. Alice Bates Rice will sing. These informal studio at homes are much enjoyed by Mrs. Porter's friends.

Mrs. David Harley, nee Coolidge, and party of friends from Pawtucket, R. I., were in town Wednesday doing the historical places. The church, Dorothy Q. house and places in the center were visited in the morning and after luncheon at Granite street restaurant, the afternoon was passed at the Adams houses.

Mrs. Ward Whitcher announced at the meeting of the Women's club this week that the Shakespeare club of Atlantic had made arrangements with Mr. Marshall Darrach of New York to give a recital at Atlantic on Nov. 24. It is an opportunity that Quincy people should not miss, and the subscription list will probably be filled in a few weeks.

Among the pleasant social events of the week was the luncheon given on Thursday by Mrs. William B. Rice for her daughters, Mrs. Harry L. Rice, and Mrs. Homer Lane Bigelow. It was a fitting sequel to the luncheons given in Boston, the past winter by Mrs. Rice. About seventy-five were present. Luncheon was served to groups of four, six and eight, gathered at small tables scattered through the rooms, which was conducive to sociability. The charming hostesses, fragrant flowers, delightful music by a stringed orchestra, and the dainty spring toilets, combined with the perfect day, made it a particularly pretty as well as happy occasion.

A holiday next week.

The sun now sets after 7 o'clock.

Mrs. F. W. Plummer and children have gone to Auburn, Me., for the summer.

Burlap collars are fashionable; all the up-to-date trees wear them.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sproul returned Monday night from Virginia.

Harold Graham of Corinth, Maine, has been in town this week.

A $1 subscription was added to the San Francisco relief fund yesterday.

A dental office is to be opened in the building adjoining the Daily Ledger office.

Mrs. Charles E. Woodbury of Edwards street has been ill this week with tonsilitis.

R. W. Noon, the boys work director of the Y. M. C. A., is a victim of the mumps.

A crosswalk is being built on Granite street from Murphy's drug store to the postoffice.

The Hall house on Revere road has been leased to Dr. M. R. Simmons of Wollaston.

Mrs. Abbie A. Kelly is confined to her home on Washington street by sickness.

There were many visitors on Sunday inspecting the addition being built to the High school.

But two applicants took the examinations Monday night for master plumbers' licenses.

The residence of Mr. Emanuel on Washington street was connected with the gas main today.

There was quite a smart thunder shower Thursday evening. The rain was not very heavy however.

Bicycle thieves are about. Three wheels have been stolen on Hancock street during the past few days.

The Makaria Fraternity and the Iroquois Club will cross bats at Merrymount park lower field on Saturday.

The "mud house" on Maple street is receiving a thorough remodeling, and will have all the modern improvements.

The Quincy Yacht club will open its racing season today by a club race off the club house. The start will be at 2.30.

William B. Nichols, manager of the Citizens Gas Light Co., has moved from Boston to one of the Angier houses on Goffe street.

Annual meeting of the Historical society this afternoon at four o'clock at the John Quincy Adams birthplace.

Another new store has been opened in post office block on Granite street. Six of the ten stores in the block are now occupied.

A large and handsome oil painting has been received for the Granite City club rooms. It is a gift of the club members.

The Electric Light Company have made a large number of connections since their very generous offer of free light to new customers.

Miss Mary E. Dearborn, who resigned one year ago as principal of the Coddington school, has returned from California, and was in Quincy this week.

Chief Litchfield of the Quincy fire department had a birthday anniversary Friday, having reached the half century mark. Congratulations, Chief.

George W. Taylor claims the honor of inaugurating the straw hat season this season. He says he appeared in his last year's straw ten days ago.

Work was commenced Monday laying a gas main on Goffe street. Active work was commenced laying the twelve inch main on Beale street this week.

Gov. Guild signed on Thursday, the automobile bill which increases the speed limit to 20 miles per hour in the country, and 15 miles in the city limits.

The Edward Russell estate on Greenleaf street, has been sold through the agency of Charles H. Burgess to H. F. Dowst of Everett, who purchases for a residence for his son.

William E. Morrissey of North Cornfield, Maine, has been visiting relatives in this city the past week. He was at one time a member of our Police department.

Mrs. William G. A. Pattee has the sympathy of many friends, her sister Miss Saltonstall of Braintree, passing away on Monday, after a short and painful illness.

William W. Walsh of Quincy was one of the committee of fifteen at the meeting of organized labor held Sunday, at which a labor party political platform was outlined.

Maple street is now assuming the appearance of a street. There are edgestone on both sides and the street and sidewalks are being brought to a grade. The steam roller will complete the job.

In the social calendar next week is the reception on Tuesday evening, which Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Willard are giving from eight until eleven at the Quincy Mansion school in honor of the Senior class.

Mrs. Cady Loud of Wibird street is visiting with relatives at South Weymouth, hoping by the change to regain her health, she having just returned, from the City Hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

City Square presents a lively scene Saturday nights. All of the stores are opened and the sidewalks are lined with people out shopping. Many of the crowd come from out of town to do their shopping in Quincy.

Dola Martell, who was arrested by the Quincy police for drunkenness, was released in court this morning but immediately rearrested and turned over to Hingham officers by whom he was wanted for having short lobsters in his possession.

The defeat of the Quincys by the tailenders was the surprise of the School league on Thursday. Cranch also suffered its third defeat for the week. Willard moves up to the top and is now tied with Lincoln, and the Washingtons promise to have something to say about the championship.

The sale held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Zenas Arnold, Coddington street, by her daughter Alice, Rachel Hardwick, Miriam Miller and Daisy Brooks, was very successful. The house was prettily decorated with pink crepe paper and spring flowers. There were several booths of fancy things, plants, candy, lemonade etc. Thirty dollars was realized for the Floating hospital of Boston as a result of the sale.

The boat for Charles Frances Adams, 2d, from E. A. Boardman's design, is underway at Lawley's, the molds having been set up Friday. They show a gracefully turned form, with flat floor and fairly hard bilges. There is nothing of the scow in the bow form on deck, and the lines are fair and sweet throughout, with slight reverse curves below the water line ends, fore and aft. The length is 37 feet 6 inches, breath 6 feet 9 inches, draft 5 feet and waterline 20 feet 3 inches.—Globe.

Up to the seventh inning, the Adams Academy team led on Wednesday, in its game with Cambridge High, but in the last three innings they were unable to score while the visitors added four and won 9 to 6.

The gypsy moth men are now at work at Houghs Neck. The trees in the public streets which have been burlaped will have to be visited at least once a week to kill the moths that hide beneath the folds of the burlap.

Paul Revere Post, G. A. R., will attend services on Sunday afternoon at the Universalist church, and have invited Camp Boyd and auxiliary bodies to accompany them.

Officers Goodhue and Milford went on the war path after automobile speeders on Sunday. The officers were stationed on Washington street. They timed many of the cars and took the numbers of sixteen who were exceeding the speed limit. They have been summoned into court.

H. M. Faxon has also done much to improve appearances about the Quincy depot. He has removed the old fence and advertising sign near Saville street and built a high screen some distance from the street. Trees have been set out which will hide this, and the lot will be sowed with grass seed so that there will be a green plat.

Mrs. N. B. Furnald, of Washington street, celebrated her seventy-fourth birthday Sunday. Owing to her long illness she was able to see only a few friends; but was kindly remembered with flowers and other tokens of love and best wishes that her health will continue to improve that she may have many happy returns of the day.

Miss Eva Brown of the Faxon Temperance bureau, at the state house Wednesday, declared that she knew on Tuesday the whole composition of the excise board—"and I kept the secret, too. Wasn't it wonderful for a woman!" she exclaimed. She expressed great satisfaction with the appointments. Emery is a total abstainer.—Boston Advertiser.

ATLANTIC.

Invitations are out for an engagement party to be tendered Miss Florence Willey of Walker street by Miss Mabel Reid of Squantum street. Miss Willey's engagement to Mr. Fred Burdett of Atlantic has recently been announced.

The geology section of the Teachers' School of Science of Boston, of which Miss A. Maud Briggs of Appleton street is a member, spent last Saturday, studying the drumline and river terraces of Haverhill. Prof. Barton was assisted by Prof. Fisher of Wellesley College. Beside studying the places of geological interest, the class visited spots made famous by Whittier's poems: Lake Canoza, the Haunted Brook, the Countess' grace and many others. Luncheon was eaten at the Whittier Homestead, where the matron kindly lighted a fire in the old open fireplace to make the reading of parts of "Snow Bound" more interesting.

Mrs. D. A. Bruce of Squantum street is enjoying the delightful advantages of St. Paul and will return to Atlantic in about two weeks.

B. T. Thomas of Billings street is having his house painted.

Miss Winnifred Kendall of Walker street is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Millett of Salem.

Frank Bristol, who has been spending the winter with his aunt, Mrs. George Hill of Walker street, while in business in Boston, has returned to his home in Candor, N. Y., on account of ill health.

The tiny maple tree at the corner of Walker street, and Newbury avenue, which was raised from a seed, has leaved out most arrogantly, and lifted its head heavenward as if it meant to attain great heights.

George Hill of Walker street has adorned his estate with an imported pottery vase, which came from Italy.

The present railroad bridge over the Neponset river will be discontinued on Sunday, when the temporary bridge will be used during the building of a new bridge.

William Russell of Billings street was injured last week by falling on a slippery rail and striking his knee. Mr. Russell was laid up some years ago by an accident on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. where he is employed.

The residents of Walker street enjoyed the graphaphone concert Saturday evening given by one of their neighbors, and were envied by those who had to seek the curb for rest, being denied the privilege of rocking chairs on cool piazzas.

Edward Bellows, formerly of Atlantic, died Friday at his home in Boston after a long illness. The sympathy of the townspeople is extended to Mrs. Bellows.

Special Memorial day services will be held at the Aatlantic Memorial church on Sunday evening, subject, Fraternal reconcilation.

Memorial Day.

The Grand Army, together with the Woman's Relief Corps, Ladies' Aid and Sons of Veterans, are to attend religious service on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 at the Universalist church on Washington street. Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor of the church, will deliver the memorial sermon.

The following special service has been arranged:

Voluntary,— Mrs. Florence Cutter
"Onward, Christian Soldiers,"— Choir
Responsive reading.
Anthem,—"To Thee, O Country."
Scripture reading.
Solo,—"Fear Not Ye, O Israel,"
Miss Celina Bellivean
Prayer.
Anthem,—"Now Pray We For Our Country."
Notices.
Solo,—"O Rest in the Lord,"
Mrs. Blanche C. Richardson
Address,— Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D.
Anthem,—"God of our Father."
Offertory.
Hymn,—"America,"
Benediction.

Edward C. Bellows.

It was a sad disappointment to the many friends of Edward C. Bellows, formerly of Atlantic, but recently of Newton, to learn that the operation which he underwent at Carney hospital with so much cheerfulness and courage, should not have restored him to perfect health as he and his family had been given reason to hope.

Since leaving Atlantic he had been very successful in a business way, so that it was at the height of his financial prosperity that he succumbed to the infirmity which he had fought so manfully and heroically so many years.

Those who remember him will cherish the memory of his bravery and endurance and his bright and happy spirit with it all. To his wife who so early in her married life took upon herself the burden of the struggle for the homeliving, when his health at first gave out and with true womanly courage sustained him during the darkest days of his adverse circumstances, loving sympathy is extended, and to his little daughter.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills absolutely cure Rheumatism & Neuralgia, Entirely vegetable. Safe.

WOLLASTON.

F. H. Bishop of Wollaston, is in Philadelphia for a few days.

Several Wollaston people including Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Hunt attended the Unitarian reception at Hotel Somerset, Boston, Monday evening.

The Col. Thomas Gardiner Chapter D. A. R. of Allston was entertained by Mrs. W. E. Simmons, of South Central avenue, Saturday afternoon. A Wollaston chapter of the D. A. R. is contemplated and probably will be organized in the early fall.

Card are out for the marriage of Miss Clara Louise Ela of Wollaston and Mr. Charles E. Hatch of Quincy on Wednesday, June sixth.

Clayman and Fagen have fitted out their new store on Beale street with an attractive supply of antique furniture.

A very pretty dancing party was given to the scholars of the Wollaston Unitarian Sunday school in Wollaston hall, Saturday afternoon. All seemed to have a good time and the pleasure of dancing was enhanced by the excellent music furnished by the pianist, Miss Ethel Parker. Fruit punch was served during the afternoon. The matrons were Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. Gurney.

Ernest W. Arnold of Wollaston spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Frank W. Pratt, of Hopedale.

J. Q. Litchfield has been elected one of the directors of the Handel and Hayden Society.

John Hancock Lodge, No. 224, of Wollaston, are to hold their Memorial service this year at St. Chrysostom's Episcopal church on Hancock street, on Sunday afternoon, June 3d, at 4.30 o'clock. All the lodges, encampments and Rebekah lodges in this vicintty have been invited.

Work is progressing rapidly on the large new boarding house on Standish avenue. Mrs. McCarthy hopes to be able to move to the new location in a few weeks.

Rev. E. W. Hunt and family of Wollaston, will soon move into the home on Grand View avenue now occupied by Rev. and Mrs. Preston Gurney.

The Garrick club entertained its friends with an evening of music and dramatics in the Wollaston Unitarian Vestry, Friday, May 18. The program opened with a musical selection by Margarget Barnes and Mr. Loring, mandolins; Mr. Osborne Stearns, flute; and Miss Ethel Parker, piano. A comedietta, "Neuchars Junction" was finely given by Miss Barnes, Edward Hall and Mr. Loring. Miss Helen Mahler rendered a vocal solo which was received with great applause. Mr. Osborne Stearns, with Miss Parker as accompaniest gave a flute solo and responded to an encore. A farce in two acts, "A boy of monkeys," kept the audience in a gale of laughter. Parts were taken by Misses Elizabeth Hubbard, Marion Hatch, Ethel Parker, Messrs. Osborne Stearns and Edward Hall. Light refreshments were served by Miss Louise Bates, William Weston, Earle Boyce and Ernest Arnold. Many were the congratulations as to the dramatic progress made by the young people of the club.

The Wollaston Methodist Episcopal Church, which has been closed for repairs, will be re-opened for divine worship Sunday, May 27. At 10.45 A. M., sermon by Bishop Mallalieu. At 12.10 P. M., Bible School. At 6 P. M., Epworth League service. At 7 P. M., sermon by Rev. J. D. Pickles, D. D.

The Epworth League service at the Wollaston M. E. church Sunday evening will be conducted by Mr. J. A. Sedgwick, the subject being "The Philippines."

The Wollaston W. C. T. U. will hold a lawn party on May 30th, afternoon and evening, on the lawn of the Baptist church.

Miss Ellen Stone, who was a captive of the brigands in Turkey, will speak on Sunday evening at the Wollaston Congregational church.

J. H. Broughton and E. E. Hoxie showed up well on Thursday night at the American whist club, being second on the east and west side with four plus.

The Wollaston Y. P. R. U. was represented by several members at the reception to the officers of the National Union in the Boston South Congregational church on Thursday.

The Assessors are now in Ward Five where they are also finding considerable new construction.

"Eigensinn" by Roderick Benedix was finely presented by the young ladies of the Quincy Mansion school before a large and enthusiastic audience on Wednesday evening. The cast was as follows: Ausdorf, ein reicher Privat mann, Madeline Moore; Katharina, Sein Frau, Maud Miller; Emma, beider Tochter, Dorothy Mills; Alfred, Emma's Gatte, Patience Perkins; Heinrich and Lisbeth in Alfred's Diensten, Marjory Lowney and Katherine Silver.

Silver Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Barnicoat received their friends Thursday evening at their home on Independence avenue. The occasion was the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. The interior of the house was prettily decorated with cut flowers, and during the hours of the reception the rooms were thronged with their many friends, who showered them with congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnicoat were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. John La Breck, Stanley S. Barnicoat and Miss Mary Kennedy. The ushers were Charles Barnicoat, Ernest L. Saunders and William T. Spargo, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnicoat were married in Cornwall, England, in 1881. Soon after they came to America, locating in Westerly, R. I.

In 1886 they came to Quincy where they have since resided. Mr. Barnicoat's business was that of a granite worker but soon after coming to Quincy he entered business for himself in a small way cutting statuary. His business has grown rapidly, and he now has a large plant at South Quincy devoted to statuary work.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnicoat have had ten children, eight of whom are now living.

Refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnicoat received many handsome and valuable gifts.

Pond Home Day.

Open house and reception will be held at the Pond House for the aged at Pondville to celebrate its fourth anniversary and donation day on Saturday, June 2, from 2 to 9 P. M. An attractive feature of the entertainment will be an original poem by Mrs. Harriet Pond Cressy, read in connection with the unveiling of the old door stone. Luncheon will be served in the orchard at 2 o'clock at 25 cents. Fancy and useful articles, ice cream, cake, and homemade confectionery will be for sale. Trains leave South station for Pondville at 12.27 and 3.27 P. M., returning at 5.38 and 9.40. By special arrangement the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. will issue round trip ticket at 95 cents from Boston.

The ladies in Kansas, cannot vote for Governor, so that Gov. Hoch will never know whether he did right or not when he failed to get that kiss.

QUINCY POINT.

A special collection is to be taken Sunday evening at the Point church, to pay for the 150 new gospel song books, the "Northfield Hymnal."

The Hiscarls are to hold a strawberry festival and lawn party to raise money for their camping trip.

The Huscarls of Quincy Point are arranging for a lawn party and strawberry festival to be held June 14. The proceeds are to be added to their camping fund.

The 150 new gospel hymn-books, the "Northfield Hymnal" have arrived at the Quincy Point church. A committee composed of Dr. Bushell (chairman), Mr. T. B. Pollard, Mrs. Bushnell, Mrs. R. H. Newcomb and Mr. Geo. Sidelinger, have examined a large number of hymn-books and made the appreciated selection of the "Northfield." On Sunday evening a silver collection is to be taken to pay for them.

"Qualities in young men that young women admire," will be the topic for the Sunday evening service at the Quincy Point church.

The Fore Rivers will have as rivals today the Winchester team, and a closer contest is promised than last week.

Vacations have commenced among the permanent men of the fire department. Sub-driver Scully of the Quincy Point station is the first man off duty.

Lieut. W. B. Tardy of the battleship "Maine" was on Wednesday ordered to the plant of the Fore River Shipbuilding Co., at Quincy, for duty in connection with the battleship "Vermont."

Supt. Charles Sherburne observed Temperance Sunday in the Quincy Point Sunday school on Sunday 150 signed the "Liberty Pledge", a declaration of independence from King Alcohol. Supt. Sherburne also called for reports concerning the picnic.

The Junior Endeavor Society of the Point church enjoyed a "Pigeon Pie," at their meeting Sunday afternoon. The Superintendent, Miss Gertrude Foster, served the "Pie" which was exedingly interesting and helpful. There was a "piece" for every one present.

A male quartet and Mr. C. A. Coburn, Secretary of Mass. Y. M. C. A., were appreciated accessions at the Quincy Point church Sunday morning. Secretary Coburn spoke interestingly of the good work of the Y. M. C. A. in all parts of the world. The quartet consisted of the following men: Mr. T. B. Pollard, Mr. Charles Lincoln, Mr. Robert Campbell and Mr. James Melville.

Rev. L. P. Atwood is recovering from his recent attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Pollard entertained friends on Wednesday evening.

A new order of service will be introduced at the Point church on Sunday morning.

Rollin Newcomb of Quincy Neck is building a large hen house on his estate.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Swift, formerly of the Vermont House, have been in town this week, and may return to Quincy.

The repair committee of the Quincy Point church met last Tuesday evening at Dr. Bushnell's.

Twelve of the Huscarls of the King took a bicycle ride on Wednesday, to North Weymouth to look for a proper place to camp.

Mrs. Robert Atkinson, proprietor of the Rhode Island House on East Howard street, died on Wednesday. Funeral services will be held at Hyde Park tomorrow.

At Quincy Point the Washington School defeated the Cranch School in a well contested game by the score of 10 to 8. The pitchers were in fine form up to the sixth inning, when the Cranch pitcher let up and the Washingtons scored five runs, winning the game. Bates excelled at the bat for the visitors, while Cain excelled for the home team. Two outs when winning run was scored.

Two cases of small pox were discovered on Quincy avenue on Thursday The patients are two young girls. The family recently came from New York where the disease was probably contracted. The patients were removed to the small pox hospital.

Robbins' Circus.

The Frank A. Robbins & Co. all new great feature Shows, which are to pitch their big menagerie and hippodrome tents in Quincy on Saturday, June 2d, come with a Metropolitan reputation amply justifying anticipations of a holiday full to the brim with rare and wonderful attractions and masterly acts, floods of fun and stunning and startling features in their cosmopolitan zoological garden and great arenas. In New York city and throughout the land the name of Frank Robbins, who is the managerial head and front of the gigantic new enterprise, is almost a household word, and linked with sterling qualities of both head and heart which have honestly won him fame in his calling and widespread popularity. The menagerie he has collected is said to comprise an unusually impressive and instructive exhibit of rare and representative wild beasts, the equestrian, acrobatic, aereal and animal acts and races given in two rings, upon an elevated stage, on the coliseum course and in the wide aerial space above them are of the latest and best, and a whole madcap circus of clowns furnishes unlimited and inimitable fun and timely travesty. Among the special and notably extraordinary features Alpha and Omega, in their rival extra hazardous and desperately daring feat of leaping across a fifty-foot chasm on their madly flying bicycles, challenges attention. The Tribunal of Nations, introducing with spectacular pomp and pageantry living counterparts in feature, form, arms and royal robes of the famous rulers of past and present times, is another superb innovation. The most colossal and captivating novelty ever projected in the way of animal performances is the simultaneous introduction in the same arena of educated elephants, zebras, camels, dogs, goats, water buffalo, llamas, dromedaries, monkeys, horses, ponies, bears, sacred cattle, mules, donkeys, and other phenomenally trained wild and domestic beasts. The morning parade includes a memorable display of majestic, magnificent, animal and amusing features.

New Steamer.

The date set by the Fore River Company for the delivery of the steamer "South Shore" is June 1. The work on this vessel has been rushed in order that the vessel will be available for service between Boston and Nantasket Beach on the opening of the season.

Contrary to the custom, anniversary week is marked by pleasant weather. Perhaps the gathering of Unitarians has also prevented that earthquake which was predicted for New England this week.

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HOUGHS NECK.

The street railway ran extra cars on all its lines Sunday. There was a large number of visitors at Houghs Neck, and it was necessary to run two and three cars on some of the trips to accommodate the crowd.

C. J. Murphy and family of Dorchester, are in the Tryphena cottage on Centre road.

R. F. Watson of East Boston, has leased the Puritana cottage for the season.

W. J. Coveney is at the Dreadnaught cottage on Winthrop street, for the summer.

T. N. Griffin and family of South Boston are in the Oriole on Centre road.

George H. Tessier will run the "Clamshell" this summer.

John S. Ash of Somerville, with family have taken the Colonial cottage on Littlefield street for the summer.

Mrs. Jesse Thomos of Dorchester is at the Florence on Centre road.

Henri Hermann of Boston is at the Lastella on Centre road.

Frank B. Ward of Brockton is in the Skylark on Rogers street.

Mrs. M. F. Gaua of Dorchester has taken the Windham cottage on Winthrop street for the season.

William E. Wall of Roslindale with family are in the Wallflower cottage on Charles street.

John J. Dugan of Dedham, with family are in a cottage on Winthrop street.

W. H. Bishop of Cambridge will occupy the Beatrice cottage this season.

A. N. LeBrecque and family of Dorchester are in the Bridgewater cottage on Bell street.

Mrs. Edith Brown of Roxbury is at the Foxey cottage on Winthrop street.

DOWNS AND PARK.

The Park Land Company has originated a system by which Wollaston Park residents may be renumerated for interesting their friends in the saleable real estate there.

The Wollaston Yacht club will entertain ladies and friends on Saturday evening at the clubhouse. There will be dancing from 8 until 11.

The opening race of the Wollaston yacht club on today, at 2.30 P. M., will be open to all classes combined, handicap over all measurement. Prizes of $5, $3, $2 and $1 are offered.

MILTON.

A memorial tablet to Milton Abbey, England, was unveiled at the Mission church, last Sunday evening.

A horse attached to a buggy owned by a Mr. Wright became frightened on Adams street, Wednesday, and ran away. The horse turned into Willard street, where George Berry tried to stop him, but was thrown down. A little further on the horse was captured by Richard McKay, Jr.

Fred Allen has purchased the Somes house on Bryant avenue and has taken possession.

The Milton police and fire department members have commenced their annual vacations.

Sidney Somes of Bryant avenue has moved to Boston.

William H. Rand is at Cottage City for the summer.

Ira Hall has a new automobile.

William Waterman has moved from Granite avenue to Granite place.

Highland Park.

The gates of Highland Park will be thrown open as usual on Memorial Day, although the formal opening of the park with its stage and special attractions will not be until June 25. In the matter of stage attractions it is stated authoratively that twice as much money will be spent than ever before, to procure the best people to be found playing the park circuits. There will be ten solid weeks of theatrical performances, afternoon and evening.

In addition to the regular features of the park this year, a mammoth figure eight roller coaster, one of the biggest in the country, has been constructed, and will be ready at the time of the opening of the park to give the people a rapid transit dash of nearly half a mile in 45 seconds.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon service at 2.30. Memorial Sunday services The G. A. R. will attend. Sermon by the pastor Sunday School at 3.30. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Topic: "The Historical and the Biblical Reasons for Baptizing Children." Sunday School at 12 M. Classes or all; especially interesting classes for young men. Junior C. E. for all between 7 and 14 years old at 4. P. M. Topic: "Why we should help our church." Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Topic: "Missions." Good gospel singing and sermon at 7.30. Topic: "Qualities in young men, young women admire." Friday evening Christian fellowship service at 7.30. Topic: "The Union of Believers." Our motto is: A place for all and a welcome for all.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. A. B. Tyler, M. A., pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League at 6.15. Praise service at 7. Rev. J. H. Mansfield, D. D., Superintendent of the Boston Missionary and Church Extension Society (formerly presiding elder of the Boston district) will speak. Prayer meeting Friday, at 7.30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Abbott Chase, minister. Morning service at 10.45, special sermon and music appropriate to Memorial Sunday. Bible School at 12.15. Miss Ellen Stone, who was a captive of the brigands in Turkey will speak at 7.30 o'clock. All seats are free at all services.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "Right Thinking." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Subject: "John Williams, and Missions to the South Seas." Evening service at 7. Special memorial service. Subject: "Fraternal Reconciliation." Let everybody come.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Post Office block,—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "God the only Cause and Creator." Golden Text: "Thus saith the Lord that created the heavens; God himself that formed the earth and made it; he hath established it, he created it not in vain, he formed it to be inhabited; I am the Lord; and there is none else. Isaiah, 45:18 Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. an experience and testimony meeting. Reading rooms open every week day from 3 to 5, and every Tuesday evening. All are welcome.

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SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1906.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon sets
Saturday, May 26,	4.13	7.01	1.00	1.30	9.58 P.M
Sunday, " 27,	4.13	7.09	1 43	2.15	10.43 "
Monday, " 28,	4.12	7.10	2.15	3.00	11.24 "
Tuesday, " 29,	4.12	7.11	3.00	3 45	12.01 A.M
Wednesday, " 30,	4 11	7.12	4.00	4.30	12.01 "
Thursday, " 31,	4.11	7.13	4.45	5 30	12.34 "
Friday, June 1,	4.10	7.13	5.45	6.30	1.07 "

First Quarter, May 31st, 1.24 A M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898.
Sunday,	64	82	61	61	87
Monday,	62	61	62	69	68
Tuesday,	75	67	71	82	63
Wednesday,	80	83	61	86	76
Thursday,	75	71	68	83	63
Friday,	64	88	78	77	60
Saturday,	—	84	80	80	58

The appropriation of $10,000 instead of $20,000 for installing waters meters in the city, will give an opportunity to experiment, and if a metered system proves popular it can be extended. Undoubtedly there are 500 of the 5,100 services where meters should be applied. The Commissioner of Public Works tells the Patriot that he knows of water takers who allow their lawn hose to run all day and all night. Such services should be metered promptly; also all manufactories, boarding houses, club houses, greenhouses, hotels, laundries, shops, restaurants, stables, car barns, bakeries and new connections.

A general system of metered services for houses is another thing, and of doubtful expediency, particularly if the installation of meters entails an annual cost in excess of the amount saved. The Metropolitan assessments have increased of late because the commission has in eleven years expended $39,044,-214.23 for construction. The system is practically complete now, the amount of loans authorized being $40,000,000. Next year the maximum assessments should be reached and no material reduction can be expected until the bonds mature in 1935 to 1945.

The number of water services in Quincy have increased rapidly in late years and also the receipts, and both would continue to increase without the installation of meters. In 1900 Quincy had 4,307 services and water receipts of $61,975.01. In 1905 it had 5,307 services and water receipts of $94,839.-05. A similar percentage of increase from 1905 to 1910 would place the receipts above the water expense which in 1905 was $112,047 50.

The annual report of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board for Jan. 1, 1906, issued from the press last week, has much of interest. Relative to consumption there is on page 123 a table giving the consumption by cities both 1904 and 1905, and the daily average per capita. Contrary to expectation the decrease per capita does not come in the metered cities but is wholly in Stoneham, Chelsea, Everett and Somerville. Milton and Swampscott had the same consumption per capita. In 12 of the 18 cities there was an increase per capita, and the largest increase was in Watertown, which is a metered town. In the district as a whole, one gallon more per capita was used daily than in 1904.

Here is a summary showing the changes in daily average consumption:

LESS PER CAPITA.

Stoneham,	8 gallons less.
Chelsea,	6 " "
Everett,	4 " "
Somerville,	3 " "

NO CHANGE.

Milton, (meter)	Same as in 1904.
Swampscott,	Same as in 1904.

MORE PER CAPITA.

Boston,	2 gallons more.
Arlington,	2 " "
Lexington,	2 " "
Melrose,	3 " "
Revere,	3 " "
Belmont, (meters)	3 " "
Malden, (meters)	3 " "
Medford,	4 " "
Winthrop,	5 " "
Nahant,	5 " "
Quincy,	6 " "
Watertown, (meters)	13 " "

It was with some surprise that the Councilmen longest in service should have stated in the City Council this week that the water takers are paying all the water expenses and that the city was getting all its water free. The facts are that the Metropolitan water assessment has always been paid by direct taxation, and that it is largely in excess of all water used by the city, both by the fire department, the street department, the sewer department, for the street sprinkling, and for public buildings, etc.

Included in the tax levy of 1905 was the Metropolitan water assessment of $35,832.50; in 1904 the sum of $34,-084.24; in 1903 the sum of $30,237.42 for Metropolitan assessment, and also the maturing water debt of $34,500.00, a total of $64,737.42 that year. Previous to 1904 the maturing water debt and Metropolitan assessment were always included in the levy.

It was estimated by the superintendent of the water department a few months ago that the city was using about $15,000 worth of water annually. While no bills are rendered for this, it is nevertheless a fact that the taxpayers of the city are paying more than $15,-000 for this water.

Should the city be called upon to pay water bills to the amount of $15,000, that sum would have to be included in the amount which can be raised for current city expenses under the $12 per $1,000 limit, and it would be necessary to reduce appropriations of other departments to that extent, which would be difficult.

The time is near at hand when the water rates can be reduced, because the water receipts are now within $18,000.-00 of the water expenditures, which include four items—maintenance, interest, maturing debt and Metropolitan assessment.

Because of the growth of the city, the water receipts have increased faster than the Metroplitan assessments which have been such a bugbear of late. In 1895 there was no Metropolitan assessment for water and the water receipts were $45,480.67 for the year, which was $22,364.33 less than the expenditures. In 1905 the receipts had jumped to $94,839.05, and were only $17,208.45 under the expenditures, which now include the new item of $35,832.50 for Metropolitan assessment.

At the same time it costs Quincy less for water maintenance; the sum of $41,-500.00 being required in 1895 for pumping station, care of reservoir, mains, office expenses, etc., while in 1905 but $11,000.00 was appropriated for maintenance. New loans for water extensions have been liberal, but the water debt of the city has been reduced $31,000.00 in ten years, being $725,000.00 on Jan. 1, 1896, and $694,000.00 on Jan. 1, 1906.

The Metropolitan water system has been an expensive undertaking, but now that the assessments have nearly reached the maximum Quincy has nothing to fear in the way of a water burden or excessive water rates. Reductions will be possible.

—The annual spring lawn tennis tournament of Milton academy opened on Thursday in singles and doubles.

Lawn Party And Reception.

The spring lawn party and reception of the Colonial Dames of Massachusetts, was held Wednesday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock at the Dorothy Q house on Hancock street This is the first reception since the new colonial fence was built, and the grounds laid out, and the marked improvement was the subject of many favorable comments.

The reception which was of an informal nature was largely attended upwards of two hundred being present, representing all parts of the State. Among these were: Hon. Josiah Quincy, ex-Mayor of Boston, Henry Quincy of Dedham, Dr. William Everett of Quincy, Rev. Daniel M. Wilson, formerly pastor of the First church, and Mr. Lamb, trustee of Simmons college.

All of the rooms of the house were decorated with flowers, especially the room dedicated to Mrs. Peter Butler, where there was a large bouquet of pinks sent out by Miss Isabelle Butler and Richard Olney, Jr.

Rev. Daniel M. Wilson gave an interesting historic sketch of the Dorothy Q. house.

Lunch was served during the afternoon by four young ladies who were gowned in the orange and blue Colonial Dame costumes.

The guests at the reception were particularly interested in the massive fireplace which has recently been bought to light in the house. It is located in the parlor and its existence was unknown to the Butler family or any of the more recent occupants of the house. The recent discovery was accidental. It was while workmen were putting in a furnace that one of the men in looking for a place for the furnace flue punched a hole through the outer brick and discovered a large opening back of it. Further investigation showed that there was a large open fire place at least ten feet long and five feet deep. In this were two smaller open fireplaces the smallest of which opened into the parlor. Since then the panels in front have been cut out and hinged so that when opened the fireplace with its surrounding red cedar timbers is exposed to view.

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—Both branches of the Malden city government passed orders Tuesday night appropriating $30,000 for land for an addition to the high school building and $200,000 for a high school building.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, May 23, 1906.

At the time of writing it looks more than ever as if the bribery investigation might be fruitful, after all. Up till yesterday it appeared as if nothing would come of it other than the raising of a cloud of suspicion and the failure of Lawson to get much advertising out of it. But with the statement of Representative Mock of Boston, right in line with that of Representative Leonard of Springfield, the situation has changed greatly. If two representatives agree upon testimony of the same general character, though neither of them had a witness, there will be established at least a plausible case for investigation by the grand jury. Before the end of the week something tangible ought to be the outcome. Yet it is to be remembered that in 1892, when Messrs. Morse of Holden and Simonds of Barre gave testimony which resulted in the suspension of Horace K. Osborne, the lobbyist, for three years from his privilege of service in the state house, that the grand jury which had the facts put before it failed to find any indictment. This was the wonder of the lawyers who were familiar with the case and it made some of them believe that perhaps the grand jury needed investigation fully as much as the legislature or the lobby. In the case now ending, an interesting coincidence is that the member who is concerned in the Leonard story also sits quite near Mr. Mock, whose new evidence is the feature of the week. A queer feature of Mock's statement is that he was moved to break his silence by the contemptuous talk about Lawson and Raymond which was current among the members of the House. As he believed that they were honest and rendering the public material service, he came to their rescue from the hands of defamers by giving this testimony to show that there is actual corruption in the state house.

It is not creditable that the Senate persists so in its association with the lobby, even the disreputable lobby. This week there was read in the Senate a quotation calling attention to the presence of the lobby on the floor by invitation from the senators until it has come about that entrance is nearly as free as to the members themselves. Yet the bill to regulate the lobby which passed the House was killed by the Senate by an overwhelming vote and President Dana defended the action by taking the floor and saying that it was useless to regulate these matters by law, and that the only way to secure freedom from the lobby was to elect honest men to the legislature. Doubtless this is true, but the public sees the Senate always subservient to the corporations which hire the lobby; it sees these senators admit the lobbyists freely to the floor, until it is said by an official that there is not a lobbyist so mean that he cannot get some senator to invite him in.

The Senate has also killed by an overwhelming majority the House bill to revise the law against corrupt practices in elections. There has been a reconsideration and an effort will be made to save something from the wreck. The House was strongly for the bill on a rollcall, but on a voice vote, it was pretty nearly tied. Politicians hate the restraint of publicity and honesty.

One of the hottest and most protracted contests of the session has been over the bill for the taxation of college property which is used for productive purposes, not strictly educational, exception being made of dormitories. The taxation committee gave long hearings and both sides were extremely earnest. The committee was divided about in the middle, but there was a majority for referring the entire subject to the next legislature.

Everybody but avaricious real estate owners will read with regret that, on the very last stage in the Senate they defeated the bill to regulate the height of buildings in cities outside of Boston. The purpose was to secure more light and air for the health of the poor people. Consumption cannot live in the sunlight and fresh air and most filth and diseases are conquered more readily by openness. Many lives will be saved by passing such a bill, but the men who want to build to heaven,—perhaps they want to get as near as possible,—aroused themselves and killed the bill.

A sharp game was played by the liquor lobby in trying to defeat the bill to regulate the transportation of liquors into no-license cities and towns. It is merely a bill to make the law what was all along supposed to be the law, until a recent decision of the supreme court. The bill went through both branches with agreement on the main point, but there was a difference as to whether street railways should be included in it. The House took one side and the Senate the other, and then a conference committee was appointed to see if they could agree. The House members, anxious to save the bill, yielded their point, though still insisting that they were right. Then came the work of the lobby to get the House to refuse to accept the report of the conference committee, and it was a smart debate, befogging the real issue. But that failed, and the last desperate effort was made in the Senate to kill the bill on enactment, but by vote of 26 yeas to 12 nays, the Senator enacted the bill and sent it to the governor.

Redistricting still hangs back and probably will not be reported this week. Delay is caused by the investigation of bribery, for two of the members of the investigating committee are on the redistricting committee for Middlesex county, which is in trouble over its relations with Essex.

One of the features of the week has been the fight against the United Shoe Machinery Company on the part of the shoe manufacturers who are obliged to use the machinery of that company and to bind themselves by strong contracts to use no other machinery and in other ways to put themselves into the hands of the company. The one man more than others who is making the fight in behalf of the company is George E. Keith of Brockton, and the Haverhill shoe manufacturers are leading the fight against him. It is a struggle of wealth against wealth and the Senate is the scene of the conflict. The fight was started last year by Representative Crossman of Berlin and the feeling against the machinery monopoly has lost nothing of bitterness by the lapse of time. It cannot be told yet how the contest will come out.

Gov. Guild finds the legislature quite ready to support his vetoes. Everyone has been strongly sustained, and the fourth one more strongly than any other, for there were only eight yeas to 137 nays on the rollcall on passing the the bill over the veto. Not a word was said for the bill, which was to establish aldermanic districts in Boston. Considering that this was the eighth bill of the sort since 1890 and that since that date the district system had been twice adopted and abandoned, the governor thought it was time to call a halt, even if it was republican politics to please Boston members, and the House thought so, too, after he had made his points, though the bill went through in the first place without any serious opposition. Boston politics always take up much time of the legislature and the republicans have never really gained anything by trying to govern the city from Beacon Hill. Rule.

Again on Fire.

It seems almost as though the fates were trying to destroy the Johnson Bros. block on Hancock street by fire, but the alertness of the fire department will not permit it to be done. There have been three fires in the block within the past few months and in two instances at least the fire started in the same place.

The third fire was Wednesday, an alarm from Box 26 being pulled by Officer Crooker at 6.07. This brought the apparatus from the Central, Wollaston and Quincy Point stations.

When the department arrived the smoke was coming through the roof. The department went at the fire in a systematic way and no more water than was necessary was used. The damage therefore will not be heavy.

The fire started near the toilet room on the first floor evidently in a barrel of rubbish. It is thought that some one in the building the night before threw a cigar stub into the barrel and that the fire had been smouldering all night.

From the barrel the fire worked its way upward to the roof. It was fought from the inside and by a line of hose that had been carried to the roof from the outside. It was necessary to rip off clapboards and shingles to get at the fire, which did not burn through.

The upper floor or hall is occupied by the Eagles. The damages there was largely by water and smoke but will not be heavy.

While the fire was in progress there was a loud explosion in the dental office of Dr. Morstin. After the fire it was seen that the explosion had been in the doctor's reception room. The plastering on the ceiling had been torn off and scattered all over the room. There was no damage done however in his operating room. It is thought that the explosion was due to hot air confined in the room above.

Two lines of hose were laid from the hydrant near Fellows' clothing store. This blocked the street car tracks and passengers were obliged to change cars.

The department were quick in responding and half an hour after the alarm the fire was out and the recall sounded.

The loss will be only a few hundred dollars and is fully covered by insurance.

Where the Gas Mains Will Go.

Quincy can congratulate itself upon having at last a gas company that is alive and up to date. The reorganized company is a business one, and intends to conduct the business on business principles. Practically all of the gas mains used by the old company will have to be abandoned, and it is the intention of the present company to pipe the whole city.

This is quite an undertaking and will require at least the expenditure of $200,000. It would be almost impossibility to do all of this work in any one year, but a good share of it will be done this year. A large number of streets were included in the order passed by the City Council on Monday evening granting permission to lay mains, and it is the intention of the company as far as possible to employ Quincy labor, and push the work.

The streets named in the order with the size of mains and number of feet in each are as follows:

	Feet	Size
Adams st. Milton line to Beale st.	400	12
Beale st. Adams st. to Hancock st.	6,450	12
Canal st., Washington st. to Newcomb	600	12
Hancock st., Squantum to Wash. st.	11,100	12
Washington st., Hancock to Canal st.	1,600	12
Squantum st., Hancock to Faxon rd.	1,800	8
Elm av., Hancock st. to Staunton st.	1,600	8
Farrington st., Beale to Squantum st.	4,200	8
Faxon rd., Billings rd. to Squantum	1,850	8
Gould st., Elm av. to Beach st.	650	8
Rawson rd., Beach st. to Billings rd.	2,000	6
Washington st., Canal to Baxter av.	4,500	8
Elm av., Staunton st., to Gould st.	300	8
Arlington st. Beale st. to Central av.	1,500	6
Atlantic st., Prospect to Squantum st.	2,100	6
Baxter av. Washington to Curtis av.	650	6
Beach st., Hancock st. to Billings rd.	3,150	6
Billings rd., Hancock st. to Elm av.	4,200	6
Everett st., Elm av. to Billings rd.	2,200	6
Squantum st., Faxon rd. to Atlantic	1,500	6
Highland av., Beale st. to Central av.	1,600	6
Newbury av., Squantum to Atlantic	1,850	6
N. Central av., Highland to Newport	1,450	6
Elm av., Gould st. to Billings rd.	1,400	6
Willet st., Hancock st. to Rawson rd.	1,500	6
Appleton st., Squantum to Met. Pky.	1,250	4
Berlin st., Highland av. to Newport	1,000	4
Billings st., Prospect to Squantum st.,	2,100	4
Botolph st., Newbury to Squantum	1,300	4
Bromfield st., Rawson to Billings rd.	1,400	4
Brook st., Highland av. to Newport	1,400	4
Brooks st., Billings rd. to Henry st.	1,050	4
Calumet st., Billings rd. to Vassal st.	500	4
Charles st., River st. to Baxter av.	750	4
Charles st., Newbury av. to Brooks st.	1,350	4
Chester st., Hancock st. to Weston st.	700	4
Curtis av., Baxter to Washington ct.	1,500	4
Davis st., Staunton st. to Met. Pky.	2,350	4
Dimmock st., Hancock st. to Goffe st.	700	4
Dimmock st., Walley rd., to Glendale	350	4
Elm av., Staunton st. to Met. Pky.	2,200	4
Edison st., Washington to Bay View	1,000	4
Elmwood av., Highland to Newport	1,450	4
Eustis st., Everett st. to Rawson rd.	750	4
Fayette st., Beale st. to Hobart st.	2,150	4
Glendale rd., Dimmock to Whitwell	1,150	4
Graham st., River st. to Edison Pk.	750	4
Hamden cir., Willet to Hamilton st,	1,900	4
Hamilton st., Rawson rd. to Billings	1,350	4
Highland av., Beale st. to Warren av.	1,200	4
Hollis av., Hancock to Newbury av.	600	4
Kemper st., Beach to Waterston av.	1,300	4
Linden st., Hancock st. to Berlin st.	350	4
Madison st., Hancock to Newbury av.	1,000	4
Marlboro st., Willet to Waterston av.	1,850	4
Newbury av., Squantum to Glover av.	1,300	4
Old Colony st., Hancock to Newbury	1,050	4
Old Colony av. Beale to Standish av.	350	4
Phillips st., Willet to Waterston av.	1,850	4
Prospect st., Atlantic to Sagamore st.	750	4
River st., Washington st. to Charles st.	800	4
Royal st., Billings rd. to Vassel st.	1,000	4
Safford st., Beale st. to Hobart st.	2,100	4
Sagamore st., Hancock to Newbury	1,350	4
Standish av., Old Colony to Hancock	2,100	4
Taylor st,, Beale st, to Hobart st.	2,150	4
Goffe st., Fairmount way to Whalley rd.	650	4
Upland rd., Saville st. to Whalley rd.	1,550	4
Vassel st., Rawson rd. to Billings rd.	1,100	4
Walker st., Newbury to Squantum	1,350	4
Washington ct., Wash. to Curtis av.	400	4
Wayland st., Hancock st. to Weston av.	800	4
Weston st., Linden st. to Woodbine st.	1,000	4
Willow st., Willet st. to Waterston av.	1,900	4
Woodbine st., Hancock to Weston st.	850	4

Drama and Dance.

The third annual drama and dance given by the Loyal Pride of Granite lodge, No. 30, I. O. O. L., M. U., was held in Malnati hall, Friday evening, May 18. A farce entitled "A Wonderful Cure" was presented by the following cast:

Mrs. Garby,	Mrs. A. B. Cooper
Ellen, her niece,	Gretchen Meshler
Jessie, maid,	Monica Claire
Marion Hoaxley, Abracadabra, wonderful man,	E. M. Boutilier

Much credit is due Mr. Phelan, who instructed the cast. Each part was taken with great credit.

In part two Mr. George Cameron in his tricks, "A La Houdini," succeeding in all his handcuff performances. There were vocal solos by Miss Virginia Allen, accompanied by Miss Mary Lease; and piano solos by Miss Lease.

Dancing was enjoyed until 2 A. M. The floor was in charge of Miss Margaret McCue assisted by Miss Elizabeth Boutilier, with Miss Gertrude Smith as chief aid and a corp of assistant aids.

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Quincy Women's Club.

The Quincy Women's club brought its social season to an end Tuesday afternoon most pleasantly, a largely attended meeting being held at the club house. Mrs. Bumpus president welcomed the club and said a few words about the Federation meeting at Melrose last week Thursday, at which the Quincy club was well represented. She spoke of the special lines of work in which she hoped the Quincy club would be interested next fall, that of medical inspection in the schools and civil service reform; two subjects which were given much attention at the Federation meeting.

The entertainment was in the hands of the program committee and Mrs. W. E. Alden, chairman, introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Col. Edward Anderson, who spoke on "Great Men Whom I Have Met." He told most interestingly of his meeting Daniel Webster, Charles Sumner, John Brown, Abraham Lincoln, E. M. Stanton, James Garfield, John B. Goff and other prominent men. Dr. Anderson's flashes of humor were appreciated by his audience.

Following the address there was singing by Miss Mabel Burr of Atlantic with Mrs. Smith at the piano. She has a sweet sympathetic voice and charmed her listeners, receiving hearty applause.

The meeting closed with a social time, all pronouncing it a very pleasant afternoon, one of the best of all the year.

The Civic Betterment, Philanthropic, Educational and Special House committee will continue club work through the summer season.

An executive meeting will be held on Thursday June 7th at ten o'clock at the club house.

Y. M. C. A. Women's Auxiliary.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. was well attended Monday afternoon, one hundred ladies being present.

The annual reports of the secretary, treasurer and chairman of committees were full of interest, showing that commendable work has been done by the organization during the past year.

The treasurer's report was especially interesting as Mrs. Pinkham reported the financial help rendered the Y. M. C. A. since, she became treasurer, three years ago.

The summary of the treasurer's report is as follows:

Amount on hand June, 1905,	$391.26
Rec'd during the year,	223.87
	$615.13
Expenditures,	276.96
Amount on hand,	338.17
Mite box collection to date,	144.56
Boys' work acc't,	11.66
Total am't in care of Treasurer,	494.39

The Auxiliary has paid for the Association since Sept. 1, 1903, the following amounts:

May 23, 1904, Oliver Type Writer Co.	$60.00
April 13, 1905, building fund for chairs	335.56
May 10—19, 1905, dishes, etc.	250.58
May 19 to Sept. 25, 1905, Proceeds of Colonial fair-fete	1,309.81
Jan. 6, 1906, amount of pledge	100.00
Jan. 15, dictionary	9.40
Boys' work	15.00
Feb. 19. Dictionary stand	5.17
	$2,085.52

Miss Mabel Lovejoy, president of the Junior Auxiliary reported a membership of fifty-five and $35 in their treasury. During the year they have earned $27.59 for their mite box by holding two candy sales and a tramp social.

Following the annual reports Secretary Gay reported briefly the work and needs of the Association at the present time.

After the election of officers and directors for the coming year the Auxiliary voted to pay $200 towards the Boys' Secretary, the entire salary be assumed by the Auxiliary in the fall.

The regular meetings of the Auxiliary have been particularly interesting during the year under the leadership of the retiring president. Great credit is due Mrs. Sheppard, who so ably filled her position during her two years of service. She has put her whole heart and soul into the cause and the influence of her enthusiasm has kept the work up to a high standard of activity. She has reason to feel justly proud of the record of the Auxiliary during the two years she has served the organization so faithfully.

After the business part of the meeting was completed the Auxiliary were delightfully entertained by solos by Miss Burr of Atlantic, and readings by Mrs. Isabelle Davis.

A reception to the new president, Mrs. James E. Myers, was held in the Association parlors. Tea was poured by Mrs. W. E. Gardner and Mrs. John W. Sanborn and served by the president and secretary of the Junior Auxiliary.

Base Ball.

Superior fielding and timely hitting won Quincy High its game on Tuesday with Cambridge High, although the visitors were credited with a home run.

In sixth innings they put the visitors out in one-two-three order, Michaels striking out 7 during the game and allowing no passes.

Quincy scored a run in the first innings when Loud reached first on an error and Elcock followed with a two bagger.

In the fourth McClure opened with a bit for two bases, and Elcock, Comins, and Michaels hit safely, resulting in two runs.

In the fifth the first five men reached first on three hits, a base on ball and fielders choice, but two perished at second and only one scored.

The eighth opened with a double by Fallon and single by Comins resulting in one run, three men going out on flies.

—Both branches of the Malden city government passed orders Tuesday night appropriating $30,000 for land for an addition to the high school building and $200,000 for a high school building.

OUR HOSPITAL

(Legal Title: City Hospital of Quincy)

INCORPORATED 1889

The Trustees of the City Hospital of Quincy earnestly appeal for donations and bequests for the Endowment fund. This now amounts to over $60,000, but a fund of at least $100,000 is urgently needed.

Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) will endow a Free Bed to which such name may be given as the Donor may desire, but any sum for this noble institution which stands ready to serve us all in the hour of need, will be most gratefully received.

The Secretary, TIMOTHY REED, Adams St., Quincy, or the Treasurer, RICHARD D. CHASE, Savings Bank Building, Quincy, will be very glad to confer with any one or to answer any inquiries.

THE Young Men's Christian Association OF QUINCY, MASS.

(Legal Title – Incorporated 1892.)

The Directors of the YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION of Quincy, with a firm faith in the great value of the work which is being done for the young men and boys of our city, make their appeal for donations and bequests toward paying the mortgage indebtedness on the new Association Building. When the building is free from debt it will serve as an Endowment, as there is a goodly income from the dormitories.

Should the Donor prefer, such sum as might be given could be used as an Endowment for an educational class or classes, the Boys Department, or as a special fund in other ways, and could be designated with the name of the Donor.

The Treasurer, WILLIAM F. CUMMINGS, 7 Clive Street, Quincy, or the General Secretary, ERNEST G. GAY, will be happy to answer inquiries.

Sheppard vs. Bryant.

In view of the very general interest to the community of the outcome of the slander suit of Joel F. Sheppard & Sons vs. Charles M. Bryant, we print in full the decision of the Supreme Judicial court given out a few days ago. The points decided are interesting and the opinion clearly sets forth the grounds upon which a witness is protected in giving testimony before a legislative committee as well as in a court of law. The court indirectly pays Mr. Bryant a compliment when they say that they have examined all of his testimony carefully and were struck with the strictness which with the witness, in response to such general questions as was asked him, kept within the general scope of the inquiry.

The decision of the court, reflects much credit on the work of Mr. Blackmur, counsel for Mr. Bryant, whose argument and brief submitted to the Supreme Court the decision closely follows.

The court says:

Hammond, J. This is an action of tort for slander. The words were spoken by the defendant in testifying as a witness before a legislative committee. The court ruled that "the alleged slanderous words having been uttered by the defendant as a witness, duly sworn, at a hearing before a committee of the Legislature, upon a matter within the authority of the committee, in reponse to a question asked of the witness by the chairman of the committee, and being pertinent to the matter then under investigation by the committee, are absolutely privileged, and the defendant is not liable in this action therefor; and directed the jury to return a verdict for the defendant."

The plaintiffs concede that it is the well settled doctrine in this Commonwealth at least, that words spoken by a witness in the course of judicial proceedings which are pertinent to the matter in hearing are absolutely privileged, even if uttered maliciously.

Laing v. Mitten, 185 Mass. 233, and cases cited. They, however contend that this doctrine is not applicable to the case of a hearing before a legislative committee, and in support of that contention they have addressed to us an argument based largely on the well known facts that legislative committees are often composed entirely of persons who have no knowledge of rules of law, especially of those relating to evidence; that frequently neither public nor private interests are represented by counsel, and that as the natural result the whole preceedings relating to evidence are very loosely conducted.

But notwithstanding these conditions we think that as stated by Field J., in Wright v. Lothrop, 149 Mass. 385, 389. "The privilege of a witness appearing before a committee of the Legislature in a matter within the jurisdiction of the committee is undoubtedly the same as that of a witness before a court of justice."

This rule of privilege is a compromise between two important rights, the one being the right of an individual to be free from attack by malicious words, and the other the right, public and private, of a thorough investigation when necessary by some tribunal before which the witnesses may speak without fear. The reason for the rule is applicable as much to a hearing before a committee of the Legislature as to a court of justice.

The words in question were spoken before a duly constituted joint committee of the Legislature by the defendant who, having failed to answer one summons, was again summoned, and, having appeared in answer to this command was duly sworn as a witness. He testified therefore under the protection afforded by the rule.

The next contention of the plaintiff is that the words used were not pertinent to the matter then under investigation. The committee was appointed while the community was suffering from the consequences of the great coal strike of 1902. The duties of the committee as expressed in the joint order under which it was appointed were "to investigate the conditions under which coal is received, supplied and sold in the city of Boston and vicinity." "To ascertain if any attempt is being made or has been made to prevent coal from being transported to and delivered at its destination or placed upon the market as speedily as may be, and to determine whether the high prices at which coal is sold and has been sold are unavoidable or the result of an attempt on the part of the dealers, at wholesale or retail, to make excessive profits." Subsequently, before the hearing, the committee was ordered to extend the investigation "throughout the Commonwealth," and "to investigate and ascertain whether vessels or barges loaded with coal have been held or detained in harbors or at wharves for an unreasonable time before being unloaded."

It is very evident that the Legislature, in view of the state of facts then, and immediately thereafter existing in this community as to the lack of coal was thoroughly aroused, and with a view to some legislation, was determined, if possible, to probe to the bottom the circumstances relating to the supply of coal. The order was very sweeping. Under it the committee could properly inquire into the conduct of every coal dealer in the Commonwealth, so far as it related to receiving, supplying or selling coal, or holding or detaining or unloading coal barges at the harbors or wharves. Under these circumstances the committee met.

It may fairly be assumed that the members were determined in a matter so momentous to do their duty. The defendant, then the Mayor of Quincy, who evidently had been quite active in his efforts to relieve the wants of the residents of that city as to coal,—a fact of which the committee apparently had had some information,—was summoned as a witness and duly sworn. In response to questions put to him by the chairman he gives his name and states that he is Mayor of Quincy. Then the examination continues thus, the questions being put by the chairman:

"Q—Now the committee understand that you have had some interesting experiences in your efforts to secure coal for the people of Quincy and vicinity."

"A.—I don't know whether they are interesting or

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Poetry.

Memorial Day.

Scatter your flowers alike this day,
Over the graves of the Blue and the Gray.
Time has healed all the Nation's scars,
Peace has hushed all the noise of wars,
And North and South and East and West
There beats but one heart in the Nation's breast;—
The grass is green and the flowers bloom
Alike upon soldier's and sailor's tomb;
So scatter your flowers alike this day,
Over the graves of the Blue, and Gray.

Ah! each was gallant and brave and true,
Whether he wore the Gray or the Blue;
Alike each sought for a soldier's fame,
Alike each won him a soldier's name;
Yet what the guerdon each soldier found?
A dreamless sleep 'neath a grassy mound!
O Let us forget what coat each wore,
Let us scatter our flowers freely o'er
The sacred spots where sleeps this day
The dead that once wore the Blue and Gray!

Oh, by the bitter tears we shed
Alike o'er our lov'd ones laying dead,
Oh, by the common grief we knew
Whether we mourned the Gray or Blue;
By the drops scarce dry on the widow's cheek,
By the common language our children speak,
We have blest the land with a lasting peace
And scatter our flowers alike this day
Over the graves of the Blue and Gray.

Notes and Comments.

—The resident of a community should be active in furthering the interests of the place he calls home. He is working contrarily to his own good when he sends his money to the distant city for supplies he knows can be secured in his home town. The dollar sent away goes out of circulation and ceases to be a factor in the building up of the community from which it is sent.

—Boston's new collector of taxes, Mr. Scollard, has set the tax collectors of the state an admirable example by his vigorous and fearless method of getting in the money due from delinquents.—Brookline Chronicle.

—We read that the London waiters have petitioned Parliament to prohibit tipping on the ground that it is "a curse, a scandal, and a disgrace to the nation, which should be sternly repressed by law." The sentiment among the waiters in this country seems to be growing the opposite way and we are manifestly fastening upon ourselves the system that has been so annoying and disgusting to Americans traveling on the continent.—Spencer Leader.

—Already the fish are beginning to look with suspicion on the scheme to build a canal from Quincy Point to Taunton. The smelt of Quincy, the sole of Brockton, and the herring of Taunton are opposed to disturbing the waters for commercial purposes. No danger; the canal will not be built in this generation.—Hyde Park Gazette.

—The drydock Dewey has reached the Indian ocean now. She has plenty of sea room there—and she needs it.

—It is wonderful to note the unanimity with which the press in general is inclined to uphold President Roosevelt in the controversy between himself and ex-Senator Chandler of New Hampshire. The President is impetuous, and has shown that trait in a number of instances since he held the office of President; but his heart is right, and his impetuosity is for the good of the country so far as he can see and forsee it.—Boston Courier.

—Gas Commissioner Schaff thinks that gas can be profitably sold in Boston for eighty cents a thousand feet—and certainly he ought to know.—Somerville Journal.

—With a view to encouraging the cultivation of flowers and vegetables by children, the Worcester County Horticultural society has issued a circular announcing a schedule of cash prizes offered for exhibits of various kinds grown from seed, all the work from planting to harvesting being done by children under fourteen years of age.

—The Jamaica Plain News recently cautioned its readers of ordinary income against the extravagance of automobiles, basing its suggestion upon the fact that the maintenance of an automobile by one of the city departments cost considerably over $1200 last year.

—Col. "Tom" Burke's patent street sprinklers got busy the past week in Quincy, and all the young ladies of the city decorated the carts with flags and evergreens in recognition of the event. By his new device the streets are sprinkled with evenness, and every one can cross from one side to the other dryshod.—Hyde Park Gazette.

—The State has a Governor who has not feared to use his authority in disclaiming the right of unlimited boating on the State's big ponds. It would be altogether an unwise move so far as sanitation is concerned, to allow unrestricted and unguarded bathing in the metropolitan supply ponds, at least. Good for the Governor and his veto.—Boston Courier.

—Owing to the unusually great demand for high grade gasoline for use in automobiles and motor boats the price has just been advanced one cent a gallon. Another reason for free alcohol, if the members of the Senate would only heed the voice of the people.—Old Colony Memorial.

—The new bill presented to Congress by Postmaster General Cortelyou, provides for the transmission of small sums of money through the mail. It provides for two kinds of postal notes. Those for sums of money between ten cents and forty cents, will be sold for a fee of one cent, and from fifty cents up to two dollars and a half will cost two cents. The petty notes, or special notes, as they will be called, in denominations from one cent to nine cents, will be sold at their face value without a fee to the government. If this bill becomes a law it will be a great accommodation to the public, but it looks a little doubtful passing at this session.

—While the engineers and United States government could not make up their minds whether a lock or sea level canal was the better plan at Panama, the Almighty came to their assistance and through the lessons of the California earthquake convinced a majority that the sea level canal is the type to build.—Spencer Leader.

—The German government proposes to inaugurate a novel method of punishing automobilists who run down persons in the public highways in that country. Embodied in a bill is the scheme obliging automobilists to pay life annuities to those dependent on persons killed by their motor cars, or to those permanently injured by them. The owners of the cars and not the chauffeurs would be held responsible, and the annuities would be assessed by the courts. In most cases the owner of the car is amply able to pay such a charge, and the money would often be the means of preventing suffering or distress.—Milford Gazette.

—The question of position of flags on Memorial Day has for a long time been an open one and it is now proposed to have it more uniform, and the United States government has issued an order that on Memorial Day at all Forts and Military Posts flags shall be raised to half mast until 12 o'clock and then raised to masthead, and similar orders have been issued from Grand Army headquarters.

—The Railroad Commissioners granted this week the petition of the Old Colony Street Railway for approval of an extension of the company's trolley freight rights in Brockton and nearby towns. This includes all the main routes in Brockton where the company was not previously authorized to do a freight and express business, and also gives authority for freight and express service between Brockton and the towns of Abington, Rockland and Whitman. These towns will now have regular trolley freight in and out of Brockton, and Brockton will have a through car to and from Providence by way of Taunton.

—Not by any means the least of the important services rendered by the late Chief Engineer of the Panama Canal, Mr. John F. Wallace, was the word of warning which he sounded in a recent address with regard to the strong competition with which the canal will be confronted by the completion of the Tehuantepec railroad. This railroad, which is being built in the interests of British capitalists, extends for a distance of 176 miles across the isthmus at Tehuantepec. According to Mr. Wallace, it is being built in a most substantial manner and provided with the very best facilities, equipment, etc., with a view to its handling a large amount of traffic at a minimum cost per ton. Wharves, warehouses, modern methods of loading and unloading, etc., will enable this railroad to conduct a profitable business at a rate not to exceed $2 a ton from ship hold to ship hold. The time from ship to ship should not exceed an average of two days.—Scientific American.

Concert and Cantata.

The intense heat which continued into the evening did not deter about two hundred from attending the concert in High school hall, May 18, given by the choral society of the Quincy Women's club. The large hall was comfortably cool and the white gowns of those participating in the concert as well as many in the audience, added to the cool effect.

A concert was given from eight until nine o'clock by Miss Edna Goullaud, soloist; Mr. Leon Van Vliet, 'cellist; the Mendelssohn trio, and at the piano Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith and Mrs. Daisy Bemis Sampson.

It was a good program. Miss Goullaud, as usual, was a favorite. Her voice although thoroughly trained, has a sweet naturalness that always catches the sympathy of her audiences. Mr. Van Vliet was also appreciatively received and recalled several times. The Mendelssohn trio: Mrs. Tirrell, Mrs. Moore and Miss Coe, were good in their selections, their voices blending perfectly. They also received hearty recognition.

Considerable interest centered in the cantata "King Rene's Daughter," by the Choral society, especially among club members who have kept in touch with the rehearsals and work of the class the past winter. Besides the chorus of forty voices the special soloists were: Miss Edna Goullaud, Mrs. Frank A. Page, Mrs. Frank S. Moore, Mrs. N. S. Hunting, Miss Alice G. Coe and Mrs. N. G. Nickerson.

The overture on the piano by Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Sampson was brilliant, and gave pleasant anticipation of what was to follow.

The rehearsals and the cantata were under the direction of Mrs. Jennie B. Worster of Weymouth, a club member who has most generously given her services to the choral class. She has every reason to be pleased with the results as the cantata went smoothly, effective work being done by soloists and chorus. King Rene's Daughter is a cantata full of melodious solos, trios and quartets as well as pleasing chorus work.

In the short time the class has been preparing for the concert the result shows careful training for the voices harmonized and in all the chorus work the shadowing was remarkably good, from the light movements to the quicker and fuller tones.

Much of the success of the cantata was due to Mrs. Smith at the piano who accompanied artistically. For nearly an hour she played constantly and her intelligent interpretation of the cantata was most pleasing.

The proceeds of the concert are to go toward the fund for the Visiting Nurse's salary next year, a philanthropic work undertaken by the Women's club.

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Council Meeting.

A short but important meeting of the City Council was held Monday evening. There was a veto from the Mayor, which was not sustained; a hearing on trolley freight petition which was not one sided, and a discussion on water meters, resulting in a reduction of the proposed appropriation.

Councilmen Bass, Cannon, Crane, Gross, and Hobbs were absent.

A VETO.

The Mayor returned without his approval the meter ordinance. His veto was as follows:

"I herewith return without my approval Order No. 95 of current year, being an ordinance amending ordinance 26, providing for metering the water services of the city.

"My reasons for so doing are that the ordinance imposes upon the city the duty of installing the meters, and places the expense of such installation, in the first instance, on the city. As there are at present no funds from which we could draw for such purpose, and as no appropriation has been made this year for carrying out the provisions of said ordinance, it seems to me unwise to pass an ordinance which, for the present at least, would be of no effect.

"Were the necessary money provided for, to enable the Executive department to carry out the provisions of the ordinance, I see no objections at this time to its passage; but as the city has neglected to make the appropriation for this purpose, I feel it my duty to return the order unsigned and not approved."

Upon motion of Councilman Gilson the veto was laid on the table.

NEW WHARF.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Harbor and Land Commissioners giving notice of a hearing on petition of H. M. Faxon to build pile wharf. To Committee on Legislative Matters.

PETITIONS

A number of petitions were received for minor licenses. Referred to Committee on Licenses.

The New England Telephone Co., petitioned for permission to attach its fixtures and wires to poles on Upland road, North Central avenue, Scammell, South, Summer and Clive streets. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Chase presented a petition favoring the granting a lunch wagon license to M. A. Dill. To Committee on Licenses.

A petition was received from John B. Cornish for fixing the embankment on Lincoln avenue. To Committee on Streets.

TROLLEY FREIGHT.

A public hearing was held at 7.45 on petition the Old Colony street railway company for approval of its operating a trolley freight over all Quincy routes.

Supt. Conway stated that the freight cars were now running between Brockton and Providence and in a few days Rockland, Whitman and Abington would have the service. Quincy was the only place left. This petition simply covered the lines not included in the original petition.

Ex-Councilman Walter S. Pinkham appeared for the directors of the Citizens Association against the petition.

The directors had passed a vote that it was the sense of the board that the matter not be passed at present but laid over until next year.

The reasons were that under the present street railway law, no new extentions could be passed that were coupled with any restrictions not in the original grant. We are afraid that the same may be true in regard to trolley freight after the first grant.

We have got to have restriction that will stand the test for all time. He doubted if it had been discussed so that the Council had in mind all the conditions likely to arise.

Have you considered the limit of time and feel sure that it can be limited?

The steam railroads expends thousands of dollars for road beds. We are asked to give the use of our streets for a road bed for nothing.

He believed a definite return should come to the city. They now pay a franchise tax but we do not know what is paid.

There is no provision in the act about allowing cars of other companies to go over their tracks. You are taking the express business from different companies and turning it over to a monopoly.

Mr. Pinkham then spoke of the merger bill that proposed to allow steam and electric railroads to consolidate. Instead of a competitor of the New Haven you are laying the foundation for giving it a monopoly.

The time is not ripe yet. There is time enough to consider it well.

Ex-Councilman James F. Burke opposed. It was not a personal matter with him as had been stated. He had only one object in view, just the people.

It was a very innocent proposition asking for the use of every street in the city which belong to the people. Does it mean they will widen the street? Do they keep the road bed on Washington street in repair? No they want everything, but give nothing in return?

He read a letter from the City Clerk of Waltham showing that street railway companies had paid toward several street widenings where they wanted locations.

Mr. Gallagher of the Austin-Wilslow Gallagher express company opposed. The city was receiving good service now. His company had six outward and seven inward trains every day. The express business was now well organized and should not be disturbed. If granted it would give the street railway company a monopoly.

Ex-Councilman William T. Shea appeared in favor. He was convinced that public necessity required it now more than ever. Is it for the best interest of the citizens, is the question. He had talked with many business men of the city and there was not one but what favored it. The company pay a tax to take care of their road bed. If our city expends this for some other pupose it is not the fault of the railway company. Let us get after the officials and see that the money is expended as intended.

The tracks are here. It does not matter whether a car runs every five minutes or every fifteen minutes. He did not think as a business proposition that the company would block its passenger service. The Council should take a broad view of the matter.

The hearing then closed and the order was recommitted to the Committee on Streets.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets reported an order for a public hearing June 4, on the petition on the Q. E. L. & P. Co. for a location for poles on Edison Park. Adopted.

The Committee on Public Buildings ought to pass on the order for $2,500 for plumbing the Massachusetts Fields school and connecting the building with the sewer. To Finance Committee.

The Committee on Public Buildings reported an amendment to the order for $400 for building a bulkhead and sink at the Gridley Bryant school making the amount $300, and as amended the order ought to pass. Referred to the Finance Committee.

The Committee on State Aid reported on petitions for Soldiers' Relief. Adopted.

The Committee on Licenses reported an order granting minor licenses. Adopted.

The same committee also reported leave to withdraw on several petitions for minor licenses. Accepted.

NEW WHISTLE.

Councilman Stone offered an order for $275 for the purchase and installation of an automatic attachment and whistle to be attached to the Quincy Point power station. Referred to Committee on Finance.

WATER METERS.

Upon motion of Councilman Gilson, the order appropriating $20,000 for water meters was taken from the table.

Councilman Nichols said he understood that the passage of the order would be to comply with the objections of the Mayor to the meter ordinance. Under this condition he stood ready to vote for both.

There was something inconsistent in the Water department. We find by the budget that the debt, interest and maintenance is to be paid from the receipts. This means that they are paid by the water takers. Under these conditions it was not equitable or fair, as the city uses lots of water and it should come under current expenses.

Who pays for the water used in the public buildings? According to this statement the water takers pay it. The water receipts should include pay for all water used. He believed all departments should estimate for the water used by them, which would be for the benefit of the water takers.

Councilman Stone was ready to vote for the order.

Chairman Polk of the Finance Committee moved to amend by making the amount $10,000. He felt that amount was sufficient for the present. He would like to know how the money was to be expended. The only way is to wait and see. Next year we will be in better condition to know. It will take some time to put in $10,000 worth of meters. It was all the city ought to expend this year as the city was near the limit that could be expended for water extensions.

Councilman Gilson—In view of the fact that this matter has been pending for months and that the amount had been reduced from $50,000 to $25,000 then to $20,000 and now to $10,000, he was willing to accept the amendment and make a start.

Amendment adopted the order was then passed to be ordained by a unanimous vote on roll call.

The veto of the Mayor was then taken from the table and the meter ordinance passed unanimously notwithstanding the veto.

LOAN ORDER.

The loan order to cover deficeincy bills took its second reading, and was referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

The clerk of the Council was instructed by vote to extend sympathy to Councilman Hobbs who is ill in a Boston hospital.

Adjourned at 9.03 until June 4.

Anniversary Exercises.

The Y. M. C. A. anniversary exercises were continued Sunday morning in fourteen different churches in Quincy. There was an unusually good representative corps of speakers assigned to the different churches and the services were well attended.

With one exception the assignment of speakers was the same as announced in Friday's Daily Ledger. The exception was Raymond W. Noon, the boys' work director, who was to speak at the West Quincy Methodist church. Mr. Noon went home sick Saturday night. His place was taken by Secretary Gay.

The theme of the speakers was practically the same. The breaking of home ties was first touched upon. When it is realized that ten thousand young men leave their homes and come to cities, the need of association work is seen.

The work of the Y. M. C. A. is in the nature of a preventative rather than a cure. The young men of today are the business men tomorrow.

The speakers touched upon the adaptability of the work, and the different departments. They also outlined the work accomplished by the Quincy association during the past year.

After the services the speakers returned to the Y. M. C. A. rooms where lunch was served at 12.30.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of recent real state sales in Quincy.

Oren F. Bates to James F. Burke.
James F. Burke to Citizens' Gas Light Co.
Louisa B. Hinkley to Mary L. Hinkley.
Louisa B. Hinkley to George W. Hinkley et ux.
Wilson Marsh to Margaret R. Thomas.
Mary P. Bonner to James A. Redman et al.
Mary P. Bonner to Charles S. Wing.
John W. Chisholm to John G. Whitman, $1,000.
John L. Johnson to Sofia Ekblom.
William J. Tilley to Annie I. Acorn.
Harlow H. Rogers to L. Oscar Perkins.
L. Oscar Perkins to George L. Perkins, $10.
George L. Perkins to Sidney C. McIntire (2)
Asa O. A. Sewell to Hugh Anderson.
John A. Pray et al trustees to Henry Murray.
Henry W. Hunt to Maurice E. Kilpatrick.
Louis Monto to Marion W. Zerega.
John W. Chisholm to Edward Billings.
Edward Billings to Hugo Momm.
Harry D. Hall to Ethel C. A. Sears.
Rosa B. Nickerson to Elizabeth C. Couch.
Elizabeth C. Dow to Hannah E. Dow.
Hannah E. Dow to Horace C. Briggs.
Linus Swanson to Otto E. Swanson et al.
Maud P. Dyer to Gustaf W. Fornell, $83.
Calvin T. Dyer et al to Gustaf W. Fornell.
Emma B. Smiley to Ellen T. Murray.
Lottie B. Spear to Nicola Biagini.
James H. McManus to John P. Cronin.
John F. Cronin to Margaret E. McManus.
George A. Smith to Alfred W. Bennett.



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Q. H. S. Dramatics.

A large audience assembled in High School hall Saturday evening for the dramatic by the class of 1906. A farce and a comedy were very satisfactorily presented, and there were piano selections between the acts by Miss Rina Bizzozero which were also enjoyed.

In the farce, "Per Telephone" the cast of characters was:

Guy Harling	Eugene Saunders
Ned Austin	Frederick D. Williams
Nan Cuzzin	Bula Loud
Mary Halcome	Bertha Reed
Nora, a servant	Leona Robbins

The scene was in a parlor in Miss Cuzzin's home. A telephone had that day been installed, and was very much in evidence. Nan called up several of her acquaintances, and ordered an yeast-cake at the store, and thought the telephone a great convenience. She changed her mind when numerous calls prevented Guy from proposing marriage, and the situation was desperate when he proposed by telephone to Mary instead of Nan. The arrival of Ned, an old suitor of Mary, from Australia, helped matters out. Nora added to the amusement of the audience; being suspicious of the telephone. All the parts were well taken.

In the comedy, "Tommy's Wife," the cast of characters was:

Thomas Pitman Carothers, a youthful painter	William Howe
Rose Carothers, his sister	Dorothy Fay
Dick Grannis, his chum in love with Rose	Charles K. Hogan
Patty Compbell, a student at the Dramatic school	Ella F. Packard
Mrs. De Yorburgh-Smith, a wealthy society woman	Dorothy P. Young
Sylvia, her daughter	Mila Bates
Pierre De Bouton, a French fencing master	Raymond B. Jordan
Edith Bronson, a friend of Rose	F. Edna Brown

Love played a prominent part in this comedy. The first act was in Carother's studio, where the painter was assisted by his sister. Dick and the Frenchman were in love with Rose and it was not easy to shake the Frenchman, whose make-up caused applause.

Meanwhile Tommy became enamored with Patty, and Sylvia became jealous of her. Mrs. De Yosburg-Smith was responsible for much of the trouble that came to the young people because she wanted Tommy to pretend he was a married man, and got his sister to agree to officiate at the studio as his wife. Edith helped materially in keeping true love in its proper channel. The third act was a rehearsal for a play in the library at her home, when Rose accepted Dick as her protector, and Tommy finally paired off with Patty.

The mumps at one time threatened the success of the dramatic, but only for a while. A good sum was realized by the class, and the audience received full value for their money.

Quincy Point Church.

A large congregation assembled Sunday evening at the Point church to the first of a series of services under the charge of the young ladies. The platform was decorated with pinks, narcissus, and lilacs. The floral committee has as members, Miss Haden, Miss Phillips, Miss Thomas, and Mrs. James Corprew.

The subject for this evening was "Qualities in young women, young men admire."

The pastor in opening said that in response to letters sent out to the young men of the parish asking this question, some of the qualities suggested were: health, courage, modesty, purity, sympathy, cheerfulness, respect for aged people and christian character. Not one was looking for money and only three mentioned dress, and then it was for neatness and not display.

To be a helper does not necessarily imply subordination. Young men and women are endowed with about the same moral nature. They have the same spiritual needs and the same advantages in school. Yet there is a spiritual difference when they become men and women. This is due largely to the fact that young men are more exposed to temptation and evil influences than young women.

Temptations and allurements beset young men, no matter what life they lead. Is it any wonder then that they sometimes fall from grace and need a helpmate.

Our young men do not want physical laborers for wives, but they want wives capable of a necessary amount of physical labor in the homes. They need helpmates in the social life. It rests today with the woman to restore the standard of Jesus.

Women will be helpmates when they demand in men the same standard of social purity that today men demand in women.

Young women, I say, your brothers and young men acquaintances are in peril because of exposure to temptation. Will you help then for their own sakes. If you help them the noblest praise that ever fell to the lot of women will be yours. "She hath done what she could."

No Strike.

It is good news that there will be no strike among the employes of the Old Colony street railway.

The public in general as well as the employes will be glad to learn that a peaceful adjustment of the differences has been reached.

The general sentiment, among the Quincy men at least, was against a strike. The men seemed to have full confidence that there would be no trouble and that there would be a peaceful adjustment.

On the other hand the officials of the company were ready and willing as they always have been, to meet their men in conference, and with these two conditions prevailing, the final outcome is not surprising.

For the Patriot.

Minute Men of 1861.

To Editor of Quincy Patriot:

The following may be of interest to some of your readers, especially those who had friends or relatives who responded to the call of our lamented Lincoln, on the Citizen Soldiery of our Country to rally in its defence, and save the Capitol from falling into the hands of its enemies.

Among the various military organizations, the Minute Men of 1861 seem to have become the most popular among our people. As the name implies, its members are those who responded at a minute's notice to the first call of President Lincoln and Governor Andrew, April 15, 1861; many of them merchants, mechanics, business men, and students, went direct from their places of business to Faneuil hall, thence to Washington. Not in gay uniforms but mostly in citizen attire, some armed with double-barrelled shot guns, sporting rifles and various weapons of defense, to protect our flag and the national capitol. Many of these men did not have time to see their wives or children before hastening away; some were school boys and left school books and dinner pails in their haste to get to the front; it is to these men credit should be given for preserving our country and national honor. One of our popular historians has written: "A delay of a half hour in the arrival of the Minute Men in Washington would have found our capitol and the archives of our government in the hands of the rebels, who would at once have been recognized by England and France," enemies of our country. With this state of affairs it would have been nearly impossible for our government to have again established itself among the nations of the world. The Minute Men put themselves to the front and gave our government time to catch its breath. The Massachusetts Minute Men of '61 consisted of seven separate organizations, viz.: First Massachusetts Light Battery, 118 men; commanded by Capt. Asa M. Cook.

Third Batallion of Rifles, 318 men; commanded by Major Charles Devens, Jr. (late Judge Devens.)

Third Regiment Massachusetts Infantry, 447 men; commanded by the late Col. David W. Wardrop.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry, 635 men; commanded by Col. Abner B. Packard.

Fifth Regiment Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, 829 men; commanded by Col. Samuel C. Lawrence.

Sixth Regiment Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, 747 men; commanded by Col. Edward F. Jones.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry, 711 men; commanded by Timothy Monroe, afterwards by the late Col. Edward W. Hincks.

This made a total of thirty-eight hundred and five men. Some of our friends have had an idea that these Minute Men were only three months in the service of our country, but at their first camp fire in Faneuil hall, Boston, in 1887, it was shown that of the 853 Minute Men present, all but sixteen again volunteered in defense of our flag and country; 486 or over half, having had experience at the front, were made officers in new regiments and batteries. With this ratio it would appear that over two thousand of these Minute Men were made officers and did much for the discipline and instruction of new regiments. The years are rapidly passing away and soon the last of that patriotic band of the Country's defenders will have passed away and their names only known to history. To the youth of this country is bequeathed a heritage equalled by none other in the civilized world, bought with the sacrifice of the lives of those who at that time were the brain and muscle of our land, to you we leave this to be carefully and jealously guarded. Remember what is being taught to you in the public schools on which the foundation of the government is built. Ever keep in mind the bright emblem which floats over you as your guardian and protector, it matters not in what land you cast your lot, and let a kind thought go out to those who went forth to defend the poor and defenceless and leave to you what you now enjoy. Remember that Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty.

B. J. Loring.

Base Ball.

The Fore River team defeated the Everetts on Saturday at Quincy Point by the score of 5 to 0. They might easily have made it 10 to 0, for Everett was not in the same class, and usually went out in one-two-three order. Paterson struck out ten.

Fore River was first at the bat, and three singles with two errors resulted in three runs. In the second, two passes followed by a single, a double by Donaher, and another single added two runs. With the score 5 to 0 Fore River did not try, and after that made only two safe hits, both coming in the sixth. No runs resulted.

The summary:

Base hits—Fore Rivers, 8; Everetts, 2; Errors, Fore River, 0; Everetts, 2. Runs made, by Duggan, Donaher 2, Drake, Patterson. Two-base hit, C. Allen. Three-base hit, Donaher. Struck out, by Patterson 10, by Elmstrom 9. Hit by pitched ball, I. Allen. Passed balls, Drake 1, Conrad 2. Umpire, Reagan. Time, 1 h., 45 m.

Makaria defeated the Athletics of Atlantic 6 to 5 in a close 10 inning game at Atlantic on Saturday. Both teams played on the whole a good game with the exception of one or two occasions. It was apparent that the M. F. players need practice in coaching base runners, two runs being lost by poor coaching. Both Penley and Gram pitched a steady game throughout.

Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Makaria,	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	1	—6
Athletics,	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—5

Two base hits—Malcombe. Three base hits—Smith. Double plays—Troupe to Duncan. Struck out—By Penley 13, by Gram 10. Bases on balls—By Penley 1, Gram 1. Passed balls—By Tupper 2, by Fenno 2. Hit by pitched ball—Duncan, Fenno. Umpire Borst. Time 2h 10m.

That the Y. M. C. A. juniors have a snappy base ball team, was proven Saturday, when they trimmed the South Boston Y. M. C. A. juniors by a score of 24 to 5. Capt. Russell Bates showed that he knew how to handle his team extremely well. From the first Quincy played a fast game, and scored in every inning except the last, as will be seen below:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Quincy,	2	1	3	1	6	1	4	6	0	—24
So. Boston	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	—5

Adams Academy made a poor exhibition of base ball on Monday in its game with Roxbury High. The visitors won 19 to 1. Every player for Roxbury hit safely, and the team had 19 hits to 7 for Adams. Roxbury fielded well and made only four errors, while Adams made 19.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Roxbury	0	0	0	7	0	3	1	4	4	—19
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

Double plays,—Curley to Thayer. Struck out,—By Connelly, 5; by McKenzie, 5. Bases on balls,—McKenzie, 5. Passed balls,—By Gustafson, 2. Hit by pitched ball,—Gherideneа, 2. Time,—1h, 40m.

Household Receipts.

Strawberries Scalloped. Equal quantities of fresh strawberries and baker's stale bread grated. Begin with a layer of the berries, sprinkle well with sugar, then a layer of breadcrumbs, dot with bits of butter, then another layer of fruit and sugar; finish with breadcrumbs and butter, sprinkle a little sugar over the top and bake half an hour in a good oven. Serve hot with cream. Currants and raspberries, either separately or mixed, and blackberries also make excellent puddings.

Iced Cocoa. This is as delicious and apt to be as generally relished as either iced tea or coffee. Do not make it too rich, but rather more water than milk and sweeten while yet hot, stirring briskly, that the sugar might be thoroughly dissolved. If it is to be served at a dinner or luncheon select a day when only white meats are on the menu.

Bread-and-butter Pudding. Butter thin slices of bread sufficient to two-thirds fill a two-quart pudding dish. Butter the dish thickly with cold butter and put in a layer of bread; sprinkle over it a little cinnamon and grated nutmeg, and add a generous layer of raisins, and so on until the bread is used. Cover with milk and let it stand over night or several hours. Then drain off the milk which the bread has not absorbed, and add to it four eggs well beaten, three quarters of a cup of sugar, and half a teaspoonful of salt. Pour into the dish, press the bread down several times, then add enough milk to fill nearly to the top of the dish. Bake in a moderate oven three hours, cover it at first, but do not stir it.

Boston & Maine Guide.

Vacation days are close at hand! Already those sportsmen who seek solace and enjoyment in the pleasures of angling have journeyed to their rendezvous; while the thousands of other vacationists who find delight in the fresh breezes of the seashore or the pure mountain air, are planning and preparing for their annual rest. There is an easy way to do it! The Boston & Maine Railroad has carefully made a selection of resorts and compiled the information in a beautiful booklet of 80 pages, containing over thirty half tone reproductions of typical vacation scenes, enclosed in an artistic cover. On the inside of the cover is a delightful half tone reproduction of the residence of Denman Thompson, of Old Homestead fame. The book contains a list of some 2000 resorts all told, the hotels and boarding houses at the principal northern resorts, their accommodations, rates per day, per week, etc.; also some choice descriptive reading regarding the mountains, seashore and inland resorts, and a large folded map of the Boston & Maine Railroad and connections. This booklet is indispensable to the tourist or vacationist who is planning a summer outing. It will be mailed free by the General Passenger Department, Boston & Maine Railroad, Boston, to any address.

Anecdotes.

Figgins—"What do you think? My wife came home last evening with the information that she'd bought a pocket-photograph. Cute, eh?"

Faggs—"What is there cute about that?"

Figgins—"Why, don't you see? She'll be able to photograph the contents of my pockets and see what's in 'em without having the trouble of going through them at night."

Wife—"I am sorry to have to say it, but I never knew you to agree with me in anything."

Husband—"You are mistaken, my dear; there is one contention of yours that I cheerfully acquiesce in."

Wife—"Indeed! And what is that, pray?"

Husband—"That woman's work is never done."

Daughter—"No mother dear, I could not marry Mr. Smith. He squints."

Mother—"My dear girl, a man who has £20,000 a year may be affected with a slight optical indecision, but a squint, never!"—London Tattler.

One morning Mr. W's coachman was very late in getting to work, and on being questioned for an explanation of his tardiness he said:

"To tell you de truth, Boss, I dun got mah'ied dis mawnin', and dat's huccome it I got late."

"Well, Jim," his employer said, "where is your wife, and why are you not off on your honeymoon?"

"Lord, Boss," said Jim, "she's dun gone off on de honeymoon; she hab all de money."—Lippincott's.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Castle Square Theatre.

During the final week of the dramatic season at the Castle Square Theatre, Dion Boucicault's sporting comedy "The Jilt," will be revived for the first time in seven years. It is Boucicault's aim in this play to show in dramatic and striking fashion the deep rooted British craze for racing and the race track, and he has made this idea into a powerful plot that is filled with emotion and humor. Every character in the play lives in a high fever of excitement until the race has been run and won by Phyllis. "The Jilt" is the work of Boucicalt's riper years and it has in it all the qualities of genius that made "The Shaughraun," "The Colleen Bawn," and "London Assurrance" so deservedly popular. The cast at the Castle Square will be headed by Howell Hansel and Lillian Kemble.

Tremont Theatre.

At the Tremont Theatre for the Spring and Summer season, Mr. Henry W. Savage is to present that unique comedian, Henry W. Bulger, in a striking musical comedy, "The Man From Now," and it is promised that it will be one of the most complete and elaborate productions ever made in Boston. The book and lyrics of the new play are by John Kendrick Bangs, one of the foremost of American humorists, and Vincent P. Bryan, than whom there is no more versatile writer of lyrics in this country. The music which is said to be unusually whistleable, is by Manager Klein, who has contributed all the music for the New York Hippodrome since its opening two years ago, and also provided the score for that very popular comic opera, 'Mr. Pickwick." He is said to have arrived at a new strain in popular music, as his collaborators have in their story and the lyrics incidental to the operation of "The Man From ow." Harry Bulger in the stellar role will undoubtedly be particularly acceptable to patrons of the Tremont Theatre, who learned to best appreciate him by his unusually clever work in Mr. Savage's "Woodland," which was one of the Tremont successes.

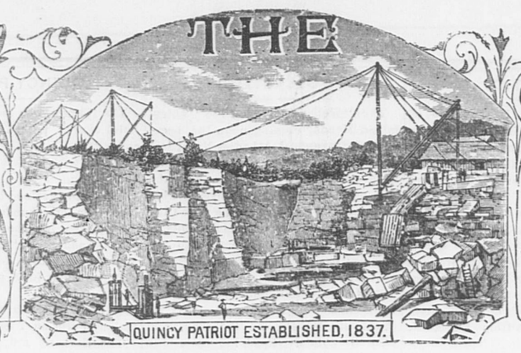
Empire Theatre.

The manager of the Empire Theatre has secured for its first production at popular prices, the comedy by Henry Arthur Jones, "Mrs. Dane's Defence." This play had its original production at the Empire Theatre in New York by the regular company there and proved a great success. The title part is especially well suited to the abilities off Katherine Grey and the other parts are well adapted to display the other players of the company to good advantage. The Empire Theatre management are planning a series of notable productions in the coming weeks which will include "The Private Secretary" by William Gillette for the week of the Medical convention, and on June 11th the long promised production of Shakespeare's 'Midsummer Night's Dream" will be made.

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Poetry.

A Pretty Good World.

E. A. BRININSTOOL.

It's a pretty good sort of a world, fellows,
A pretty good world, I say.
In spite of what people are growling about,
And kicking against every day,
There's plenty of sunshine
And plenty of blue,
Away in the skies
Beaming down upon you.
It's a pretty good sort of a world, old man,
A pretty good world, I say.

It's a pretty good kind of a world fellows,
A pretty good world, I say,
In spite of the cynics and knockers and such
Who're throwing the rocks in your way,
She wags right along
With a smile and a song,
In spite of the right
And in spite of the wrong.
It's a pretty good sort of a world, old man,
A pretty good world, I say.

It's a pretty good kind of a world, fellows,
A pretty good world, I say,
In spite of the tears and in spite of the fears,
That harass us on the way,
There's glory enough
In the green of the hills,
The blossoms that bloom
Near the moss-covered rills.
It's a pretty bright sort of a world, old man,
A pretty bright world, I say.

It's a pretty good sort of a world, old man,
A pretty good world, I say.
And better and better it grows, if we speed
Love's message along the way;
And brighter and brighter
It grows all the while,
If lightened with songs
And a glad, cheery smile.
It's a pretty good sort of a world, old man,
A pretty good world, I say.

Miscellany.

RAGS.

He had had a pretty hard day of it, and this and the many hard days preceding it, determined him that he was tired of the whole thing. He knew where the river was and once he had seen a sick collie thrown into it, and while he had tried to rescue the creature he was not successful and the collie had floated up to him still and quiet with its sufferings forgotten forever.

Now he came to think of it, Rags decided that he had never had a very good time of it. His earliest recollection was of having a tin can tied to his tail by a youth who gave him his name, and in whose house he had opened his eyes on the world. How he did run that day, the tin can clattering after him! At last, exhausted, he crawled under a step and slept. He was waked by a policeman in a lovely blue coat all sparkling with brass buttons, who chased him off and laughed fit to kill himself. But a pleasant-faced old gentleman relieved him of the tin can and said, "Poor doggie!" whereupon Rags jumped up at him in joy. Then the pleasant-faced old gentleman called him a yellow mongrel and shooed him off.

After that came the deceitful beggar-man who beat him till he had learned to hold a tin cup in his mouth, in which the public dropped coins while the beggar-man pretended to have been blown up in an explosion and so deprived of the use of his arms. In the evening the beggar-man drank red colored waters, the odor of which made Rags shiver, and once a policeman in a lovely blue coat took him away, and Rags was alone again.

Then there was the lady in the scrap-iron business who put a rope around his neck and made him pull her barrow, and often forgot to give him anything to eat. This lady one time put some scrap-iron into her barrow that belonged to somebody else, so a policeman in a lovely blue coat all sparkling with brass buttons took possession of her and the barrow, after cutting Rags loose.

There were various other humans with whom Rags afterwards became acquainted, but oddly enough the acquaintanceship was usually interrupted by policemen in lovely blue coats all sparkling with brass buttons. But the latest acquaintance had been the worst of all. This had been a gentleman who had lots of other gentlemen to come and play cards with him. He sheltered Rags because Rags did not like policemen and always growled when he saw them. The gentlemen kept Rags a whole year, and many and many a time Rags had growled when he saw the approach of a lovely blue coat all sparkling with brass buttons, and so gave recess to the card playing. But a week ago the gentleman suddenly made up his mind to be in a hurry. Rags followed him to the wharf where the gentleman went towards a big ship. Then the gentleman turned to the inevitable policeman in a lovely blue coat all sparkling with brass buttons and said, "chase that dog away." Rags looked up at him dumbfounded, then with his tail between his legs he ran as hard as he could run. For days he secreted himself, tired and ashamed of mortals, only venturing out of his hiding places at night when he hunted for something to eat.

And this early evening he made up his mind to end it all, for all at once he remembered the sick collie he had tried to save and how quiet and untroubled he looked when he floated quietly in the river. He put up his nose in the air and scented the water. He wanted nothing to eat now. He ambled along, his head lowered, his tail hanging limp, till he saw the shining, sliding tide. He made a rush for it—when he stopped short. For there was a little girl, a wee tiny mite, and close to the edge of the wharf.

"Doggie!" she said. Rags did not believe her wheedling tones. But she came quite close to him and laid her hand on his head, smoothing him. Something blinded Rags, he had not heard a kind word in ages.

"You mustn't go so near the water," he told the little girl, though she seemed not to understand him and maybe thought he only whined.

"Doggie," she said, "I'm losted and I'm scared. Won't you take care of me?"

Rags looked at her.

"Come," she said, and walked on. Rags went after her, a queer feeling inside him. Here was a helpless human with nobody to look after her. He thought her a very pretty little girl, only he wished her dress was any color but blue, for blue was the color of the policemen's lovely coats. However, there was no one else to take care of her, so he must. All at once the little girl began to cry. "Don't do that," said Rags. "I'm with you. I'm not much to look at, but I'm better than nothing. Don't cry."

"I'm hungry and I'm sleepy," wept the little girl.

"I'm often that way," replied Rags, though she did not understand him.

But just then he stumbled over a log, and he stumbled so comically that the little girl burst out laughing. After that Rags went on stumbling, time and again, over imaginary logs, and each time the little girl laughed and almost forgot that she was hungry. She did not forget that she was sleepy, though, for as the shadows fell thick and fast she sat down on the ground, tired out.

"Where's my pillow?" she said, drowsily. Then feeling Rags beside her she laid her head on his yellow back and soon forgot everything.

Rags tried not to move a muscle. All night he lay awake, watching. At break of day he growled, for there came along a man who looked like the deceitful beggar who had taught him to hold the tin cup in his mouth.

"You brute," said the man, "I want that little kid."

Rags growled. The man made a grab for the little girl, and Rags fastened his teeth in the man's wrist. The man yelled, and Rags let him go, for the little girl had waked and was crying for her mamma and her papa. Rags urged her along. He tried the amusing stumbling act, but the little girl did not laugh any more. Rags caught hold of her frock.

"Come on!" he said. "I'll find your mamma and your papa."

Maybe the little girl understood; at any rate, she let him urge her along, though she continued to cry.

Then there came along an old lady who might have been the twin sister of the one who used to make Rags drag the barrow.

"Come with me, little girl," she said. "I'm a nice grandma."

Rags growled at the nice grandma, and hurried the little girl on. He knew humans, Rags did. But he was getting tired and weak now; he had not eaten for more than a day, and he did not remember when he had last slept. He became confused; he thought a number of people were trying to take the little girl away, and he kept on growling, holding the hem of the tiny blue frock between his teeth.

Then everything cleared up of a sudden. For here was the man he had clutched by the wrist and with him was the old lady who had said she was a nice grandma. The man had a great club in his hand.

"We'll hold her for a reward," said the nice grandma, "she's the child of rich folks, you can see that. But the dog's dangerous. Whistle for Bill and Jim.

The man with the club whistled and out of nowhere came Bill and Jim.

"Kill the brute," said the man, and struck Rags with the club. But Rags held on to the little frock. Then Bill and Jim closed round him, the little girl weeping in terror, and they kicked and struck at Rags.

Rags did not mind very much, he was used to blows, all he wanted was to get the little girl away.

Suddenly one of the men made a miscalculation and hit the little girl instead of Rags. Rags let go the frock and sprang at this man's throat. Then seeing the woman had hold of the little girl he darted away and sprang at the woman. After that it was a terrible battle, Rags springing from one to another of them, snapping, snarling, and receiving blow after blow all over his body.

"Little girl, Little girl," he kept on saying, "I'm with you, I'm with you," but the little girl only wept the harder.

And then it ended, for Rags flying from one to another of the gang, suddenly got a clip from the club between the eyes.

"Little girl——" He managed to say that, and tottered over to her and caught her frock between his teeth. And then the little girl gave a glad cry, "Papa!"

And there were two gentlemen papas and two policemen in lovely blue coats all sparkling with brass buttons—at least, there was only one gentleman papa and one policeman, though everything looked double to Rags who had had such a hard knock between the eyes.

The man with the club, the nice grandma, and Bill and Jim had vanished.

"That's a brave dog," said the policeman, the only policeman, by the way, who had ever given Rags a kind word." I saw the fight and was just calling for help when you came up."

"He's took care of me all night long," said the little girl jumping from her father's arms, "dear doggie!"

"Shall I chase him away?" asked the policeman, "He's only a yellow mongrel."

"He's my doggie," cried the little girl.

"Poor old boy!" said the little girl's gentleman papa, stopping and patting Rags, "but for you what might not have happened to my little girl who wandered away from her nurse yesterday afternoon! Chase him away! He goes home with us, nothing shall be too good for this hero."

"I'll call him Rags," said the little girl, strangely enough hitting on the right name, "because the naughty men have made him look like rags. Dear, dear Rags!" and she lay down beside him and kissed him between the eyes where the hardest blow had fallen.

Rags looked into her eyes, he could not speak just then; only, he knew that he had found what he had missed all his life till now, some one who loved him.—Robert C. V. Meyers.

Discontent With Work.

That there is much discontent with work among the so-called middle classes in America is due in large part to the pampering of children, to the supplying of their natural and artificial wants, and to the sentimental idea that "their day of toil will come soon enough." In general, work is not a curse, but a blessing—a positive means of grace. One can hardly begin too early to impress upon children lessons of self-help by tasks appropriate to their age and forces, and to beget in them scorn of idleness and of dependence on others. To do this is to make them happy through the self-respect that comes with the realization of power, and thus to approximate Tennyson's goal of man: "Self-reverence, self-knowledge, self-control."—Century Magazine.

Lending Money.

The rock on which many a financial bark has been wrecked has been some form of lending or endorsement, which amounts to the same thing. A friend asks the head of the household for the use of his name on a note. It seems a simple request. The friend is honest and sure to take care of the obligation. But misfortune comes, the unexpected happens, the note has to be paid, the endorser is hell. Scores and hundreds of cases of this kind are happening all the time.

Do not lend money that you cannot afford to lose. Do not endorse for a friend as a matter of accommodation unless you can stand without suffering the loss which must ensue if the payment is not made as expected. Of course in the case of business men who are constantly endorsing notes for each other and do so in the way of business, these remarks do not apply, although our whole commercial and financial structure would be more satisfactory and more stable if commercial operations were not conducted in so large degree on credit.

There is no excuse for a man to imperil the comfort of his family simply as an accommodation for a friend. But of course he must not himself ask such favors if he does not intend to grant them. The safe way under all ordinary circumstances is to pay as you go. If you cannot pay, don't go.—Healthy Home.

Beautiful Homes.

We not only wish to make our own yard and home beautiful, but we desire that our neighor shall do likewise. To this end there is no better idea than to form an improvement association in the neighborhood. Many of our neighbors who have taken no interest in planting trees and vines and otherwise making their homes beautiful will join such an association and become enthusiastic members. Prizes should be offered by the association for the best kept yard, for the best grown vines and small fruits, for children's gardens, flower beds, etc. In many localities, the people need to be aroused, and the result of work of this kind will show marked improvement, not only outwardly, but also in the character. One energetic man or woman, who will take the initiative in an association of this kind, will find his efforts well rewarded.

Hard to Recognize Bob.

At Antietam, just after the artillery had been sharply engaged, the Rockford (Virginia) battery was standing awaiting orders. General Lee rode by and stopped a moment. A dirty-faced driver of about seventeen said to him: "General, are you going to put us in again?"

Think of such a question from such a source, addressed to the general of the army especially when that general's name was Lee!

"Yes, my boy," the stately officer kindly answered, "I have to put you in again. But what is your name? Your face seems familiar to me somehow."

"I don't wonder you didn't know me, sir, I'm so dirty," laughed the lad, "but I'm Bob."

It was the general's youngest son, whom he had thought safe at the Virginia military institute.—Washington Post.

The Tired Dog.

In Cuba, one night, during the El Caney affair, Gen. Lawton was watching a lot of his soldiers file past, and among them he noticed a burly negro corporal, a six-footer, who, in addition to two guns and two full cartridge belts, was carrying a dog. The soldier to whom the extra gun belonged was limping alongside his comrade. The general hailed the overloaded soldier. "Look here," he said, "you marched all night, fought all day, and are marching again." Yes, sah," responded the negro. "Then," said Lawton, "why on earth are you carrying that dog?" "Why, general," said the negro, with a grin, "the dog's tired."

Wasted His Sarcasm.

The man had business which detained him for a few days in a small town, and finding himself in need of new insoles he sought the local shoe shop.

"I wish to buy a pair of insoles for number eight double A shoes," he said to the clerk, and flattered himself that he had stated his needs successfully.

The clerk contemplated him with the mild gaze of the provincial and asked:

"Do you wish to wear them in your shoes?"

"No," said the New York man, with guarded thoughtfulness, "I was thinking of having filet of sole for my luncheon;" and when he left the shop the clerk was still batting his eyes.—New York Press.

Wise Treatment.

We may learn a lesson from Denmark in the treatment of the poor. Denmark divides the poor into classes. The aged poor of good character are treated as pensioners of the state. Some are aided to live in their own homes. Others who desire it are sustained in public homes, so the family life is not broken up. To married couples separate apartments are assigned, and the single men live together and the single women in there own apartment. The shiftless and vicious poor are cared for in other institutions and given work for which they are paid a small sum. The able bodied men are provided work outside of institutions and aided to become self-supporting. Beggars and tramps and unemployed are almost unknown in Denmark.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, May 26, 1906.

There is great indignation among inventors and those interested in patents throughout the country at the condition of business in the United States Patent Office, and the information given this week by the Commissioner of Patents that he will take a two months' vacation and will not permit the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to hear or decide cases on appeal during his absence has not allayed the outraged patience of this class. The work in the Patent Office is very much behind hand in some divisions from six to eight months, which means that an inventor after preparing and sending his invention to the Patent Office and paying his filing fee of $15 to the Government must wait eight months in some instances, before his case is even taken up for examination by the Commissioner and his corps of able assistants, and that unless his case is allowed on the first action, an extremely rare occurrence, it may be from one to three years before he gets his patent. The condition of business in the Patent Office is perhaps worse than it ever was before. Absenteeism on the part of the head of the office and his inability to get work out of the principal and assistant examiners of whom there are more than one hundred, is the cause. There is no office under the Government that more requires the personal attention of the strenuous personage in the White House than the United States Patent Office. It is, if I am not mistaken, the only office under the Government that not only pays its way but brings a surplus to the Public Treasury. Every inventor is required to pay into the Treasury fifteen dollars when he presents his application and twenty dollars in addition when his patent is granted. The tens of thousands of inventors in the United States in presenting applications for more than a million of patents have built up a surplus fund, after paying all expenses of the office, that now amounts to more than $4,000,000 and it is simply outrageous that these inventors, through the absenteeism of the Commissioner of Patents and through the negligence and dilatoriness of his powerful corps of assistants must wait with sickness of heart months and years for the allowance of their patents. Other commissioners have kept the work up to date and there are others both in and out of the Patent Office who are capable of doing it again.

Congress does not often have an opportunity to do better work than it did Thursday when the Senate passed the denatured alcohol bill which had gone through the House so successfully a few weeks ago. The impression was general that the bill would be held up in the committee by Senator Aldrich who is a friend of the trusts in general and the Standard Oil trust in particular. The denatured alcohol bill which removes the tax from alcohol used in the arts will, it is expected revolutionize heating and lighting and reduce the cost of these necessities, at the expense, to a great extent, of the Standard Oil company. Senator Aldrich also predicts that it will practically ruin the wood alcohol industry which has a capital of about thirty millions invested, but on the other hand the advantage to the country and especially to the west, where unmarketable crops can be converted into alcohol, is inestimable. The bill does not go into effect until January first 1907, but there is great rejoicing over the fact that it was not held up for the session as it was believed Senator Aldrich would be successful in doing. Its passage is one more evidence of the many that have accumulated of late that when the people of this country make up their minds to have a thing, and go about getting it with all their strength, even the strongest trusts will have to stand aside. It should furnish encouragement to those who believe that Congress should take steps to regulate the meat and drug adulterated food trusts.

Several weeks ago John Sharp Williams, the minority leader of the House made a speech in which he made the statement that American products were sold cheaper abroad than at home and that the leaders of the Republican party would soon be compelled to admit and defend that practice or revise the tariff. His statement was denied first by Representative Hepburn, partially admitted by Representative Boutell, fully admitted and defended by Representative Landis and followed by the most conservative protectionist in Congress, Representative Dalzell who not only defended the business system of his party but gloried in it as a proof of the prosperity and greatness of the country and of the beneficence of the protective policy. In the discussion early in the week these tariff speeches which are made at this time as much for campaign purposes as anything else provoked considerable feeling among the members of the lower house. Representative Williams and Speaker Cannon had a sharp tilt over a point of order and the Speaker furiously left the chair and called Representative Curtis to preside. Mr. Williams was out of order for an hour or so according to Mr. Curtis but he had an opportunity to inject a good many illuminating remarks into the debate that will not appear in the Record. During the speech of Congressman Towne the House was startled by statements made by him concerning President Roosevelt. The Democratic side of the House applauded when Mr. Towne said, "There are many things that unfit him (the President) for a judicious, careful and deliberative discharge of his high executive functions and under the impress of which he has time and again gone beyond the legitimate boundaries of his place. It is not pleasant to examine the question of veracity between a high executive officer, especially the President of the United States and other honorable and reputable gentlemen. It is enough to say that it is exceedingly unfortunate that this particular executive has had the misfortune to raise the question of veracity with every public character he has come in contact with during his administration." Referring to Senator Aldrich whom the Democrats are now accusing of being even the "boss" of the President he said, "The vauntedly non-partisan rate legislation became a partisan Republican Bill as far as they could make it one and the President of the United States shorn of his barbaric, oriental power, like another Caractacus, manacled and humbled followed the chariot of the Duke of Rhode Island." Adams.

New England Scenery.

New England's wealth of scenery comprises every variety, spacious and verdant meadow lands, watered by beautiful rivers and streams; miles and miles of thickly covered forest fields; rich agricultural districts, lofty and sky piercing mountain peaks and the most magnificent stretch of seashore to be found in the country. The vacationist who seeks a haunt for a rest of a week or two can be sure of suiting his desire in the collection of New England resorts. The lakes and rivers of New England, crystal like sheets, shining like silver jewels midst their verdant surroundings, offer every inducement which richness of scenery, opportunity for pastime, and pure atmosphere can confer. The rivers, which include not only the beautiful and rolling Connecticut and the winding Merrimac but scores of other streams of lesser volume but none the less beautiful, these are the haunts or rather the pathways for the enthusiastic camper or cottager, who finds his fun during the summer season in paddling a canoe.

The mountains of New England are her grandest possessions. In Massachusetts, old Greylock, Saddle Back and the Hoosac and Berkshire peaks are a perfect elysium during July and August for summer guests. In New Hampshire the towering summits of the grand and gorgeous White mountains can be appreciated only by the person whose good fortune has led him to select this region as his vacation place. The wonders of the famous Crawford notch, and the superb scenery and marvelous handiworks of Nature viewed in the Profile notch, together with the sumptuous and luxurious hotels and their surroundings, are alone sufficient to advertise this section as the "summer resort" of America; but then the healthful atmosphere and altitude of these resorts have made them also the most invigorating and exhilarating of vacation places. The seashore of Northern New England stretches from Boston Harbor to Eastport, Me. It is one long succession of ideal coves, wave-washed cliffs, smooth and sandy beaches, and, clustered everywhere, the liveliest and jolliest of summer gatherings; Gloucester, Rockport, Marblehead, Magnolia, Manchester by-the-Sea, Hampton, Salisbury, York, Peaks Island and famous Bar Harbor are among the number.

New England has also other attractions besides the lake, river, seashore and mountain places. She has a bevy of historical wealth, attractions which are to be found nowhere else in such number and with such interesting associations on this continent. Lexington, Concord, Cambridge, Waltham, Newburyport, Medford, Portsmouth, York, Me., are a few of the places "where history was made." And although Northern New England has much to boast of, she does not lay claim to it all as almost every traveler, who has journeyed west from Boston via the Fitchburg route, or east to Boston will agree. Western Massachusetts, indeed that whole intervening space from the Charles River to the banks of the Hudson, possesses scenery and attractions of superior merit. The vacationist who plans a visit of a week or two during the coming season, can do no better than to write to the General Passenger Department of the Boston & Maine R. R., Boston, enclosing thirty-six cents in stamps for a set of beautiful portfolios, containing the best of half-tone reproductions of views in these regions, size 6 x 4, and delightfully bound with artistic lettering in gold on the covers of each book. The titles of these books are "Rivers," "Mountains," "Lakes," "Seashores of New England," "Picturesque New England," and "The Charles River to the Hudson."

Ready Wit.

It may seem rather trite to go back to Civil War times for a story, but all the tales of that memorable time have not been told, and as this one was a personal experience of a relative of mine I can vouch for it. I have never seen it in print nor heard anyone else tell it.

My uncle, Major Thomas Ridgely, was a surgeon attached to General Grant's staff. It was after the surrender of Vicksburg. The Union forces had entered the city and much merry-making and entertaining were going on. One night a dinner was in progress at which many Northern officers and a large number of Southern ladies were present. Many toasts had been proposed and drunk, all of them practically in honor of the successes of the Union army and the men responsible for them.

Finally one of the Southern ladies, a great beauty and noted for her intense partisan feeling for the South, arose and said, "Gentlemen, may I propose a toast?"

With natural gallantry and a little trepidation the ranking officer said, "Certainly."

"Well, then, gentlemen, I give you, 'The Southern Confederacy.'"

It was an embarassing situation. But with hardly a moment's hesitation one of the Northern officers relieved the tension.

"Down with it, gentlemen," he cried; and the glasses were drained without embarrassment and without disloyalty.—Lippincott's.

A Dead Loss

"See here, Aunt Dinah, I sent two brand new shirts of my husband's to the wash last week, and you have brought only one back. Now, what have you done with the other?"

"Yes, Miss Lulu, ma'am, I was coming 'round to the ques'ion of dat shu't. You knows dat I ain't a pusson dat pretends to one thing and protends to anudder, so I'se agwine to tell the truf' bout dat shu't. It was dis-a-way. My ole man he up and died las' week, and de "Bur'al Sassiety" dey didn't do nuthing but covort' round, an' I neber had anyt'ng to lay dat man out in. So I helps myse'f to dat shu't for a fac't An' ob, Miss Lulu, honey, I jes' wishes you could hab seen how dat nigger so. dat shu't off!"—Lippincott's Magazine.

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1906.

A Pleasant Visit to Beverly.

Some forty or more members of the Mass. Press Association accepted an invitation from the United Shoe Machinery Company and had a delightful visit at their factory in Beverly on Monday last. The very heavy rain no doubt kept many of the members at home.

The company's plant is composed of six buildings with joining wings built entirely of concrete, and form the largest and most notable example of this method of factory construction yet attempted. The buildings are very long, varying from 300 to 520 feet, and four-story high. In the wings are located the toilet, bath and locker rooms for the convenience of the help—some 2000 to 3000 men and women being employed.

Ninety per cent. of the wall area is lighted space and requires the use of 35,000 lights of glass. The entire plant is electrically driven by the motor group system, requiring forty motors, ranging from 75 horse power down. Other building operations now underway will, on completion, increase the capacity of the plant sixty per cent. The plant, in full operation, was an interesting sight to the visitors. The automatic machinery, the great foundry, the drop forges and the big power plant, with its turbine engines, all attracting much attention.

After a tramp of nearly two hours through the different departments a nice luncheon was served and much enjoyed.. Then the editors took a special trolley and visited the building of the Beverly Historical society on Cabot street. Here priceless relics are to be seen.

The party then visited the plant of the Beverly Evening Times, and were greatly pleased with the fine printing establishment of Brother Albert Vittum.

A vote of thanks was then passed for the courtesies tendered to its members by the United Shoe Machinery Co. for its hospitality, its souvenirs and its open house of a splendid plant; to Mr. M. B. Kaven, Supt. G. H. Vose and his assistants for their intelligent and painstaking explanations of interesting machinery; to the B. & M. R. R. Co. for its customary excellent treatment of newspaper men and the personal supervision of Mr. Hall; to the B. & N. St. Ry. Co., to the Beverly Board of Trade and its secretary, Mr. Chas. A. King, the Beverly Historical Society and last but not least, to our esteemed associate, Mr. Albert Vittum, for his careful arrangement of an outing which has been a source of pleasure and benefit to us all.

To Assassinate the King.

An attempt was made at Madrid on Thursday to assassinate King Alfonso and Queen Victoria while they were returning from the cathedral, where they had just been married.

While riding in the royal coach there was thrown from a three-story window a bunch of roses containing a bomb, which struck just before the front wheels and behind the last two horses.

The street was full of people, and when the bomb exploded it killed sixteen persons and two horses, but fortunately the king and queen were not injured.

Their escape was miraculous. In front of them, behind them, on each side, in every direction, the deadly bomb carried death. Three carriages behind them, Duke Sotomayor, was struck by flying splinters of the bomb and terribly mangled.

Quincy Mansion School.

The reception given on Tuesday evening, by Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Willard to the senior class of the Quincy Mansion school was as usual, a most happy occasion for students and friends. From eight until ten o'clock, the guests were received in the parlor by Dr. and Mrs. Willard and the Class of 1906, which numbered fourteen as follows:

Miss Corice E. Barbour, Wollaston, Miss Annie H. Gillingham, Fairhaven, Miss Marion C. Haller, Omaha, Miss Helen F. Loud, Weymouth, Miss Dorothy Mills, Winchester, Miss Maude S. Miller, New Briton, Ct., Miss Annette D. Sproat, Chillicothe, O., Miss Helen S. Chandler, Addison, Me., Miss Matie W. Grindle, New York, Miss Alice M. Knott, Sioux City, Miss Marjorie B. Lowney, Dorchester, Miss Madelene C. Morse, Newton, Miss Patience W. Perkins, Salem, and Miss Elizabeth W. M. Walsh, Lowell.

Members of the Junior class ushered. Spring flowers and plants added their beauty and fragrance. Ices were served in the beautiful old dining room.

There was a large attendance, guests coming and going throughout the evening until eleven o'clock. The girls were charming in their dainty gowns. The courteous hospitality with which guests are welcomed at the Quincy Mansion school make it always an attractive place to visit.

Following closely upon the reception to the Seniors of the Quincy Mansion school, by Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Willard, comes the invitation for the commencement week observances which will be as follows:

Baccalaureate sermon on Sunday afternoon, June tenth at half past four; Tuesday evening at eight, class day exercises; Wednesday evening at eight, concert, Thursday afternoon at quarter past two, graduating exercises with alumnae reception to Class of 1906 a seven, followed from eight until ten by the principal's reception.

Recital.

The piano recital, given in Memorial church, Atlantic, Thursday evening by the pupils of Miss Ella Ames Horton was largely attended by an enthusiastic audience; The program consisted of twenty-six members, the pupils being assisted by Miss Norma Stafford Mitchell, reader, and Miss Maud Alletzhausser, cellist.

Those who took part were: Miss Alie Waterhouse, Miss Winefred Carlyle, Miss Marion Newcomb, Miss Florence Barker, Miss Margaret Read, Miss Bertha Nichols, Mrs. Bahee, Miss May Stevens, Miss Marion and Miss Ruth Wainwright, Miss Mildred Hadlock, Miss Anna Granahan, Miss Dorothy Bean, Miss Hazel Pearson, Miss Margaret and Miss Catherine Houghton, Miss Gladys Willey, Miss Leigh Miller, Miss Gertrude Fratus, Miss Hattie Waterhouse, Master Willet Safford, Miss Doris Cummings, Miss Theresa Edwards and Master George Dahlquist.

Judge Avery and his sons have had their motor-dory in commission for some days. He took a trip down the river on Wednesday.

—It is said that the brown-tail moth caterpillars are swarming trees in Roxbury and Dorchester and threaten to invade Franklin park.

CITY BRIEFS.

Sunday, June 10, will be Children's day at the Universalist church.

The summer dance season at the yacht clubs has begun.

Mrs. Caroline Richardson of Maple place is the guest of her granddaughter at Plymouth for a week.

There was no meeting of the School Committee Tuesday evening for lack of a quorum.

The grass can almost be seen to grow since the heavy rain of Monday and Tuesday.

It was on Memorial Day in 1882 that the Thomas Crane Public Library was dedicated.

There were plenty of ball games on the holiday to please the most exacting, both in the morning and afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Richardson and son Harold of Milton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Furnald on Saturday.

Mrs. Celia Baxter of Washington street entertained the Brownie whist club, at her home on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Minnie Neidhart and daughter of New York are the guests of Mrs. Francis P. Loud of Washington street for a few weeks.

There was a drop of 23 degrees in the temperature Sunday afternoon, mostly between 2 and 4 and it became decidedly chilly.

Miss Mary Jane Turner, a long resident of Quincy, died on Saturday at the residence of her brother Peter Turner on Faxon avenue, in her 76th year.

Mrs. Walter T. Babcock and Miss Ethel Babcock of Presidents hill are spending a few days in New Haven, Connecticut.

Mrs. Alexander Thompson, formerly of Elm street, was a guest over Memorial day of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Howe of Bigelow street.

The Volunteers of Waltham will be here today to play the Makaria team at the lower field at Merrymount park.

Many flags were displayed Memorial Day both from public buildings and private residences. Some were at half mast and others were at mast head.

Floral Sunday or Children's day will be observed by First Church Sunday school on June 10th when Rev. Mr. Horton of Boston will be the speaker.

The officers in the East Norfolk district are getting after automobile speeders and scarcely a day passes but some one is summoned into court for overspeeding.

The garden party on the grounds of the Quincy Women's club for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery will be held two weeks from today, Saturday June 16th.

The express companies are onto the new liquor transportation law and it is probable that a number of petitions for permits will be forwarded to the City Council at its next meeting.

F. E. Parlin was one of the speakers on Saturday, at the Unitarian Sunday School Society on Saturday, at King's chapel, on the subject, "Some lessons from the day school.

The Hingham Yacht club in behalf of George H. Wightman has also challenged for the Quincy cup, but may be debarred because the time limit expired May 15.

The noon temperature on Memorial day since 1895 has ranged between 82 in 1899 and 1900, and 49 in 1901. In ten years it has been above 70 six time, but only once in the last five years.

The first Norfolk Senatorial disirict will not be changed by the new apportionment. It will include, as for the past ten years, the city of Quincy and the towns of Braintree, Weymouth, Hoibrook, Randolph, Canton, Milton and Hyde Park.

The New England Woman's Press association on invitation of Mrs. Laura Wentworth Fowler is to hold its June business meeting at her home, "Daisy Farm," in Dedham, on Wednesday, June 6th. It will be a box luncheon party.

First church chapel was decorated with flags, and red, white and blue bunting in observance of Memorial day by the Sunday school. A special twenty minutes, service was held, after which the regular school exercises were held.

Officers Goodhue and Milford were out after automobile speeders Sunday afternoon. They took the name s of seven who were exceeding the limit. Signs will be posted warning the automobile drivers against overspeeding.

When the janitor opened the door of the Thomas Crane Public Library Monday morning a young fellow jumped out of a window, ran down Washington street, and disappeared. Nothing was taken from the library as far as known.

The Dorcas society of Bethany church is to give the play "The Scarlet Bonnet," in the chapel of the church on Tuesday evening June 19th. Rehearsals are in progress under the direction of Mrs. Isabelle J. Davis and a fine performance is anticipated.

The Odd Fellows of Wollaston will hold memorial services on Sunday, June 3, at St. Chrysostom's church, when Mt. Wollaston lodge of Quincy will be guests. A week later Quincy Odd Fellows will attend memorial services at Christ church with members of John Hancock lodge as guests.

Mrs. Louis B. Bradford who has been making a brief visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Underwood, joined her husband in New York on Monday, returning to their home at Newport News, on Wednesday. During her stay here Mrs. Bradford was the recipient of many social attentions, among them being a tea given in her honor by her aunt, Miss Flora Underwood.

The ladies' auxiliary of Division 10, A. O. H., held an "Irish tea" at Hancock ball, Tuesday night, the hall was elaborately trimmed with flags and bunting, and the floor was converted into a tea garden. The servers were prettily gowned in green and white. A piper played Irish airs while tea was served. The evening closed with dancing.

A terrific hit by Atwood of the visiting team was a feature of the Quincy-Norwood ball game at Merrymount park May 25. He sent the ball over the centre fielders head into Hancock street and scored a home run. The visitors needed more runs, however to win, as all they could muster was three. The Quincys piled up five in the first three innings and maintained the lead from the start, winning 7 to 3.

A horse of John E. Kenily ran away on Whitwell street yesterday and succeeded in smashing the wagon to which he was attached. The team was in charge of a boy, who lost control of the horse coming down the hill. The boy jumped from the team and saved himself from injury. The horse then continued down the hill and turned sharply into Granite street. The result was that the team was overturned and badly smashed before the horse was stopped.

June.

Five Saturdays this month.

There were not as many flowers as usual for Memorial day.

The music at First church Sunday morning was appropriate to Memorial day.

Miss Harriet B. Pierce is spending a few days in New York, going over on Thursday.

William E. Haskins of Boston is moving into one of the Angier houses on Goffe street.

The hour for the Bumpus—Remick wedding at Christ church this afternoon is half past three.

The two small pox patients are doing nicely. They had the disease in a mild form and are able to be about the house.

The agreement between the Old Colony street railway and its employes has been signed. The agreement is to run for four years.

Miss Mary Dewson of Adams street sailed on Thursday of last week for Europe, where she is to spend the summer in travel.

The Hitchcock house on Foster street has been leased through the agency of C. H. Burgess to H. C. Young of Boston who will occupy.

Miss Grace M. Isaac returned this week from New Hampshire, much improved in health after a rest of several weeks among the hills.

N. B. Furnald of Washington street reports of a fall of three and 9-16th inches of rain for the 36 hours between 8 P. M. Sunday and 8 A. M. Tuesday.

The marriage of Miss Alice Bacon Hultman and Mr. Louis Eckert is to be solemnized at the home of the bride on Wednesday evening, June the sixth.

Art Paterson who collapsed on train between New York and Chicago is doing nicely at New York Hospital. Will leave for Boston as soon as able to travel.

The Daily Ledger's job printing department has been kept busy of late printing wedding invitations and base ball posters. These are the two extremes in job printing.

The new temporary railroad bridge over Neponset river is now in use, and the old bridge is being demolished. It will be replaced by a new four track bridge.

George L. Gill Rebekah lodge will be a guest of John Hancock lodge of Odd Fellows at its memorial services on Sunday, June 3, and of Mount Wollaston lodge, Sunday, June 10.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of Bethany church gave a reception to Melville P. Hayward on Thursday evening to welcome him back from the South. Games were played and refreshments served.

Adams Chapter Daughters of the Revolution will be guests on Monday afternoon of Mrs. H. H. Roundtree, at her beautiful home in Randolph. Car leaves City Square at twenty minutes past one.

The senior class in the household science and arts course of the Woodward Institute gave a lunch Tuesday afternoon to the teachers. It is the first thing of the kind ever given at the school and proved very popular.

Freeman A. Walker, a former resident of Quincy, died on Thursday, of pneumonia in Boston, at the residence of his brother, Col. Henry A. Walker of 35 Mt. Vernon street. His home was at Newton, but his wife died some years ago.

Walter H. Dunbar, David T. Drummond and John T. Johnson, the Quincy jurors serving at this session of the Norfolk Superior court, speak very highly of Judge Maynard who died suddenly on Monday. He was on the bench the first two weeks of this term and was universally popular.

At the social of the Christian Endeavor Society in Bethany chapel on Tuesday evening, Cady Davis was the recipient of a locket for his watch chain, but he prized more the kind remarks of many members, who regret that he will soon leave town to accept a position in Philadelphia. He graduates from Technology this month with honors.

At the headquarters of the Granite Cutters' Union yesterday, it was said that complete returns of the vote taken May 15, to decide on the location of the National headquarters for the next five years, had not been received. The time for receiving returns expires next Monday. It is thought that a second ballot will be necessary.

A local championship game will be played this afternoon at Fore River grounds at Quincy Point, when the Fore Rivers will meet the South Quincys. On Memorial day the Copeland club defeated the Merrymounts and the South Quincys defeated Copeland club. The Fore Rivers expect to keep the ball rolling.

The young ladies, pupils of Mrs. Isabelle Davis, who gave "Carroty Nell" so successfully a few weeks ago for the benefit of the Day Nursery, are to give it in Potter hall, Boston, on June ninth for the benefit of the children of San Francisco. A special car will probably convey the party to and from Quincy. Mrs. Frank J. Moore and other friends are to assist.

Marshall Darrach who is to give a recital at Atlantic Music hall in late November under the auspices of the Shakespeare club, is know from east to west, not alone in educational, but social circles as well. His method is to recite the main part of the play assuming the different characters in turn by change of voice, facial expression or gesture. His change is complete in everything, but clothing.

Peter J. Grant is paying a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Currie on Elm place, after an absence of two years. Since leaving Quincy he has travelled extensively all over the continent, and during the yellow fever-scare, was in New Orleans, La. Mr. Grant at the present time holds a responsible and lucrative position with the O'Rourke Electric Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., where he now resides. He is accompanied on his trip to his former home by Mr. Thomas Coyle of Brooklyn.

From letters received this week from San Francisco, it was learned that Mrs. Henry Edwards and her two daughters Misses Abbie and Elizabeth are safe, and are at present at their home on Broadway. The house was damaged somewhat by the earthquake, but a change of wind and the dynamiting of houses when within three blocks saved their home. They with others were obliged to line up for their food. Their down town property was destroyed. During the repairs on their home and the adjustment of the burned property they will live outside the city at their Berkley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendall B. Clapp are home from the South where they have been spending the winter. Mr. Clapp is greatly improved in health.

ATLANTIC.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Henry Wilde of Billings street, Atlantic, announce the engagement of their daughter, Corinna Prescott, to Edward Arthur Burkhardt, Technology 1905, of Jamaica Plain and Squantum.

Miss Sadie Melzard of Newtonville spent the week end as a guest of Mrs. Charles Cherrington of Clive street. The bridge whist club of Atlantic met with Mrs. Cherrington Friday evening, May 25.

Mrs. Charles Safford of Clive street is entertaining friends from Elgin, N. B.

At the concert of home talent to be given in Atlantic Memorial church next Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Briggs of Boston have kindly consented to add their part to the musical program.

Miss Addie May Ruggles gave an extra party to the Kitnalta club at her home in Neponset on Thursday evening. The four highest whist scores for the season were as follows: Macbeth Fish, Addie Ruggles, Laura Hall and Florence Gray. The members surprised Miss Ruggles with a tin "shower." Miss Fish, who entertains the club for its last meeting has set June 23 for a dinner and outing at Marblehead, which will be a pleasant variation.

The Squantum Inn opened Saturday for the summer.

The west side of Hancock street near the new railroad bridge at Atlantic is being surfaced with crushed stone.

Miss Lizzie Cook of Atlantic street has gone west for five or six months.

The Boys' Brigade of Atlantic gave a supper to the officers in Memorial church vestry Wednesday evening.

Miss Lotta Crabtree who has rented the Burkhardt estate at Squantum for the summer, has gone into the delights of farming, having added to her numerous possessions, a cow and several pigs.

Miss Mabel Read of Squantum street gave a pink luncheon and handkerchief shower Saturday in compliment to Miss Florence Willey of Walker street. Invitations were extended to ten mutual friends of the hostess and guest and each young woman tendered a dainty bit of linen which was placed with, its mates in a large pink cornucopia in the centre of the table. Luncheon was served at two. At each plate was a carnation pink, a hand-painted dinner-card and a rose of candy. Miss Willey's place was made conspicuous by being the nucleus of ten pink streamers, at the end of which the ten gifts were attached. Pink delicacies of all kinds were served and the table was resplendent with pink roses and ribbons. An impromptu musicale followed the luncheon.

On the Ward Six playground today the Sacred Hearts will play the Walpole A. C. at 3 P. M.

Councilman Hobbs has returned from the hospital where he underwent an operation. He is recovering rapidly.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Adams are at home Saturday afternoon, June the ninth, from four until six o'clock, at Old House, Adams street. Mr. Adams is president of the Quincy Historical society for whom the reception is given. Both Mr. and Mrs. Adams take great interest in the ancestral cottage of John and Abigail Adams at South Quincy and to their taste and good judgment is due much of the pleasing interior effects.

A letter received yesterday from Mayor Thompson, who is in New Hampshire, states that he is enjoying good health and that he expects to return to Quincy in a few days

Frank L. Carlton of the water department, who recently underwent a surgical operation, returned to work on Monday.

A suprise party was tendered to Clara Jackson at her home on Nightingale avenue, May 25. She was presented with a brooch and a number of pinks. Ice cream and cake was served, after which games ensued.

Historic.

In connection with Mr. Dewson's book, which had a little record of Mr. Turner, father of Mr. Peter Turner, Mr. Edwin W. Marsh writes that Mr. Turner's father lived at one time with his family on Coddington street in the house next to Coddington school, and that the Mr. Peter Turner alluded to in Mr. Dewson's book was a brother of Elisha, and lived at one time in a small house on Coddington street. Mr. Marsh adds that it was he, this late Peter, brother of the late Elisha, who laid out the lots on this street. The speculation not proving profitable, he believes he went to Troy, N. Y.

If we can forget and forgive the needless destruction of the venerable old elms that were laid low, one almost wishes these former citizens could penetrate the ether and see our classic library, its beautiful lawn, the shadows cast by the trees these early dawns, the space around all these, and the wide clean boulevard that is so busy a thoroughfare, and so attractive every way.

☞ The people of the United States have learned during this session of Congress that they are after all, the real sovereigns. Having learned this it may be taken for granted that from this time on they will exert a larger influence on matters of legislation. It is a significant fact that Congress during the six months it has been here has moved unwillingly in the direction indicated by the hand of public sentiment. It has declared it would not; like a stubborn mule it has bucked time and again, but as it has felt the influence of public sentiment it has moved. The statesmen of the day are keenly interested in the new order of things. They would prefer that the people keep hands off, but they realize that the day has passed when the public will sit quietly by when it has views as to what should be done or should not be done.—Lincoln in Boston Transcript.

☞ Not in many generations has a happy queen sat on the throne of Spain. Tragedy broods over the great square royal palace in Madrid. Customs are strange to this British-German princess; she has even had to adopt a new religion. And she must pretend to like bull fights! Strife is the daily food of the nation to which she comes; disintegration threatens it. What sort of a temperament the strong-headed youth of twenty at her side may develop she knows not. The thought of all these things may dry the roses from Prince Ena's cheeks as she journeys, amid acclaim and through ways hung with cloth of gold, to her future home.—New York Mail.

New Steamboat.

The new steamer South Shore built by the Fore River Company will go out next week for her trial trip, probably on Tuesday. A few guests will be entertained by the company and if the steamer proves satisfactory she will be delivered to the Nantasket Steamboat Company. The Fore River Company is completing a number of large contracts this year, including the battleships Rhode Island and New Jersey.

WOLLASTON.

The "Wollaston Glee Club" entertained Monday evening upon the occasion of its annual "Ladies Night" at the Unitarian vestry. A large number were out despite the storm and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed. This annual ladies' night of the Glee Club has become one of the social events of the year in Wollaston, and with the organization itself, has become a permanent attraction.

Wollaston boys entered the field and track meet of the Norfolk county Y. M. C. A. at Dedham, on Saturday, and won 8 points. Randolph won the trophy with 23 points, and Sharon and South Weymouth were tied for second place with 17. Wollaston was second in the mile relay race; in the 880 yard run Geo. Elmer was second and J. P. Lyons third; in the 440 yard run Guy Sass was third, and in the 12 pound shot put Carl Mansfield was third. H. G Megathlin was one of the timekeepers.

The Citizens Gas Co. commenced to lay mains on Adams street Thursday. As the company intends to hire Quincy help as far as possible all who desire work should apply.

Wollaston gardens show great improvement after the much needed rain of Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Julia Johnson, of Cambridge visited friends in Wollaston Memorial Day.

Miss Annie Marden, a former teacher in the Wollaston school, has accepted a position in Winchester.

A reception to the Senior Class of the Quincy Mansion school was held Tuesday evening, and was a society event.

Miss Ellen Stone entertained a large number of interested people Sunday night in the Wollaston Congregational church. She spoke of her escape from death from a religious point of view.

At the regular meeting of the Wollaston Y. P. R. U. Sunday evening the following committee was appointed to nominate the officers for next year:—Mr. F. M. Rollins, Miss Gertrude Lacey, Miss Ethel Parker, Miss Gertrude Jones and Mr. Edward Hale.

The Merrymounts will have as rivals today the Boylstons of Jamaica Plain, who have in past years played good ball.

At the Wollaston golf links on the holiday G. A. Tyler and J. P. Trainor had the best net score in the four ball handicap medal play, and were also tied with D. E. Little and R. W. Sanford for the best gross score.

One of the horses of the Wollaston hook and ladder truck met with a slight accident Wednesday morning while responding to the alarm from Box 272. Driver Dinneen, one of the most experienced drivers in the department, had charge of the horses. While going up the hill on Washington street near the Universalist church, the off horse stepped on a rolling stone and fell.

The Observant Citizen in the Post says: I am informed that the new skipper of the handsome sloop Marguerite that sails under the colors of the Wollaston Yacht club is no other person than Gerald Lawton, the old City Point "sea dog," and known to every yachtsman on Dorchester Bay. Mr. Lawton is still unmarried, I hear, though he has changed his place of abode and is now living in Quincy.

Nearly one hundred men are employed laying the new gas mains.

DOWNS AND PARK.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone of Muirhead street, entertained a number of friends on the holiday.

T. S. Bailey's large house on Beach street looks very fine in a new coat of paint.

Treasurer Given of the Wollaston Yacht club says he finds it more difficult to pay the interest on the clubhouse bonds held by members than to collect the annual dues. He has checks for those who will exhibit their bonds.

The dance at the clubhouse on Saturday evening, the opening day of the Wollaston yacht club, was largely attended and an enjoyable occasion. Cuffs orchestra furnished music for the dancing from 8 until 11. Ice cream was served.

Vandalism and Assault.

The work of an insane young fellow or a fiend aroused the people of Braintree, on Memorial day. Early in the morning it was discovered that the markers at the head of the graves in the Grand Army lot at the Plain Street cemetery had been taken up, the flags which had been placed on the graves Tuesday, had been removed, and the ball upon the monument in the lot had been knocked off.

About 8.30 A. M. on Memorial Day Miss Esther Wentworth aged 20 years was brutally assaulted on Pearl street at a lonely spot, and would have been killed, but that her screams attracted her brother who was at home nearby. The young lady's clothes were torn off and torn into shreds.

Later Richard S. S. Hollis of Middle street was located on Liberty street by Elmer Vinton and arrested. It is thought he is responsible for both crimes. Miss Wentworth knows him and recognized him before the assault.

State Officer Scott learned that Hollis had been missing from home for several nights, and had been at other times but it had been kept quiet. He is 28 years old and unmarried. He claimed when arrested that he was drunk, having secured whiskey at a Quincy drug store but this is discredited as he showed no signs of liquor.

Hollis was arraigned in the Quincy court Thursday, and his case continued until Friday.

☞ Charles Francis Adams' article in the Century upon the negro question causes comment in the south. His assertion that "we have wallowed in a bog of self-sufficient ignorance, especially we philanthropists and theorists of New England," is meat drink among a certain class down there. They are eagerly asking why Mr. Adams and scores of others have not discovered before that there is a Negro Problem. We have, and not even Mr. Adams' travels along the Niles have changed the aspect of the problem. There were great mistakes in dealing with the negro in reconstructions days. A score of northerners and republican leaders have said that themselves—in the past three years. But this does not alter the situation now. The negro is here to be used, trained, and made, so far as we may, a useful citizen. Surely no intelligent American can have any other idea of his future.—Boston Record.

—Owing to an epidemic of diphtheria in the Horace Mann and the Adams schools in Newtonville, the Newton Board of Health Thursday closed both buildings, which will be thoroughly fumigated before the pupils are again allowed to enter them.

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QUINCY POINT.

The 150 new song books at the Quincy Point church, purchased by the musical committee, Dr. Bushnell, chairman, are meeting with general acceptance and appreciation.

Although it rained hard Sunday evening, over one hundred, mostly men, were present at the Point church to hear the address on "Qualities in Young Men Young Ladies Admire."

Preparations for a parish picnic are being made.

A nine foot shark came ashore at Quincy Point on Tuesday afternoon.

The Huscarls are preparing a large lawn on Thompson street for their lawn party on June 14.

The alarm from Box 272 at 8.29 Wednesday morning was for a oil stove fire on Washington street near Pray street. No loss.

Supt. Charles Sherburne reported 168 pupils at Quincy Point Sunday School on May 27. The vestry has been so full of late, that several classes meet for lesson study in the auditorium.

The committee from the Quincy Point Athletic Association class to arrange for a place of meeting, time, and other contemplated features, are Fred Smith (chairman), M. Small, Alfred Thayer, F. Small, and Mr. Dyer. The association has also the following committee to provide for alterations; Samuel Melville (chairman), Mr. Small and Mr. Bonney.

T. B. Pollard and wife visited their uncle at Jamaica Plain last week.

The pupils of the Washington school are being vaccinated because of the case of smallpox at Quincy Neck.

Deacon George Sidelinger, in the absence of the musical director, of the Point church, conducted the praise service on Sunday Evening.

Julius Johnson has sold a house lot on Winthrop park to John Hill who will build.

The whistle on the Quincy Point Power station which has been connected with the fire alarm system can be heard above the Wollaston or South Quincy whistles.

The Fore River foot ball team of this city won from the Boston Rovers on the holiday at Jamaica Plain by the score of 3 to 1. Two of the goals for the Fore Rivers were made by Lewis who played center field, and one by Rowe who played left. The only goal for the Rovers was mode by Allison who played in left field. Mr. Frazer was referee and the linesmen were Messrs. Campbell and Allen. Thirty-five minute halves were played.

Less than 20 more days of school for the pupils of the public schools.

Will Fish of Boston, a Huscarl, of House number six, spent Memorial Day with members of his fraternity at the Point.

At the Memorial day exercises in Barnstable, Rev. Leon Hudson Austin of Quincy was orator of the day.

WEST QUINCY.

Mrs. Nils Johnson and Miss Hannah Hanson of Granite street sailed Tuesday, on the Saxonia for Sweden. They will return to Quincy, after a short visit.

Irving L. Badger of West Quincy, a popular young man, has entered in the Globe voting contest and hopes that all his friends will help him win by forwarding votes to him or to the Globe office.

Vacation Days.

One of the most beautiful and artistic booklets issued this season is the new descriptive booklet, "Vacation Days in Southern New Hampshire," delightfully illustrated and describing in detail the resorts of Southern New Hampshire. This booklet is brand new and is enclosed in a handsome cover lithographed in eight colors. This growing vacation country, year by year, is attracting tourists and vacationists, and any person who desires or contemplates a vacation this season in New Hampshire, should send two cents for postage to the General Passenger Department, Boston & Maine Railroad, Boston, for "Vacation Days in Southern New Hampshire.

☞ Tipping is rapidly becoming a national evil. It began with the payment of gratuities to waiters in restaurants and hotels. In this form it was an importation from Europe. Of course, the waiter ought to serve the customer faithfully without being bribed to do the work which he had been hired to perform, but the custom has grown to such an extent that unless one fees he is sure not to get good service. He submits, therefore to the imposition, as the less of two evils. The practice has spread to such an extent that the man who blacks your boots, who helps you on with your coat, that hands you your hat, that tells you the way, that brings you to a glass of water, that shaves your face, or cuts your hair, expects a gratuity in addition to the pay which he receives for performing his work. It is about time to check this tipping abuse. Let us stop it first high up, and work down to the bottom.—Wall Street Journal.

☞ Boston is to become a boom city if the plans of some of its enterprising business men are carried out. The idea is to advertise the city, as they do in the cities of West, and a great fund is to be raised for the purpose. It is a good idea. A completed city is of small use except to tourists. A city that is booming, that is full of life, and hope, and ambition, and courage, and everything else that goes to make a man successful, will succeed and become a desirable location for the ambitious, the pushing, and the enterprising. What is good for the west and what is good for Boston is good for Lynn, and our citizens have recognized this truth and are already making the most of it. Let the work go on, for it pays.—Lynn Item.

☞ Now it is the Rhode Island that has gone ashore in shallow water. She shares the fate of a myriad other battleships of the world. That she was floated again was to be expected; they always float again. The authorities fear the vessel has been strained by her experience; they always fear it, and usually with good reason. An American battleship can go into action and get away with very little damage as a rule. Generally she will stay on top of the water long enough to vanquish an enemy, anyway. She is more troublesome than a nest of wasps. She is feared, and generally with reason. If, like the Oregon, she has to make a long trip half-way around the world in order to get to her fighting ground, she is likely to succeed in fine style in that performance. But let wars cease, and let the ship merely go about over the water on what may be called pleasure excursions, and it is a fair bet to make that before long she will go ashore, hit a rock, ram into a derelict or collide with some other vessel. The only time it isn't reasonably safe to be on board an American man-o'-war is when there is no danger, to phrase a paradox.—Brockton Enterprise.

HOUGHS NECK.

Thomas N. Griffin and family of South Boston are at the Oriole.

Councilman George Hunter of South Quincy is at the May cottage on Manet avenue.

Another club race under the auspices of the Quincy Yacht club will be sailed on Saturday. Start at 2.30

James C. Wall has moved into his new cottage on Manet avenue.

George S. Morse of Dorchester with family are at their new cottage on Great Hill.

Mrs. M F. Ganar of Dorchester has leased the Windham on Winthrop street for the season.

The Beatrice on Bell street will be occupied this season by W. H. Bishop of Cambridge.

William E. Wall of Roslindale is at the Walldower on Charles street.

O. L. Calkins of Brockton is at his new cottage on Great Hill.

R. F. Watson of East Boston with family are at the Puritana.

C. C. Harmon and family of Boston are at the Madeline cottage.

William Norteman, of the Great Hill pavilion has his grand opening this afternoon.

The Fisher cottage on Rock Island road will be occupied this summer by Ralph E. Tobey of Medford.

Houghs Neck residents are anxious to have fire alarms boxes located at different sections of the beach. As it is now there is but one fire alarm box there. When that sounds it means a little delay in locating the fire and delays are sometimes serious.

MILTON.

Owing to the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Fletcher of Garfield street, has been called to her former home at Belfast, Maine.

East Milton firemen are looking forward to the arrival of the new combination wagon being built for their station.

The Somes house on Bryant avenue has been sold to Fred Allen who has moved into it.

Sidney Somes of Bryant avenue has moved his family to Boston.

The Thursday Evening club will not close its rooms this summer as usual, but will keep them open every evening.

Miss Fannie Johnson of the Ellsworth market, who has been ill, is reported as being convalescent.

The Assessors finished their field work this week. It will be some days yet however before the tax rate is announced.

William H. Rand and family have gone to Cottage City for the summer.

Mr. Waterman has moved from Granite avenue to Granite place.

Floating Hospital.

There is regret in Quincy that the founders of the Floating Hospital, Rufus B. Tobey of Wollaston, and his popular assistant, John R. Anderson, have resigned, after many years of exceptional ability.

Mr. Tobey gives up his active connection with the hospital, as the growth of the work, in addition to his other duties, would entail too much upon him. A new active salaried manager, G. Loring Briggs, has been added to the force, but even with this help the pressure of the work was more than Mr. Tobey felt he could undertake.

Mr. Anderson, who has been in the work for 11 years, will assist Mr. Tobey in the Memorial Trust, whose charities Mr. Tobey has dispensed for a number of years. Mr. Tobey is also connected with a number of other charities. His office is now 45 Milk street. He was the founder of the Floating Hospital.

The trustees of the hospital give out the following statement:

"The trustees of the Boston Floating Hospital have concluded, after careful consideration, to discontinue the system of raising funds for the hospital through a paid agent employed especially for this purpose, excepting in such special cases as may be found necessary.

"Mr. John R. Anderson who has faithfully served the hospital for many years, principally in this capacity, has tendered his resignation as assistant manager of the hospital to take effect July 1, and owing to the change of system referred to above, the office of assistant manager will be discontinued.

"The value of this deserving charity has now become so widely known that the trustees confidently hope that generous support will be forthcoming from many more contributors than ever before, in order that the new boat, which will cost fully equipped about $100,000, and which will accommodate nearly twice as many patients as the old one, may be paid for and used this summer to its fullest capacity."

☞ Again it is suggested—from the city whose name it colloquially bears—that the "New Haven" Railroad should formally adopt that designation in place of the awkward title now in use. Yet why should the management favor a name far more restrictive and unrepresentative than the unsatisfactory "New York, New Haven & Hartford"? If the close relationship now existing between the road and the Ontario & Western is to be perpetuated or exchanged for a more intimate union "New Haven" will be more than ever a misnomer, and even "New England," which has sometimes been suggested, will hardly do. On the other hand, it is only fair to admit that in these days of rapid railway consolidation no name, unless it is all-inclusive, is sure to remain sufficiently comprehensive. In such circumstances a trade-mark title has some justification. Thus the Erie road has a designation that is not geographical, but merely traditional and popular, and there is probably no more confusion caused by it than there is by the cumbersome name of the "Delaware, Lackawanna & Western," which road is essentially parallels and the title of which is abbreviated in common usage to the "Lackawanna." — Providence Journal.

☞ We do not believe the people of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts are particularly pleased at the spectacle of a District Attorney eternally playing to the galleries and telling the public continually in about so many words that of all the people in the old Bay State he alone is above all suspicion.—Waltham Free Press.

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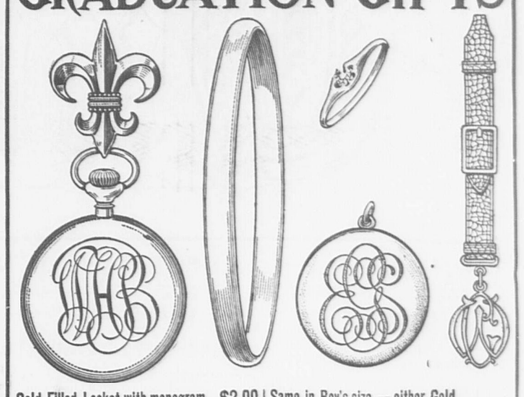
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WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon sets
Saturday, June	2, 4 10	7.14	6.45	7.15	1.29 A.M
Sunday, "	3, 4.09	7.15	7.45	8.15	2.11 "
Monday, "	4, 4.09	7.16	8.45	9.15	2.46 "
Tuesday, "	5, 4.08	7.16	9.45	10.00	3.25 "
Wednesday, "	6, 4.08	7.17	10.30	11.00	7.29 P.M
Thursday, "	7, 4.08	7.18	11.30	11.45	8.13 "
Friday, "	8, 4.07	7.18	12.00	12.15	9.14 "

Full Moon, June 6th, 4.12 P. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898.
Sunday,	76	64	77	76	62
Monday,	50	62	82	70	63
Tuesday,	54	75	85	65	67
Wednesday,	65	70	64	60	76
Thursday,	75	75	68	65	70
Friday,	81	64	60	80	68
Saturday,	—	77	79	85	65

Quincy Below Average.

The annual report of the Metropolitan Water Board shows the average daily per capita consumption of water each month during the year 1905 in the Metropolitan district and in Quincy, to have been as follows:

	Per Capita in the Metropolitan District.	Per Capita in the City of Quincy.
January,	141	99
February,	152	108
March,	131	103
April,	120	101
May,	124	107
June,	126	109
July,	132	121
August,	127	118
September,	125	111
October,	123	111
November,	122	112
December,	129	102
For the year,	129	109

Whereas February and January are the big months in the district, it is in January that Quincy uses the least number of gallons. July and August are the big months in Quincy, but even then this city is several gallons per capita under the average. For the year, Quincy uses 20 gallons less per capita per day than the district, or a total of 7300 gallons per capita less in a year than the district as a whole.

Another table on page 123 shows where the increase of consumption of water in the district has taken place. The increase in daily average consumption the year 1905 over 1904 was 2,713,600 gallons, and 2,063,600 gallons was in Boston alone.

The increase in Malden with meters was nearly as large as in Quincy. Watertown with meters made the largest increase in gallons per capita, and Belmont for a town of 4300 also made a big increase.

	Gallons per day Year 1904.	Gallons per day Year 1905.
Boston,	87,680,300	89,743,900
Somerville,	6,228,300	6,160,900
Malden,	1,868,000	2,019,500
Chelsea,	4,260,500	4,091,200
Everett,	2,624,420	2,592,400
Quincy,	2,823,200	3,050,100
Medford,	1,802,900	1,921,800
Melrose,	1,525,100	1,601,100
Revere,	933,000	1,006,600
Watertown,	623,600	700,700
Arlington,	752,400	787,700
Milton,	316,300	320,900
Winthrop,	742,300	798,300
Stoneham,	558,300	514,000
Belmont,	248,800	266,300
Lexington,	282,700	290,100
Nahant,	131,000	136,600
Swampscott,	521,300	534,000
District,	113,922,300	116,635,900

Cape Cats Race.

The race of the Cape cats in Class D at South Boston on the holiday was declared off because of a technicality; the Marvel however led the boats of the course. In Class A the Helena sailed by Councilman Sawyer showed up well, finishing second, the Alpha being first. The Helena has not been measured, so that the correct time is not known. The Harolde sailed in this class. The Waweenock and Tacoma were first and second in the first special class but were ruled out, as they should have sailed in Class B. The Swastika sailed in Class B but was not among the prize winners.

First places in the different classes were taken by the Atlanta, Poor Boy, Thialfi, Tyro, Dorchin, Sanderling, Esther, Lobster and Osceola.

Beautiful Cemetery.

Many favorable comments were heard Wednesday on the appearance of Mt. Wollaston cemetery. The cemetery needed rain to freshen it up, and the heavy rain of Monday did a great amount of good, although it came at the wrong time for the employees who were striving hard to get all lots looking good for Memorial day.

The walks had been nicely trimmed, however, and the lots under the care of the department never looked better. The condition of the cemetery is improving wonderfully every year and is now a rival of many of the large cemeteries throughout the Commonwealth.

SUNDAY SERVICES

WHIT SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 11.50. All invited.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Topic: "Parent's Sunday." Sermon on the relation of the home and parental training to the child and the church. Sunday School at 12 M. Classes for all. Topic: "One Gospel for all Nations." Junior C. E. at 4. P. M. Topic: "The Kind of Giving that God Likes." 2 Sam. 24: 18-25. Y. P. S. C. E. Consecration meeting at 6.30. Topic: "What Faith is and What Frith Does." Evening service at 7.30. Address by the Rev. George A. Hood of Boston. Our motto is: A place for all and a welcome for all.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street, —Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Rev. Ernest W. Hunt, minister. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by minister. Sunday school at 12 M. All are invited.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening praise and preaching service at 7.30. Preaching by the pastor both morning and evening. The public is cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Post Office block,—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "God the Preserver of Man." Golden Text: "In God have I put my trust: I will not be afraid what man can do unto me." Psalm 56:11. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. an experience and testimony meeting. Reading rooms open every week day from 3 to 5, and every Tuesday evening. All are welcome.

Memorial Day.

Fair skies and a cool northerly breeze, greeted the members of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., Memorial Day morning. It was an ideal day for marching. The recent heavy rains had laid the dust and the cool breeze tempered the heat of the sun. It was a striking contrast from some of the scorching days of other years.

In accordance with general orders of Commander Williams, the members of the Post assembled at headquarter at 7 A. M. Details were immediately dispatched to decorate the graves in the several cemeteries in Quincy and surrounding towns where members of Paul Revere Post lie buried.

Comrade Abel Nutting visited the grave of Col. Paul J. Revere at Mt. Auburn, Senior Vice Commander George E. Phillips accompanied by the chaplain visited the National Sailors' Home and conducted services; Junior Vice Commander Charles Newcomb with a detail visited Mt. Wollaston cemetery and decorated the graves of comrades; and Officer of the Day Warren Dunbar with detail visited the English cemetery.

By 9 o'clock many of these details had returned to headquarters. The members of John A. Boyd Camp, L. S. W. V., had also reported, and Co. K. of the Boys' Brigade. These two latter commands acted as escort to the Post.

At 9.30 the command formed in front of head quarters and headed by the Finn band a short march was taken to the junction of School and Franklin streets where barges were taken for West Quincy. Alighting at the junction of Copeland and Crescent streets the command again formed and marched to the Hall cemetery.

Details decorated the graves of comrades buried there, and the Post then formed around the Willard monument where appropriate exercises were held by Commander Williams and Chaplain Rev. N. J. Sproul. After a salute to the dead the command moved to St. Mary's cemetery where exercises were held by Rev. Edward Mitchell, and the usual salute fired.

The Spanish War Veterans then repaired to the grave of John A. Boyd, where they held exercises of an appropriate nature.

The command reformed and marched to the junction of Copeland and Crescent streets where barges were taken for headquarters for dinner, which was served in Hancock hall. Then came a period of rest until 2 o'clock at which time the line was again formed for a visit to Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

The line of march was by way of Hancock, Temple, Coddington and Sea streets. Entering the cemetery by the main entrance and marching to the Soldiers' monument.

The order of the procession was as follows:

Two squads of police
Under command of
Chief Frank Burrell and Lieut. Daniel R. McKay

Oriental Drum Corps.

Drum Major Frank Bates.

John A. Boyd Camp, L. S. W. V.

Commander, John R. McGrath.

John Clary Camp, L. S. W. V., Hyde Park.

Commander, Francis M. Burns.
Co. B, Mass. 3d Regt., W. B. B. A.
Captain H. J. Welsh.

Co. K, Mass. 3d Regt., W. B. B. A.
Captain C. Gurney.

Officer of Day, Warren Dunbar.
Finn Band, Otto Saxburg leader.

Paul Revere Post, G. A. R.
Commander John D. Williams.

Barge with disabled veterans.

Paul Revere W. R. C.
President, Mrs. E. A. Penniman.

Ladies' Auxiliary Sons of Veterans.
President, Mildred Dexheimer.

Carriages containing City Treasurer H. G. Fay; Assessor C. H. Johnson; Chief of Fire Dept. A. L. Litchfield, City Auditor H. O. Fairbanks, Chairman Board of Health W. H. Teasdale, and Chaplain Rev. N. J. Sproul.

The commands formed about the Soldiers' Monument where appropriate exercises were held, the program including:

Music, "Nearer My God to Thee," by Band.

Prayer by Chaplain, Rev. N. J. Sproul.

Reading Lincoln's address at Gettysburg, Franklin Curtis.

Address by Col. Charles H. Porter.

Address by Rev. N. J. Sproul.

Address by Mrs. E. A. Penniman.

Depositing of the wreaths:

Red, by Senior Vice Commander George F. Phillips.

White, by Junior Vice Commander Charles Newcomb.

Blue, by Adjutant Franklin Curtis.

Red, White and Blue, by Commander John D. Williams.

Music, "Lead Kindly Light" by Band.

Salute to the dead by the firing squad.

Taps by buglers.

From the Soldiers' monument the commands repaired to the grave of Lieut. E. A. Bumpus where appropriate exercises were held by the Spanish War Veterans. The order of exercises were as follows:

Prayer by Rev. N. J. Sproul.

Remarks by Past Commander George E. Adams.

Music, "Just before the Battle," by the fifers.

Depositing the wreath by Past Commander Adams.

Taps.

While these exercises were being held the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans visited the graves of Francis L. Souther and Mrs. Souther, and the graves of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Holbrook, where prayers were offered by the Chaplain, Miss Mary Backhoff, and flowers were deposited.

The commands then visited the Grand Army lot where exercises to the unknown dead were held by the Woman's Relief Corps, including:

Music "Nearer My God to thee," by the Band.

Responsive exercises by President Mrs. E. A. Penniman and officers of the Corps.

Prayer by the Chaplain of the corps.

Depositing the Red, White and Blue wreath by Mrs. Penniman.

Depositing the wreath of evergreen by Mrs. Holmes.

Dirge by the band.

Depositing of bouquets by members of the corps.

Singing of "America" by the corps and music by the band.

Benediction by Rev. N. J. Sproul.

Salute by firing squad.

Taps by bugler.

This concluded the exercises at Mt. Wollaston and the commands reformed and returned to headquarters via Sea, Coddington and Hancock streets where they were dismissed.

NOTES.

Paul Revere Post has lost two members since last Memorial Day Jeremiah Carey, of the 6th Mass. Battery, who died Dec. 9, 1905, and Past Commander William H. Warner, of the 5th Mass. unattached, who died Jan. 20, 1906.

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Enjoyable Banquet

The banquet given under the auspices of the entertainment committee of the East Congregational church, East Milton, on Friday evening, May 25th, proved to be one of the most delightful social events in the history of the church.

At about seven o'clock guests to the number of one hundred and thirty assembled in the church auditorium, from which place they proceeded to the vestry where the dinner was served promptly at half past seven.

The tables were beautifully decorated with sprays of English hawthorn, and with brilliantly lighted candelabra were exceedingly attractive. Ropes of glossy green leaves were artistically draped over the six doors and encircled the pillars. During the banquet unusually fine selections were played by violin and piano, adding appreciably to the enjoyment of all.

After full justice had been done the fine course dinner, which was served by sixteen attractive young ladies of the church, toast-master, Austin W. Greene, introduced the speakers, whose subject the "Province of the Church" was discussed by five different speakers from five different points of view, viz:

From the Pastor's stand-point Rev. Andrew H. Mulnix.

From the Organist's stand-point Mr. John Harris Gutterson.

From the Business Man's stand-point Mr. Theophilus King.

From the Social stand-point Mr. Frank E. Parlin.

From the Layman's stand-point Mr. Asher J. Jacoby.

Mr. Andrew H. Mulnix, a former and much loved pastor, was first introduced. It would seem as if time had only strengthened the bonds of love between Mr. Mulnix and the people with whom he lived and worked for four years, for his welcome was so hearty that it was sometime before his voice could be heard above the prolonged applause. We found Mr. Mulnix's keen sense of humor and wonderful gift of story telling not one whit diminished, and in his happiest vein he told of the church's province from the pastor's view point.

Mr. Asher J. Jacoby next spoke, and his remarks were not only extremely thoughtful, but left each listener much to consider.

The committee were fortunate in having present not only the Milton Superintendent of schools, but also Quincy's Superintendent, Mr. Frank E. Parlin, whose toast was full of valuable suggestions. His plea for greater social activity among the children of the church was vigorously applauded.

During Mr. Mulnix's pastorate he was ably seconded in his work by the talented organist, Mr. John H. Gutterson, whose welcome was most cordial, and whose toasts was attentively followed and thoroughly enjoyed.

The last speaker of the evening was Mr. Theophilus King of Quincy, a man active in church and philanthropic work. His broad, liberal views met the approval of all.

Between the evening's speeches, Mrs. Dudley Talbot and Miss Grace Parker, both of Milton, furnished music. Mrs. Talbot's rich contralto and finished style gave pleasure, and Miss Parker's whistling solos were a genuine innovation. Her tones were of beautiful quality and her whistling artistic in the extreme.

As the guests departed, it seemed to be the unanimous opinion that such a happy affair ought to become an annual event in the church calendar.

Farmers' Ball.

The event of the season at West Quincy was the farmers' parade and ball of the Copeland club Tuesday evening. It created more merriment than a circus. Large crowds turned out to see the parade early in the evening and shouts of laughter greeted the boys on every side.

The club were costumed to represent farmers. Every man carried some implement of the farm in the parade,—rakes, forks, hoes, etc., predominating.

The parade was from the club's headquarters on Copeland street to St. Mary's hall. It was headed by a band and a hay wagon. One round of applause greeted them from the start to the finish.

The hall itself was transformed so as to represent a large barn and the farmer boys and "their gals" had a great time. Dancing was enjoyed until 3 A. M. At midnight a lunch of doughnuts, cheese and cider was served.

The greatest fun came at the awarding of prizes for the best costumed farmers and farmers' ladies. Four prizes were awarded, two little pigs and two roosters. The squeelers were awarded to Andrew Dinegan and Miss Joyce. The crowers were secured by Willard Burke and Miss Mary Dewtemple.

There were so many good costumes that the award of prizes was a difficult one. The judges were Commissioners Thomas F. Burke, James H. Elcock and Walter H. Ripley.

Tennis Tournament.

A tournament in tennis doubles was played on the holiday on the grounds of the Wollaston Tennis club and created considerable interest. Victories in the first round came easy, but after that were more closely contested as will be seen by the summary:

FIRST ROUND.

Davenport and Hall defeated Whiting and partner by default.

Underwood and Hale defeated Mead and Wheelock, 6—0, 6—2.

Currier and Currier defeated Baird and Cummings, 6—2, 6—1.

Abbott and Brokaw defeated Bates and Morgan, 6—2, 6—2.

Hillman and Barker defeated Sampson and Albee, 6—2, 6—4.

SECOND ROUND.

Davenport and Hall defeated Gurney and Emery, 6—2, 6—3.

Currier and Currier defeated Underwood and Hall, 3—6, 6—4, 6—0.

Hillman and Barker defeated Abbott and Brokaw, 12—10, 6—1.

Litchfield and Foster defeated Porter and Sterns, 4—6, 6—3, 6—1.

THIRD ROUND.

Davenport and Hall defeated Currier and Currier, 6—1, 6—4.

Hillman and Barker defeated Litchfield and Foster, 6—4, 3—6, 6—3.

The finals will be played on Saturday by Davenport and Hill against Hillman and Barker.

Hints to House Furnishers.

The Wakefield Building, 90 Canal street, Boston, is the only building in New England devoted entirely to wholesale furniture. The largest manufacturers in the East maintain their show rooms there for wholesale buyers only.

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At this store can be found Mr. C. E. Woodbury of Quincy, the popular salesman, who is well known to many of our readers.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, May 29, 1906.

For a sensation in the public eye, the bribery investigation still holds the first place, and it really ranks high in importance if we may judge by an expression of one of the committee. This comes second hand, for they are careful what they say to the newspaper men. It is to the effect that they believe that they have sufficient evidence to warrant action by the grand jury. It is not said in connection with whose name this evidence is believed to have been secured. But if they have secured evidence of this sort, then they have been more fortunate than any legislative investigating committee which has sat for a generation. The committee, so says one of its members to me, will do everything it can to secure positive results. They realize that there has been sharp criticism because the investigation has been secret, and they feel that they must justify their method, as well as accomplish justice for a higher motive. The examination of the members of the legislature is presumed to be thorough, covering not only the bucket shop bill, but anything else which has occurred this session.

Representative Gethro, who comes out into the open as the suspected man by his bodily assault upon Representative Mock of Boston and his subsequent open apology to the House for his violence, did not seem to have any support on the part of the members when he said his few words, and that, of itself, shows that he has serious work to set himself right, for the House is very apt to applaud when any man does a manly thing.

Gov. Guild has been placed where it was the deep sea on one side and a similar alternative on the other,—the occasion being the bill for the sliding scale for gas for Boston. There was strenuous opposition to the bill, supported by the unanimous opinion of the gas and electric light commission that the bill ought not to pass. But there were tremendous financial interests on the other side. A prominent supporter of the bill says that the governor was much alarmed just after the bill reached him, for fear that, if he signed it, Moran would make much political capital out of it against him. The reason is that there was a great stock-jobbing interest to get the bill through, involving a good number of million of dollars, as the rise in the price of the stock has already proved. The bill also fastens upon the public for 10 years a monopoly protected by law, with the probability that it will pay nine or ten per cent. dividends on the stock before long, when the bonds of the state sell for less than 4 per cent. On the other hand, the price of gas to consumers must be reduced five cents per 1000 feet for every one per cent. advance in dividend, and therefore it is argued that the interests of the public are sufficiently protected. But there are hot feelings on both sides and the governor is sure to be criticized severely and it is to be expected that the matter will form a part of the campaign ammunition.

In the main the governor has satisfied the temperance people and his last act for them, the signing of the bill to regulate the transportation of liquor into no-license cities and towns, will help him all the more with that class. The liquor men played a desperately hard game to kill the bill by getting the Senate and House to disagree upon an amendment which went to a conference committee, but the temperance people yielded a point and saved the bill.

It promises to be a lively year for the caterpillar pest. Superintendent Kirkland of the bureau of suppression tells me that the pests have come out in large numbers. The work done thus far has been effective in the places where it has been done. That is, the residential portions of the infested territory have been pretty well cleaned up. Roadside trees have been cared for so that the caterpillars will not drop upon automobiles and other vehicles and be carried to new centers of infestation. But this territory is small compared with the entire amount. The work of suppression has not yet availed to do much of anything with the large areas of cheap woodland which cover so much of the ground to the north of Boston, especially in the Middlesex Fells. Massachusetts is spending a great deal more this year than ever before for the suppression of the caterpillars and other forms of the creatures. The total amount, including the sums spent by the state directly by its working force, by state institutions, but counties, cities and towns and by private individuals, is estimated at $725,000, of which $200,000 is set down as being the willing advances of private individuals, in addition to all they pay in taxes.

Without any opposition the bill to put telegraph and telephone companies under the supervision of the highway commission has gone through both branches. It was a very different situation from that 10 years ago when supervision was stoutly resisted.

In spite of the great display made in bringing up to the state house the petition for commutation of the death sentence of Charles L. Tucker, there does not seem to be any reason to suppose that it will turn the mind of Gov. Guild.

The important items of legislation during the current week have been the report in the Senate of a general bill to allow fifteen or more persons to form electric railway companies, or to make use of any motive power but steam. It is known as the "Inter Urban" bill as its avowed purpose is to facilitate the construction of railways between large centers of population, more or less in competition with the steam railroads. It is intended to meet the public demand as shown in the proposed charters so fought over, last year, for new lines between Boston and Providence.

After refusing, by a tie vote, to pass a bill for retiring judges of probate and insolvency on pensions of three-fourths of their salary, the Senate has compromised, for the present, on pensions of half their salary. But there is such strong opposition to any extension of this kind of favoritism that even the pending bill may not become a law.

The Senate has adopted an order by a vote of 20 to 3, for a recess committee to revise the Sunday laws. It was urged that it was time to bring them move into harmony with present lines of thought, and, on the other hand, it was objected that the friends of proper Sabbath observance had more to fear than to hope from any such method of making changes. The House has yet to pass upon the order.

The House has killed the Senate resolve for a memorial in the State House grounds to those who died in the Spanish American war. Rule.

—Charles L. Tucker the convicted murderer of Mabel Page, was removed yesterday from the East Cambridge jail to the Charlestown State Prison where the death chamber has been put in order for the electric chair, which will finish his earthly existence, sometime during the week commencing June 10.

Base Ball Games.

A closely contested game was played on the morning of the holiday at Merrymount park, between the Merrymounts and the Copeland club of West Quincy, and was won by the latter 5 to 2.

The Copelands took the lead in the third inning and held it throughout, Kolson not only pitched a good game but made two safe hits and scored all the runs for his team.

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Copeland,	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	0	—5
Merrymount,	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	—2

Two-base hits—Morrallis, Egan. Struck out—By Kolson 7, by Morrallis 7. Umpire—McKay.

The Copeland club played at home in the afternoon with the South Quincys as rivals but were not so successful, being defeated 8 to 4. It was a well played and interesting game. After the third inning which proved fatal to Copeland only one run was scored.

The feature of the game were the battery work of Kelley and Forbes for South Quincy, and fielding of Reardon and Duggan for Copeland club.

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
South Quincys	0	3	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	—8
Copelands	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4

Earned runs,—South Quincy 3, Copeland 1. Two-base hits,—Oswald, Spargo, Kelley. Struck out—By Kelley, 9, Morales, 2, Rudderham, 2. Umpire Ogle.

The South Quincys were defeated 8 to 4 by the Boston Blues. The home team fielded well but were unable to hit Bastable, if we except the home run of Forbes and the two bagger of Humphrey, which were features of the game.

Each man on the visiting team hit safely, and there was a three bagger by Donovan and two base hits by G. Magee and Delaney.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston Blues	3	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	—8
South Quincy	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	—4

Two-base hits—G. Magee, Delaney, Humphrey. Three-base hit—Donovan. Home run—Forbes. Sacrifice hit—P. Magee. Stolen bases—P. Magee 3, G. Magee 2, Russell, Duffy, Collins. First base on balls—Off Bastable 1, off Humphrey 5. Struck out—By Bastable 7, by Humphrey 5. Double play—Hassett and Mahoney. Time—1h, 45m. Umpire—Collins.

Makaria defeated the Athletics of Atlantic 7 to 6 in an uphill game at Merrymount park.

The Athletics scored one run each inning up to the fifth when they made it two and stopped.

Makaria scored two in the second, one in the sixth and three in the eighth. The winning run in the ninth being a gift as the Athletics went to pieces.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Makaria	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	1	—7
Athletics	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	—6

Two-base hits—Nichols. Double plays—T. Coleman to Nichols to G. Coleman; Penley to Duncan. Struck out—By Penley 11, Comins 6. Bases on balls—By Penley 4, Comins 2. Passed balls—By Tupper 3, Fenno 2. Wild pitches—By Penley 1. Hit by pitched ball—Ewen 2, Bean. Umpire—Bentley. Time—1h, 55m.

The Fore Rivers met defeat at the hands of the Deweys of Weymouth on the Quincy Point grounds Wednesday morning by a score of 14 to 6. In the afternoon the Fore Rivers went to Weymouth and evened things up by defeating the Deweys by a score of 8 to 0. In both games the teams scored 16 runs each.

At Atlantic, on the Ward Six playground, the Sacred Heart team was defeated on the afternoon of the holiday by the St. Peter and St. Paul nine, by the score of 12 to 4.

At Atlantic in the morning the Athletics were defeated by the St. James team of Boston.

The Merrymounts went to Braintree on the afternoon of the holiday and were defeated in an interesting game by a score of 4 to 1.

The Merrymounts had a bad first inning when two errors on easy chances followed by several hits gave the Braintrees all their runs.

After the first inning Gram had the home team guessing and backed up by good fielding held the home team safe at all times.

Cullen was very effective at critical times, and his work was responsible for holding his opponents runs down, as the work of the Braintree infield was loose. Each team pulled off two double plays; other features of the game were Leach's catching, and a sensational stop, and throw by Kappler.

Two strong rival teams, the Quincy Point and the Bigelows, came together on the holiday at the Ward Two playground, and the Bigelows suffered a sore defeat. For three innings the Bigelows seemed to be playing the better game but the Quincy Point forged ahead in the fourth, and clinched the victory in the eight.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Quincy Point	0	3	1	3	1	1	0	5	0	—14
Bigelows	3	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	—9

The President's Hill base ball nine defeated the Columbia A. C. in a very one-sided game at Atlantic Memorial day. The score was as follows:

President Hill	3	11	5	4	2	0	3	2	0	—30
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	—6

Batteries,—Bumpus and Hardwick; Staples and Polland.

The Fore River team won on Saturday, on the Quincy Point grounds in a well played game with the Winchesters, by the score of 8 to 3. The two teams were very evenly matched at all points, but Fore River obtained the lead at the start, and held it to the finish. Most of the put outs on both sides were at first base, but Patterson struck out 7, and Miller 3. Morales in the left garden for the Fore Rivers took in two difficult flies while running backward. He also contributed one of the base hits, and a sacrifice hit.

The score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Fore River	0	1	0	3	0	0	1	3		—8
Winchester	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	—3

Two byse hit, Youngclaus. Stolen bases, Hogan 2, Tate 2, Morales 2, Birnie 2, A Dunn 2, Mullane 2, Patterson, Smith, Murphy. First base on balls, off Patterson 4, off Miller 3. Struck out, by Patterson 7, by Miller 4. Sacrifice hit, Morales. Wild pitch, Miller. Passed balls, Drake, Smith. Umpire, Reagan. Time, 2 hours.

The Merrymounts easily defeated the Boston Y. M. C. A. team at Merrymount Park on Saturday afternoon by a score of 16 to 1. Kolson allowed but five hits while Briggs for the visitors was very wild and was batted hard. The Merrymounts played a snappy game in the field. Hoxie led in stick work making four hits.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Merrymounts,	0	0	7	0	1	1	6	1	x	—16
Boston Y. M. C. A.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1

Two-base hits,—Hoxie, Kolson, Porter. Sacrifice hits,—Bennett. Struck out,—By Kolson, 10; by Briggs, 8. Bases on balls,—By Kolson, 1; by Briggs, 7. Passed balls,—By Leach, 1; by Lawton, 4. Wild pitches,—By Briggs. Umpire,—Cunningham.

The Quincy Point team added another victory to their list by defeating the Tremont Temple nine at Quincy, Saturday afternoon, by the score of 7 to 6. When the home team came to the bat in the fifth inning the score was five to nothing against them. Brown started off with a hit and the others followed suit, scoring four runs. In the ninth inning, with the score six to five, it looked as though there was no chance to win but a series of well placed hits brought in the necessary two runs.

The score by innings:

Quincy Point	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	2	—7
Tremont Temple	1	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	—6

The Cliffords of South Boston started in to do up the Bigelows, but the Quincy boys gave them only two runs after the first innings, and in the meantime helped themselves to 7, and won by the score of 7 to 5. Sullivan of the Bigelows struck out 16 men.

The score by innings:

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Bigelow,	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	1		—7
Clifford,	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	—5

Two-base hits,—P. Sullivan, Rogers. Base on balls,—Off Myers, 4; off R. Sullivan. Struck out,—By R. Sullivan, 16; by Myers, 6. Sacrifice hit, P. Sullivan. Hit by pitched ball, McCoubrey. Umpire Hayden. Time 1h 30m.

The Iroquois club was not in it a little bit with the Makaria boys on Saturday at Merrymount park, lower field. The latter won 18 to 3.

School League.

Both the Lincoln and Willard have won and lost a game this week in the school league and have dropped in percentage but are tied for first place. The Gridley Bryants and Washingtons have changed places, and also the John Hancocks and Massachusetts Field schools.

The standing of the clubs is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.

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Poetry.

The Vandals.

LUCY L. CABLE.

Down beyond the garden wall
They have cut down the maple-tree;
But they who cut it cannot know
The loss to you and me.

They think to build themselves a house
Where long our tree has stood—
Our tree that was a house of leaves,
Fairer than house of wood.

Will they see the wonderous sights we saw,
From their windows made of glass?
The winged clouds, the marching sun,
The shadow-ships that pass?

We saw the Spring come up the land,
The Autumn flags flung out;
We felt the South Wind kiss our hair,
And answered the West Wind's shout

Their house of woodwill higher be
Than our tree-house in the air;
Yet they will not live so near the sky,
Nor see what we saw there!

Notes and Comments.

—We respectfully call attention of friends and fellow-citizens in the state of Massachusetts to the fact that "the finest Negro church in the world" was dedicated in the city of Norfolk on Sunday. The church is within a stone's throw of the site of the Jamestown Exposition. It has a seating capacity of 2500 and cost $50,000. It would seem from this that the colored people of Virginia are not so sorely oppressed as some colored citizens of Massachusetts would have it appear.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

—Whether or not it is true that contentment is better than riches, they make a first-rate combination.

—The Pennsylvania railroad official who acknowledges the possession of $307,000 worth of coal mine stock, which he says cost him nothing, is certainly a fit subject for investigation. The stock may not have cost him anything, but the chances are that it cost the public a good deal.—Old Colony Memorial.

—Almost any woman can get employment for six months or so by advertising that she is an expert dressmaker, willing to go to the houses of customers for $1.50 a day.—Somerville Journal.

—The fourth assistant postmaster general has issued an order providing that after July 1 next, rural delivery carriers, when making their trips, shall visit an examine only those boxes for which they have mail for delivery, and those on which the signals are displayed to indicate that there is mail for despatch. Those patrons who are maintaining mail boxes on which there are no signals will be required to procure some sort of device which will serve as a signal to carriers. By this new arrangement it is expected that delivery and collection of mail along rural free delivery routes will be greatly facilitated.—Mansfield News.

No man is kept poor simply because he earns little. It is a large spending ability that prevents him from becoming well off. The small earner who is a small spender has a better chance to accumulate wealth than the high salaried man whose position necessitates his "keeping up" with the demands of society.—Randolph Register.

—San Francisco for the last few weeks has been absolutely free from disorder and virtually free from crimes of violence. There have been no street brawls. No drunken brute has beaten his wife. No gamblers have murdered each other in low resorts. Except for some dealings with sneak thieves the occupation of the police courts is gone. It is a most impressive object lesson of the value to society of the restriction of the liquor traffic—San Francisco Chronicle.

—A builder at Wadsworth, England, hanged himself the other day because he was too prosperous; he had more work than he could do. It seems absurd enough, yet there are many people who commit suicide for precisely the same reason, though not by hanging. Possibly that is an easier and pleasanter route than nervous break-down.

—The man who wrote an elaborate article showing how an automobile could be run a year for something like $300, ought to be told of Mr. E. H. Harriman's bill for repairs on his auto which he has just taken from the repair shop on a replevin writ. The bill for repairs was $1,797 and the railroad magnate thought it was too much. Harriman must have had a chauffeur.—Banker and Tradesman.

—According to the latest official reports the total insurance to be met at San Francisco will be in the vicinity of $113,000,000, with nearly $50,000,000 of this carried by foreign companies. In this connection it is pleasing to note that the contemplated raising of insurance rates over the country to make up for this great loss will probably be given up, owing to the great protest raised by those cities that have complied with all the requirements of the fire underwriters in order to secure low rates. The conditions at San Francisco were far from being what they should have been and the attention of property owners in that city has been often called to the fact by the insurance companies. Whether the city will now pay more heed to these suggestions remains to be seen, but in any case the rates of insurance should be made to fit the local conditions.—Old Colony Memorial.

—Hampton institute which was started thirty-eight years ago with fifteen negro students and the same number of Indian prisoners of war, now has 1383 names of both races on its rolls, and the value of its work is recognized throughout the country. In response to an inquiry as to which of the two races had shown the greater ability, an instructor at the institute gives the negro students the palm over their red brethren.—Milford Gazette.

—Another trust which ought to be attacked, is the rubber tire combination. An agreement has been made by the makers of tires by which any dealer who sells at less than the trust price, forfeits $5,000 or something like that sum. Isn't this sort of a thing an agreement in restraint of trade? Here is a chance for District Attorney Moran.—Banker and Tradesman.

—Marshall Field of Chicago, one of the greatest merchants of his day, said, "I would rather advertise in one newspaper reaching the homes, than forty sold on the street," The Patriot reaches more homes than any other paper published in Quincy, and has been known as the family paper of this town for the last fifty years.

Birthday Observed.

Chief Engineer A. L. Litchfield passed his fiftieth birthday May 25. The day as a whole had been uneventful. There had been no fire alarms, and the rain of the night before was a pretty sure indication that there would be no grass fires in the evening. The group of three bell alarms had been rung and answered, and there was nothing in view.

That is to say nothing as far as the Chief knew. There was a little undercarrent moving, however, of which he was made aware later. It was a little after 8 o'clock when the telephone bell in the Central fire station rang sharply. Was it for a fire? No. The words that came through the receiver were that the chief was wanted at home immediately and he was to bring Capt. Costa with him.

That was the peculiar part of the message but being a dutiful husband he obeyed the summons. When he entered his home he found something doing, for seated about, calmly burning his cigars, were a dozen of his friends who had gathered to help him remember that it was his birthday.

Formality was erased from the slate and general conversation indulged in until Mrs. Litchfield sent in another summons. This time it was to the dining room. The Chief occupied the seat of honor at the head of the table while President Walter E. Piper of the City Council faced him from the opposite end.

Between these there were District Engineers Frank C. Packard, Daniel J. Nyhan and George O'Brien, Capt. Charles P. Costa of the Central fire station, ex-Representative Harry S. Nichols, and others, with a few newspaper men who had received an underground summons.

The menu consisted of salads, cold meats, coffee, ices, and cake, the guests were served by Miss Litchfield and Miss Flowers.

After dinner, the young ladies entertained the party with some excellent instrumental music which was thoroughly enjoyed.

At such a gathering, time seems to be set on wings and a late hour is reached before one realizes it. So it was here, and it was with reluctance that at midnight it was realized that the time for parting had come.

The evening had been one of thorough enjoyment to all, and as they congratulated the Chief at their departure, he was told that they were only sorry that these birthdays did not come oftener.

Concert at Wollaston.

An exceptionally fine concert was given May 25 in Wollaston hall by ten members of the Fowler family, assisted by Miss Alice Williams, violinist; Mr. F. L. Beal, 'cellist; Rev. A. Edwin Clattenburg, tenor, and Madam Mowry of Malden, pianist. Miss Anna Musgrove, who was to have been director and pianist was unable to be present on account of sickness and her place was ably taken by Madam Mowry.

This was the second concert given by the Fowler Family and last year's success was repeated.

The soprano solos by Master Victor Fowler were very fine, the selection being well suited to his clear, high voice. The instrumental music added greatly to the success of the concert; the trio in D. major by Bohm was especially beautiful. The solos by Mrs. Bertha Fowler Coupal and Rev. Mr. Clattenburg received well merited applause.

The chorus work showed the effect of excellent training, and the concert as a whole reflected credit on all those who took part in it.

Quick Work.

The efficiency of Supt. Gleason and employes of the water department was shown Saturday when a break occurred in the sixteen-inch water main on Brook street, Wollaston. The break was in a T and was caused by lighting at 3 a. m.

Supt. Gleason was notified by telephone and in just thirty minutes he had a gang of men together and had the water shut off from the main.

When it is considered that all hands were in bed and that the men had to be aroused, dress, and harness horse and drive to the shut-off gates, it was done in remarkably quick time.

Lost Children.

The police were notified Saturday night that two children had been lost; Edward, the 9 year old son of John F. Desmond of 21 Quincy avenue, and James, the 10 year old son of Richard J. Gray of 38 Summer street. The boys were not missed until supper time. A search was immediately instituted and the police were notified to look out for them. The boys' parents searched all night, but were unable to locate them. Early Sunday morning, Willie Holt, a playmate of the missing boys, found them in a vacant house of John Newcomb, near the home of the Desmond boy. It seems that the boys had crawled in through a broken window to investigate, and had fallen asleep. They slept soundly all night.

Have You a Friend?

Then tell him about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Tell him how it cured your hard cough. Tell him why you always keep it in the house. Tell him to ask his doctor about it. Doctors use a great deal of it for throat and lung troubles.

"I had a terrible cold and cough and was threatened with pneumonia. I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and it gave me quick and perfect relief. It is certainly a most wonderful cough medicine."—RENA E. WHITMAN, Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.

Ayer's

One of Ayer's Pills at bedtime will hasten recovery. Gently laxative.

Memorial Sunday.

This year the Grand Army attended Memorial Sunday services at the Universalist church in the afternoon. Post 88 assembled at headquarters at 2 P. M. and marched to the church, where they were met by a large delegation of Paul Revere Relief Corps, and also the Ladies' Aid Society. At the entrance there were flags, and inside the church large and small flags were numerous. Over the platform was the word "Welcome," and on the platform were potted plants in bloom and flowers. There were also pictures of Lincoln, Grant and Washington.

The pastor, Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., took for his text, "I have fought a good fight"—Timothy II 4: 7, and for his subject "The Citizen-Soldier and the Soldier-Citizen."

He was glad to welcome the veterans of the Grand Army. Memoral day does not lose interest. It is a day of memory and reminiscenses, and should continue sacred with us.

At the outset, he said he did not believe in war, and prayed for the day when war would be done away with. Some of the wars of the past he considered justifiable,—the war of the Revolution and the Civil War. The latter was decreed almost from the birth of the nation. The North and South had strong differences which were bound to clash. Had the South been allowed to secede that would not have been the end. With two nations there would have been continual clash. Then neither could have been the great nation we are today.

At the outbreak of the Civil war the North had very few regular soldiers, and foreign countries expected the South to win, but the patriotism of the North became aroused, and won the victory. At the close of the war our citizen soldiers were the equal of the standing armies of Europe.

Some feared for our soldier citizens at the close of the war, but they came home, and took up the work of life with good spirit and grace.

Dr. Perkins had words of commendation for the women of the North. For their work for the comfort of the soldiers at the front; for the sacrifices and months of anxiety.

The Civil war united the country, and the veterans could sing the song of triumph, and be joyful at the progress of the country. May her sons ever be ready to watch her honor and glory.

Singing was a prominent part of the services, the chorus choir rendering "Onward, Christian Soldiers," "To Thee, O Country." "Now Pray We for Our Country," and "America." Mrs. Blanche C. Richardson also gave a beautiful solo, "O Rest in the Lord."

Quincy Yacht Club.

A reefing south-westerly breeze greeted the Quincy Yacht Club Saturday afternoon at its opening race of the season. All of the boats were under short canvas and even this was too much for some of them.

There were six starters. The Moondyne was late in getting across the line and was so badly handicapped that she did not even go over the course once. The race was an interesting one from the fact that there were two new boats sailing their first race. These were Commodore Crane's Cape cat Iris and Warren Arnold's Dolly.

Commodore Crane's boat proved to be a flyer although he did not let her out so that she could do her best. It was the first time he had sailed her and he wished to try her out gradually. It is safe to say, from Saturday's exhibition, that she will be a prize winner.

The race started at 2.30. The Hustler got the gun and crossed first with the Iris on her weather side. Then came the Josephine and Dolly well bunched and the Marvel in the rear. It was a hard luck day for the Marvel. She carried away her jib club at the start, and then when off the Weymouth shore she filled her cock pit with water. After being bailed out she sailed over the course so as to get her percentage.

The Hustler held the lead for a time, then the Iris began to draw up on her and then passed her like a race horse. At the turn the first time around the Iris crossed with a lead of fifty seconds over the Hustler. On the second round she increased this a little and got the gun at the finish with a lead of 1 minute 2 seconds. She lost the race to the Hustler however, on time allowance.

The judges were G. S. Morse, T. E. Furnald, W. C. Sampson, J. J. Disey and John O. Hall. The summary:

Name a owner.	Actual Time.	Corrected Time.
Hustler, H. W. Robbins,	1 20 30	56 43
Iris, F. F. Crane,	1 19 28	57 42
Dolly, Warren Arnold,	1 23 39	Not measured.
Josephine, F. H. Smith,	1 24 13	1 01 22
Marvel, Ira Whittemore,	2 03 25	1 40 11
Moondyne, W. H. Shaw,	Withdrew.	

Wollaston Yacht Club.

The yachting season in Quincy bay was opened Saturday afternoon, when ten yachts entered the race of the Wollaston Yacht club, all sailing in one handicap class. A stiff wind prevailed which put all the boats to a severe test, and proved too much for four.

Interest entered in two new boats, the Edith S. and the Swastika, built on the same lines. Both weathered the breeze and made a good showing. The struggle between them was closer than the summary shows as Skipper Murray lost time in shaking out a reef.

The IXL broke her tiller and did well to get back to the club float. The Shieler and Mildred were also disabled and the Pewee withdrew.

The Harold finished first with a good lead and the other prizes were taken by the Stranger, West Wind and Edith S.

The summary:

Name and owner.	Actual Time. h. m. s.	Cor'cted Time. h. m. s.
Harolde, A. B. Robbins	1 24 52	1 04 21
Stranger, Dr. F. E. Dawes	1 31 33	1 09 06
West Wind, W. M. Chase	1 43 00	1 11 34
Edith S., J. L. Smith	1 41 10	1 12 27
Swastika, G. H. Murray	1 49 57	1 20 40
Marguerite, F. J. Gross	1 40 30	1 21 32
Mildred, W. H. Nichols,	disabled	
Shieler, L. Hewitson,	disabled	
IXL, Lowell Baker,	disabled	
Pewee, W. F. Reynold,	withdrawn	

Opened for Season.

The Pavilion at the foot of Great Hill, Houghs Neck, opened Saturday afternoon for its fifth season under the management of William Norteman. The opening this season as in other years was signalized by Mr. Norteman by entertaining a party of friends at a shore dinner. Several city officials and others were the guests.

Dinner over Fred Bowers of Brighton was introduced as toastmaster, brief remarks were made by Commissioner Burke, President Piper, Chief Litchfield, Representative Sandberg, Commodore Crane, Alderman Bullivant of Brockton and Mr. Blake, manager of the Union Glass Works of Somerville.

An adjournment was then made to the hall of the Yacht clubhouse, where the guests were entertained with violin solos by Master Robert Gunderson, who although but ten years of age is a complete master of the violin. There were also piano solos by Miss Norteman.

Extravagances of Our Cities.

The situation in Cambridge is much the same as in most cities, and Quincy is no exception. A special committee of the Good Government League has reported at length relative to Cambridge finances.

"To sum up the results of this investigation," says the report, "the bonded indebtedness of the city is already too large and bids fair to be much larger in the future. Current expenses are also too large; in fact, they now exhaust the entire fund which may be lawfully applied to current expenses; and the rate of taxation is too great, also. It is impossible for the city to continue at its present rate of expenditure for any length of time under existing conditions, and within the next few years it must adopt one of the three following courses:

"A. Increase valuations.

"B. Procure the passage of a legislative act increasing the proportion of the tax levy which may lawfully be applied to current expenses; or

"C. Adopt a policy of the most rigid economy.

"As to course A, we believe there is no body of our citizens rash enough to suggest as a remedy an increase in valuations in view of the universal complaint of the already excessive valuation placed upon real estate.

"As to B, the result of removing the $12 per $1000 limitation for current expenses would be to give the City Council a free rein to spend what it pleases and to raise the necessary funds through the tax levy. This would inevitably lead to an increase in the rate of taxation, already too high, and is inadvisable for that reason, if for no other.

"The only course open, then, is the course of economy. This is possible and practicable, but it can only be accomplished by electing to the City Council men pledged to economy, who will cut out all unnecessary expenditure, scrutinize with the greatest care any increase in bonded indebtedness, and see to it that the tax rate is reduced a fraction each year until it has reached a more reasonable basis."

Death of Miss Turner.

The death of Miss Turner brings to mind two young women who volunteered to go to the front as army nurses in the sixties. These were Miss Mary Jane Turner and Miss Jane Trask. Lately Miss Turner said to Mrs. Faxon, who is compiling the record of all the Quincy doctors, "leave out any mention of me, beyond my name, in connection with the work of some Quincy surgeons in those days, but please mention Miss Trask who is dead."

The little home which is surmounted by the telescope that sweeps our northern heavens, has lost a good ministering spirit and all who had the privilege of knowing this cultivated lady, will miss her.

In Mr. E. H. Dawson's valuable "History of Hancock Street" we read that her father, Mr. Elisha Turner, built the house occupied by the Quincy Stone bank, later the National Granite bank, and now a part of the group of business places in the Hancock House block.

A Nurse's Home.

The people of Quincy who are interested in building a nurse's home in connection with our Hospital will be interested in the dedicatory exercises soon to take place in South Framingham, Mass., when the new nurse's home there will be formally presented to the Framingham Hospital. It is the gift of the Day Brothers, of R. L. Day & Co., Boston. The land on which the building is located adjoins the Hospital grounds and is connected with the Hospital by a long corridor. It is of brick, of most attractive architecture, conveniently and comfortably arranged in every particular. Besides the accommodations for the forty nurses there are receptions rooms and library for their personal use. The cost of the building and furnishings will be more than fifty thousand dollars. The land was given by Miss Merriam, who has given also a charming house and grounds at South Framingham to the Fresh Air fund of Boston.

Quincy Hospital is sadly in need of a nurse's home, has already a small sum for that purpose. Is it not possible now that the Hospital is free from debt to turn the attention to the comfort of the staff of nurse's who give their best to their work. A convenient cottage on the Hospital grounds would give them the privacy and rest which would mean so much to them.

Quincy Historical Society.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Historical society was held Saturday afternoon at the John and Abigail Adams cottage on Franklin street. Brooks Adams presided and there was a good attendance of members.

These officers were elected:

President, —Brooks Adams.

Vice-president, —Fred B. Rice.

Treasurer, —James L. Edwards.

Secretary, —Mrs. W. E. Alden.

Librarian, —Houghton H. Schumacher.

Curators, Brooks Adams, George W. Morton, W. G. Pattee, Fred B. Rice, Emery L. Crane, Rev. Edwin N. Hardy.

The membership of the society now numbers one hundred.

A social hour followed the meeting.

May Party.

The annual May party of the St. Mary's church was held May 25th at St. Mary's hall, and was very largely attended.

During the first part of the evening there was a pleasing entertainment by the Sunday school, consisting of May pole and flower dances, singing, etc., under the direction of Miss Emma E. Ecker. After the entertainment general dancing was in order until 2 o'clock. During the evening refreshments were served in the lower hall by the ladies charitable society.

Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Alexander Falconer to Benjamin J. Langhorne.

Benjamin J. Langhorne to Robert Mitchell.

Pamela Degarden to Alphonsine Saltalamschia.

Moses Andrews to Edgar H. Andrews.

Charles C. Barton et al trs to Elias Stanger.

George W. Hopkins et al trs to George J Geary.

Thomas P. Kapples to Patrick Carey, $1,000

Mabel M. Hargraves et al trs to Lyndon E Besse.

Lyndon E. Besse to Hattie H. Wagner

Mattie E. Kilpatrick to George K. Tudhope.

John W. Chisholm est to Harlow H. Rogers $27.

Patrick McDonnell by tr to Winifred F. Garbarino et al.

Charles Duff to Edmund K. Baker, $52.

Winifred F. Garbarino et al to Guiseppe Sforza.

William F. Parker to Annette B. Bowman.

Margaret F. McDonnell to John Angelo.

Edmund A. Spence et ux to Jessie W. McEwan.

Fannie E. Emery to Frank K. Linscott.

Harlow H. Rogers to Frederick E. Betts.

Hannah F. Dinnegan to Henry F. Corbett.

Thirty-seven Years Old.

In June 1889 at the twentieth anniversary of Paul Revere Post the late William W. Penniman, one of the charter members delivered a brief history of the Post. With a few changes, making it applicable today the address was as follows:

Well do I remember the preliminary meetings that were held in 1869, for the purpose of forming a post of the Grand Army in Quincy. At that time but little was known of the objects and purposes of the Grand Army of the Republic. Fifteen of the soldiers of the late war signed their names and petitioned for a charter, and on the fourth day of June, 1869, a charter was granted and signed by the department officers, creating Paul Revere Post No. 88, Grand Army of the Republic, in the department of Massachusetts.

The following are the names of the charter members: William G. Sheen, Charles H. Porter, W. H. H. Rideout, W. W. Penniman, Warren W. Adams, John W. Moore, James W. Pierce, William H. Follett, H. B. Brown, Charles A. Follett, Henry Lunt, Daniel F. French, W. G. Spellman, John A. Pratt and Warren Dunbar.

On the 8th of June, the first meeting was held for the purpose of electing officers and transacting business. The meeting was held in the same hall that is now occupied by them, and W. G. Sheen was elected the first commander. As he was obliged to go away on business, he occupied the chair for three meetings, and the senior vice commander, Charles H. Porter, occupied the chair for the remainder of the term, and was elected commander for the ensuing term. He was in reality the first commander, and the first Mayor of the city of Quincy.

In the fall of 1870, the first G. A. R. fair was held in the Town hall, and was a grand success. The fair was held for the purpose of creating a charity fund, to assist the comrades in sickness and distress; and the citizens of Quincy responded with that Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty, that gave us over $1200.

In April, 1871, the friends of the Post, surprised them at their meeting, and presented them with a beautiful silk banner. The Post continued to prosper, new members were taken at nearly every meeting until 1873, when the famous bazaar was held in Revere hall, afterward the Court Room; and which was then leased by the Post.

The bazaar came near being the ruination of the Grand Army. From that time we began to lose our members until 1874, when it was almost impossible to get members enough to hold a meeting; finally a committee was appointed to talk the subject over, and see if it would not be best to give up the charter. The committee held a meeting and decided to recommend that we retain the charter and endeavor by all honorable means to build up the Post. A small hall at the corner of Hancock and Granite street was procured, and the members took hold with a will, and from that time we began to prosper, and the old members were being reinstated.

In the first few years on Memorial Day the ladies sent potted plants and flowers to decorate the graves of our fallen comrades. In November, 1875, a rousing camp fire was held in the Town hall, which was a grand success; and in 1876, an old fashioned clam bake was held at Quincy woods, and the department officers were present.

In September, 1877, the Post attended and took part in G. A. R. parade in Boston, at the dedication of the soldiers' monument. In the same year we leased Franklin hall, at the corner of School and Franklin streets and in 1878 leased the hall on Hancock street which they now occupy.

In the fall of 1878, Paul Revere Ladies' Relief Corps, No. 12, was formed; and in Febuary, 1879, they surprised the members of the Post at their meeting, and presented them with a full set of dishes, which were gratefully accepted.

In January 1880, another rousing camp fire was held in the Town hall, and in May, the Relief Corps received its charter and invited the members of the Post to a banquet, which was accepted. In December of the same year, the Relief Corps gave up its charter. In 1882, a levee was held in the Town hall, in the interest of the Soldiers' Home at Chelsea, and the sum of $177.43 was paid to the Treasurer of the Home.

In 1885, a camp of the Sons of Veterns was formed and the same year the Post attended the National Encampment at Portland, Maine; and also attended the G. A. R. memorial services, which were held in the Mechanics Building in Boston.

The Post have held many fairs and entertainments of different kinds for the purpose of replenishing its Charity Fund, and the citizens of Quincy have always responded nobly to the calls for assistance. During the first ten years from 1869 to 1879, about one thousand dollar was expended for charity.

During those years, the calls for charity were not what they are now. As the years roll by and the soldiers are growing older, the calls for assistance become more frequent, and from 1884 to 1889, nearly three thousand dollars have been expended for charity.

In 1888, Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps, No. 103, was formed, and today it is in a prosperous condition. It has been of great assistance to the Grand Army.

The commanders of the Post have been: W. G. Sheen, C. H. Porter, J. P. Jordan, William Emerson, S. B. Turner, J. A. Pratt, Col. F. W. Parker, I. M. Holt, W. P. Martin, F. P. Loud, H. O. Souther, Charles A. Follett, John A. Pratt, John D. Williams, William Warner and John W. Hersey.

Commander Warner was a popular officer and held the honored position as head of the Post for a number of years. During the latter years however his health prevented his usual active interest and since last Memorial Day he has passed away and joined the great majority.

That Grand Army of '61-'65 is fast disappearing and in a few years at the most, their sacred duty on Memorial day will be performed by kindred organizations such as the Sons of Veterans and the Spanish War Veterans.

Commencement Week.

Commencement week at the Quincy Mansion school will begin Sunday, June 10, when Rev. George Hodges, D. D., will preach before the graduating class at 4.30. On Monday evening at 8 o'clock there will be a concert by Mr. William Howard, violinist, and Mr. S. Newton Cutler, pianist. The Class Day exercises will come on Tuesday at 8 P. M., and on Wednesday at 8 P. M. there will be a concert by pupils in the music department. The graduating exercises will take place on Thursday at 2.15 P. M.

At 7 P. M. comes the alumnae reception to the class of 1906, and from 8 to 10 P. M. the principal's reception.

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Express Bill.

The most important temperance legislation of the Legislature this year, was the passage of the "pony express" bill which became a law this week receiving the signature of Gov. Guild. The pen with which the Governor signed the bill will be given to Miss Eva Brown of this city, the manager of the Faxon Temperance Bureau, who conducted an able, symtematic and aggressive campaign. The bill had the support of the officials in most of the No-License cities and towns, particularly about Boston.

It will be seen that all expresses transporting liquors must be licensed by the Mayor and City Council, and any violation of the law will render the license void. A heavy penalty is also imposed.

The bill reads as follows:

Section 3. All permits issued pursuant to this act shall be signed by the licensing board, shall be recorded by the city or town clerk before becoming operative, and shall remain in force unless forfeited until the first day of May next succeeding the date upon which they are granted, and said clerk shall collect a fee of one dollar for such recording.

Section 4. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than five hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not less than one month or more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and any violation of the laws relative to the transportation of intoxicating liquors, by a person holding a permit granted under authority hereof, shall render such permit void. [Approved May 25, 1906.]

An Act to provide for the registration of carriers of intoxicating liquors to or in cities and towns which do not grant licenses of the first five classes.

Section 1. No person or corporation, except a railroad or street railway corporation, shall for hire or reward transport spirituous or intoxicating liquors into or in a city or town in which licenses of the first five classes for the sale of intoxicating liquors are not granted, without first being granted a permit so to do as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. The mayor and aldermen in cities and the selectmen in towns in which said licenses of the first five classes are not granted shall annually grant and issue one or more permits under the provisions of this act, and every such permit shall specify the the residence by street and number (if any) of the holder, and shall be subject to all laws now or hereafter in force relative to the transportation of such liquors.

Awarded a Prize.

Houghs Neck has long been known as an enjoyable seaside resort at which one may enjoy the summer or a few weeks. Mrs. J. D. Thayer of Brockton not only enjoyed a vacation there, but she told of it so interestingly that the Boston Herald award her a prize. She writes:

Having found an inexpensive cottage not far from Quincy shore, my next door neighbor with her only child, and I with my twin girls, arranged to go to the shore together and for one brief week live in "the open" as much as possible.

We are all working people, husbands and wives—the males the bread winners the females the home-makers and the home-keepers. We all felt the need of a change of air and of scene, but the men could not get out of the ruts of daily toil. The women went, nevertheless and the men got there before the week was over.

We found our cottage in good order, a chowder warmed up for us, and a low fire in the stove, but the occupants had left just before our arrival. That chowder compliment was graciously received for it filled a keenly felt want, and I for one think it was a fine illustration of the golden rule.

We soon forgot all of our perplexing home cares, and kept house when we must have something to eat immediately. We truly lived the simple life, in the way of food and dress. Mother Nature furnished us with a week of sunshine, and we had August weather and moreover a cottage by the sea, but we were out of doors most of the time getting acquainted with our surroundings, our children and ourselves.

The Sunday dinner was the only elaborate meal we indulged in, and that was not very expensive.

The men came for their bit of an outing, so we women gave them a good reception, and plenty to eat, and we were all happy together.

It was a week of enjoyment; it was a quiet, calm, peaceful week; it was an uplift to body and soul. Of course the beds were hard, but we rested; of course the children were occasionally tired and cross, but the next morning they were good as new; of course we should not want to give up our comfortable, orderly homes for this rough life, but contrasts are beneficial.

Time passed quickly, our week was up and we went home, invigorated, renewed, satisfied. We were ready and willing to take up routine work with a little more inspiration and courage. Now it is a pleasant memory—the children have grown—and are good and strong but the other mother, by companion for a week, is with us no more; she helped to make our week by the sea peaceful and happy.

Memorial Day Exercises.

Memorial Day exercises were held at 9 o'clock Tuesday at High school hall. The school was fortunate this year in securing as a speaker Rear Admiral George F. F. Wilde who spoke interestingly.

The program which was interspersed with music was as follows:

"The People always conquer," Edward Everett, Harold S. Tuck; "The Name of Old Glory," James Whitcomb Riley, Blanche Morrison; "Beyond the Hills," Nesbit, Harry E. Glover; "Extras," Richard Burton, Ella F. Packard; Introductory remarks, Hon. Charles H. Porter; Talk, Rear Admiral George F. F. Wildes; Song "America" by School.

Although no member of the Grand Army was assigned to the Woodward Institute appropriate exercises were held Tuesday morning under the direction of Principal Plummer. The exercises which were brief, were of a patriotic nature and consisted of singing and a brief address by Mr. Plummer.

Exercises were also held at the grammar school buildings.

Superior Court.

Bernard Moore of Randolph recovered a verdict of $2,650 in his suit against the Old Colony street railway tried in the Norfolk Superior court on Monday. He sued for $15,000 for injuries received from derailment of an electric car at Randolph in 1905.

The cases of Margaret T. Nagle and William D. Nagle vs. Charles Granville Way, to recover $10,000 for injuries from fall on ice near defendant's house is on trial.

The court adjourned today until Friday, that Judges might attend the funeral of Judge Maynard.

Household Receipts.

Cream Cheese Sandwich. Spread thin slices of buttered bread with cream cheese sugared instead of salted. These are particularly appetising if served with strawberries.

Lady Fingers. Cream together one cupful of sugar and one-half cupful of butter, add one well-beaten egg, one-quarter of a cupful of sweet milk, one pint of flour, one teaspoonful of cream of tartar, one half teaspoonful of soda and one teaspoonful of vanilla. Cut in finger strips, roll in sugar and bake in a quick oven.

Pineapple Filling for Layer Cake. Pare a small pineapple, chop very fine, and sprinkle with sugar. Let stand about four hours, then drain off the juice. Whisk the whites of two eggs to a very stiff froth with one small cupful of sugar, and add one cupful of the chopped pineapple. Place between the layers of the cake. For the frosting take one-half cupful of the juice drained from the pineapple and stir in one cupful of icing sugar.

White Mountain Cake. Cream half a pound of butter, add one pound of fine white sugar, six eggs, the whites and yolks beaten separately till very light. Add flavoring to taste, and then stir in, alternately, one cupful of sweet milk and one pound of flour in which three teaspoonfuls of baking powder has been well mixed. Beat very hard at the last and bake in jelly tins, or in a single loaf as preferred.

Children's Desert.—Cook one-half cup of rice, one half cup of seeded raisins and four cups of milk in a double boiler for one and one-half hours. Add the beaten yolks of three eggs, one cup of sugar and lemon flavoring. Turn into a buttered baking dish and set in the oven until the custard part is firm. Cover with a meringue made with the whites of the eggs and sugar, brown slightly and serve cold.

June Magazines.

William Marion Raedy's brilliant review of San Francisco's past, so rich with gaiety and genius, is the principal feature of the National Magazine for June. Myrtle Garrison writes of "The Ruins of Stanford" (with pictures), and Frank Putnam of "Loss and Gain at San Francisco." Joe Mitchell Chapple's "Affairs at Washington" is, as usual, a breezy budget of personal chat, freely illustrated. There are fiction stories. The Home department is running over with timely hints and suggestions for housekeepars.

Anecdotes.

He was an earnest minister; and one Sunday, in the course of a sermon on the significance of little things, he said: "The Hand which made the mighty heavens made a grain of sand, which made the lofty mountains made a drop of water, which made you made the grass of the field, which made me made a daisy!"

This is told of a Philadelphian whose mother-in-law was alarmingly ill. One night the physician shook his head and said impressively:

"She has got to go to a hot climate. Mind, I don't mean a warm place, but a hot one."

The son-in-law disappeared, but soon emerged from the cellar carrying an axe. Handing it to the doctor, he exclaimed:

"Here, you do it! I can't!"—Lippincott's.

The Simmons baby had been through a siege of chicken-pox, and when the minister's wife met little Annie Simmons she naturally inquired how the baby was getting on.

"He's some better," said Annie, who was a shy and non-committal young person of eight.

"Very much better, I hope," said the minister's wife, cheerfully.

"He couldn't be so very much better," said Annie, "'cause he's too little."—Youth's Companion.

Hopeful—"Pop, I've been joining a new militia company the boys have just organized."

Pop—"Have, eh?"

Hopeful—"Yes, sir, and I've got to have some money to buy a fatigue uniform for drilling purposes."

Pop—"A fatigue uniform, you say?"

Hopeful—"Yes, pop."

Pop—"Well, that's the last thing you are in need of; your fatigue is uniform enough as it is."

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Castle Square Theatre.

In answer to many requests from music lovers the Castle Square Theatre will remain open during the summer as the home of light opera productions. A new company modelled on the famous Castle Square Opera Company has been engaged, and with J. K. Murray, Clara Lane, and other well known singers at its head, it will perform from week to week a series of popular standard operas. The opening bill next Monday will be "The Mikado," the famous Gilbert and Sullivan classic that will then have its first performance here in several seasons.

Empire Theatre.

Next week the attraction at the Empire Theatre will be the laughable farce comedy by C. H. Hawtrey, "The Private Secretary" made famous a few years ago by William Gillette. The title part in the hands of Mr. John Craig should be as amusing as it was when created by Mr. Gillette and its revival will be a welcome event both to those familiar with its whimsical nonsense and those to whom it is a novelty.

The coming production of Shakespeare's comedy, "Midsummer Night's Dream" by the Empire Stock company is already a subject much discussed in amusement circles and large parties are being organized to attend its performances. It is gratifying to know that the graduates of the public schools are among those planning a visit to the Empire to see this production as a part of the festivities incidental to the close of their school term.

Tremont Theatre.

Henry W. Savage has scorced another positive success at the Tremont Theatre, Boston, where last Wednesday afternoon he presented Harry Bulger for an all summer engagement in the new musical fantasy, "The Man From Now," by John Kendrick Bangs, Vincent Bryan and Manuel Klein. Monday will usher in the second week of the engagement, which gives promise of being one of the most satisfactory in the history of the Tremont Theatre. Mr. Bulger, who is elevated to stellar honors in this play, has been exceedingly well fitted with a part by Messrs. Klein, Bangs and Bryan, and his success is one of the most telling personal triumphs any comedian has enjoyed in Boston for many seasons. The remaining portion of the cast including Helen Hale, Walter Lawrence, Frances Demerest and many others scored strongly.

Greater Paragon Park.

Greater Paragon Park—and it will be "greater" in fact as well as in name—will begin its second season at Nantasket Beach on Saturday, June 16th. Greater Paragon Park for 1906 will bear the same relation to Paragon Park of 1905 that an electric light does to a tallow candle. Last season it was the greatest amusement park New England had ever seen, yet withal it had its faults as every amusement park will during the first year of its existence. In greater Paragon Park these faults have all been overcome and New Englanders will see this year, not only a greater park than ever before but the most absolutely perfect amusement resort in the world.

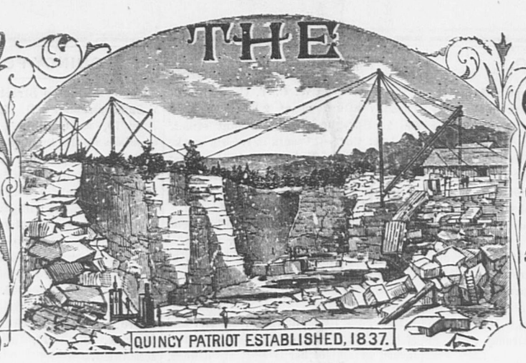
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Available Assets - - - -	1,151,960.24
Total Liabilities - - - -	338,543.29
Cash Surplus - - - -	168,885.55
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - -	7,408.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	103,055.43
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Nor in the song of woman heard,
But in the darkest, meanest things
There alway, alway, something sings.

'Tis not in the high stars alone,
Nor in the cups of budding flowers,
Nor in the redbreast's mellow tone,
Nor in the bow that smiles in showers,
But in the mud and scum of things
There alway, alway something sings.

Miscellany.

THE VEILED PROPHET.

"Where's your mother?" asked Uncle Peleg's wife, sitting down by the kitchen window and fanning herself violently with her apron. She was always called "Uncle Peleg's wife" because Uncle Peleg had taken to marriage quite late in the day, and the neighborhood used the title unswervingly to perpetuate its wonder.

Alma stood by the table, delicately weighing a quantity of flour. She was a tall girl, with clear blue eyes and a skin the color of apple-blooms.

Now she seemed to be absorbed in some serious occupation of deep significance. She laughed absently, yet with a flowing ripple of fun.

"It seems ridiculous," she said, "but mother's had to go to the Corners after nutmeg. I never heard of a house that really got out of nutmeg, did you?"

"Can't make weddin'-cake without it," returned Uncle Peleg's wife, wisely. "But that's a real setback, ain't it? I come over expectin' to find the house smellin' like Solomon's gardin. 'They'll be up afore light,' I says, 'to begin.' How many loaves you goin' to make?"

"Six, I guess," said Alma. "There's mother now."

The old farm wagon rattled up to the side door, Mrs. Ballou sitting very straight and holding her hands well forward on the reins. She was a little, spare woman in black, and her mourning veil extinguished her. Alma hurried out on the porch, and Amos came lounging from the barn to take the horse.

"Where's the bundles, mother?" asked Alma, searching in the back of the wagon. "You don't seem to have any."

Mrs. Ballou alighted with a languor unlike her old brisk wont, and Alma, puzzled and concerned, followed her into the kitchen. There Uncle Peleg's wife saluted the newcomer.

"The land, Lyddy Ann Ballou! What under the sun makes you wear that thick veil over your face this hot weather? For my part, I can't git air enough."

Mrs. Ballou made no answer. She walked through the kitchen to her own bedroom, and there proceeded to lay off her things. A strange hush and apprehension attended upon the moment. Alma and Uncle Peleg's wife looked at each other in troubled questioning. But presently Mrs. Ballou came out, tying her apron on over a workaday calico, and by one accord their glances sought her face.

"Where's the nutmeg, mother?" asked Alma, with an assumed vivacity.

Mrs. Ballou had gone to the sink and begun to peel the potatoes waiting there for dinner.

"I forgot 'em," she said, quietly.

"Forget 'em? Why, that's the very thing you went for!"

"Maybe I did," returned her mother, with the same air of wilful gloom. "It don't make no difference. You won't need 'em yet a while. Alma, you clear them raisins an' things off the table."

"Why, mother, don't you mean to make the cake?"

"Don't you set your heart on cake, Alma," said her mother, still in the high voice of one who cherishes affliction. "There's nothin' here below, but what's fleetin' an' transitory. No, we ain't goin' to make weddin'-cake today. Don't you say one word. You'll be glad some time, Alma, to think you give up to your mother, an' give up willin'ly."

"What under the sun—" began Alma; but as she questioned, her face took on a quick alarm. "Why, mother, you've been crying!" and she ran over to the sink to put cherishing hands upon the woman's thin shoulders, heaving now under their calico.

Mrs. Ballou gave way then to bitter sobs. Alma was beside herself. Her mother, a wisp of humanity who seemed to have the strength of ten more muscular women, was not to be recognized under this access of feeling. She looked at Uncle Peleg's wife for comfort, and that lady sank into her chair and stared back in amazement. The only remark she found to offer had a commonplace irrelevance.

"You might wash your face, Lyddy Ann," said she. "Some o' the black's rubbed off your veil."

But Mrs. Ballou had now gained a temporary control of herself. She wiped her eyes on the roller-towel and faced Alma in sorrowful determination. "You better clear off that table, Alma," she said again. "There won't be no weddin'-cake made here at present, an' there won't be no weddin' for quite a spell. It's better so. You heed what I say."

Alma turned so suddenly white that Uncle Peleg's wife rose to her feet, and tremulously brought a dipper of water from the sink. But Alma put her aside with a firm hand, unconsciously dramatic.

"Mother," said she, "has anything happened to Jake?"

"No," said Mrs. Ballou, beginning to set away the spices. "I see him drivin' by when I was waitin' for the mail."

"You've heard something, mother. You've heard something you won't tell me." The girl's mouth froze into a beautiful defiance. "If it's about Jake, it's not true. I tell you that now. It's not true."

"It ain't about Jake." Suddenly Mrs. Ballou put her hand to her heart. "You finish clearin' these away, Alma," she said, faintly. "Then you git the dinner, an' you an' Amos set down together. I'm goin' to rest me a spell." She disappeared in her bedroom, while Uncle Peleg's wife and Alma looked at each other from an unbelieving maze.

"You s'pose she's sick?" asked Uncle Peleg's wife, in a portentous whisper.

"I don't know," returned Alma, knitting her pretty brows. "I'm worried to death."

All that day Mrs. Ballou kept her bed, speaking, but little and eating nothing at all. The next morning she was up and about, but she wore a saddened face. Alma stopped before her, as they did the work together, with the irrepressible query, "Mother, what is it? If you're sick you ought to tell me."

"No, Alma," said Mrs. Ballou, solemnly, "I ain't sick—yet."

"Then what do you mean, mother? You say the wedding can't come off, and you won't start in on the cake. Mother, if anything's going to happen to you I never shall bear it in the world."

"You're a good girl, Alma," said her mother, heavily. "You've always been an obedient child. Don't you forget your mother said so."

But she would add no more, and gloom settled daily upon the house. Amos fell under its spell, and instead of flying from one thing to another according to custom, filling the air with merry whistlings, he sat in the kitchen, his chair tipped against the wall, watching his mother with an anxious frown.

Jake came driving into the yard in his shiny buggy, but the visits had a spectral character he could ill define. The joys of courting-time were over. Mrs. Ballou, instead of greeting him according to her hearty wont, with a smile and joke, watched him and Alma from a benevolence clouded over with gloom.

"What under the canopy's the matter with your mother?" he asked Alma, as she had asked herself, in futile questioning.

"I don't know," she said. Her face was losing its young happiness.

"This can't go on!" put in Jake, decisively, with the emphasis given a fruitless declaration in the hope of making it less vain. "Why, we're goin' to be married in less'n six weeks!"

Two tears came into the girl's eyes and clogged her lashes.

"We can't be married, Jake," she, said, looking into her lover's eyes in a sad certainty.

"Can't be married? Alma Ballou, you don't mean to tell me you'd break with me to please your mother when she won't give reasons?

Her face took on an added shade of grief.

"I'm sorry, Jake," said she, "but I can't go against mother when she's like this. It's wearing me out, Jake. It's killing me. But I can't."

Jake turned away from her and strode out into the orchard, where Mrs. Ballou was sprinkling linen sheets laid out to whiten. She had pushed back her sunbonnet, and her drawn face filled him with dismay. He took the wateringpot out of her hand and faced her bluffly.

"Now see here, Mother Ballou," said he, "one way or another this has got to end. There's somethin' on your mind. It's wearing you out. You're pretty well worn out already. So is Alma. Amos is skin and bone, and I'm gettin' so I can't eat nor sleep. Now, Mother Ballou, you out with it!"

She stood before him, a little woman of undaunted resolution. Her thin lips quivered, but her voice was firm.

"You give me back that waterin'-pot, Jake," she said, quietly. "I'm cleanin' house to-day. I've got consid'able to do."

He broke into a kindly bluster.

"I should think you were crazy," he said. "I ain't told mother a word, but she said so herself, out o' whole cloth. She says you're cleanin' house right on top o' spring cleanin', and bleachin' out sheets that ain't seen the sun for years."

"I'm settin' my house in order," said Mrs. Ballou, solemnly. "There, Jacob, you give me that waterin'-pot. I ain't got any too much time."

It was impossible to withstand that gentle dignity, and to call him Jacob melted him indeed. That touch of ceremony turned the moment into an occasion the more serious in that it was not to be understood. He walked thoughtfully back to the shed, where he had left his horse, and there Alma came to him. Her face wore the perplexity that had grown habitual to it.

"Did she say anything?" asked Alma, anxiously.

"I know consid'able less'n I did before," asserted Jake. "Seems as if everybody was bewitched." Then the trouble of her face pulled at his heart, and he concluded, "Well, Alma, whatever 'tis, 'twon't come between you and me."

"No," said Alma, softly, as if it were a vow, "but we've got to stand by mother." And there in the open day they kissed each other in a new trothplight.

But when Jake had driven out of the yard he wondered at himself for allowing Mother Ballou to stave him off so easily. There she was now, through the orchard green, an obstinate little figure, still sprinkling her linen. He stopped his horse, jumped out and tied him to a pair of bars. Then he leaped the wall and strode over to the linen-yard. Mrs. Ballou started as his shadow fell upon a sheet. He gave himself no time for softer impulses.

"Mother Ballou," said he, the more arrogantly that he doubted his own nerve, "this kind of thing has got to end! Now I give you three days, Mother Ballou, three days! At the end of that time you've got to tell what's on your mind. You needn't tell me. You can tell Alma. But tell you must."

She looked deprecatingly up at him, and answered with a touching gentleness:

"Very well, Jacob. But don't you say three days. I'd ought to have a week."

He strove to hold his threatening mood.

"Very well, then," said he, "a week Saturday night," and he walked away, a miserable man, remembering her face.

That week Mrs. Ballou worked, as Uncle Peleg's wife said, as if she were possessed. She had cleaned her house from attic to cellar. Her blankets were washed and her tins scoured. But the linen sheets were obstinate in bleaching, and one morning, when she was about to embark on a persuasive sprinkling, Uncle Peleg's wife appeared at a lumbering trot.

"What do you think, Lyddy Ann Ballou?" she cried, huskily. "If some thief ain't been into the orchard an' stole all your linen sheets!"

"You don't!" cried Mrs. Ballou, in sharp response. She hurried to the window and peered out at the orchard ground. Uncle Peleg's wife was full of her news.

"It's truth an' fact," she asserted, "an' I believe I viewed the last on't. I got up early this mornin' to churn, an' when I went out to draw a pail o' water, what should I see, but a kind of a pedler's cart down under the shade o' the old elm. One man was settin' on it, holdin' the horse, and 'twa'n't a minute afore another come runnin' with a great bundle o' white goods as big as a haycock. He clipped it in behind somewhere, an' they drove off. An' while I was ponderin' over it, I happened to cast my eye into your orchard, an' I see your sheets was gone. Then it all come over me, an' I says, 'Them sheets are in that wagon.' I started out to run over here, an' that minute Jake come drivin' by, an' I told him the whole story, an' he cut along after the cart. There!"

Mrs. Ballou sat with her hands folded in her lap. She was not a meek woman by nature, and her look of resignation was the more alarming.

"Well, Alma," said she, "I hoped you'd have the use o' them sheets. They were spun by Great-gra'mother Blayne. But what must be, must."

"Don't you worry, mother," said Alma, tenderly. "Jake'll get 'em back."

"That's as it may be," said her mother. "My mind ain't set on linen sheets."

Two days went by, and Jake had not appeared. Yet even Alma failed to miss him, the sense of omen was so black upon her. Whatever her mother dreaded was approaching fast. She felt it in the air. On Saturday the house wore so rigid a decorum that she longed wildly to upset its order, and so break the spell. Mrs. Ballou, clothed in her black alpaca, sat by the window, her lax hands trembling in her lap. Amos was chopping limbs at the woodpile, but suddenly the prevailing gloom fell upon him, and he dropped his ax and came striding in. He threw down his hat and took up the county paper. But he was really watching his mother from behind it, and Alma, over her sewing, watched her, too.

In the late afternoon Alma rose and put her work aside.

"I guess we'll have supper right off," she said, with a labored cheerfulness. "What do you think, mother?"

The clock struck its five clear strokes.

"Five o'clock," said Mrs. Ballou, tremulously. Then she began counting on her fingers.

"Mother, what under the sun be you addin' up?" burst forth Amos, with the fractiousness of harassed nerves.

"I was seein' how many hours 'twas to midnight," returned Mrs. Ballou, quietly. "This day's got seven hours to live. Alma, do I look as well as common?"

"You look all beat out," said Alma. "Now, mother, what have you got on your mind?"

"You've been proper good children to me," said Mrs. Ballou, irrelevantly. "You remember that, both on ye."

There was a beat of hoofs on the grassy drive, and a horse was reined up at the side door. Alma, at the window, gave a little cry.

"Mother, it's Jake, and there's something white in behind. I'll warrant he's got back your linen sheets."

Amos rose and hurried out, and Mrs. Ballou, with a momentary briskness, joined Alma at the window. In this accession of interest she seemed her old, bright self.

"Who's he got with him?" she asked, eying the other figure keenly. "I believe it's one o' them good-for-nothin' Tolmans. That's the Tolman nose. It's Tim Tolman. He's growed a beard. How long ago was it he run away? Over three year, wa'n't it? Forever! Them are my sheets!"

Jake had bundled the cloth into his arms and came striding in with it, while Amos stood with his hand on the shaft, and addressed desultory remarks to the recreant Tolman, a young fellow, scrubbily bearded and shame-faced.

"Here's your linen, mother," said Jake. He dropped it in a heap on the kitchen floor. "It's some dirty, but it'll come out all right in the wash."

Mrs. Ballou was pulling the sheets over rapidly, with capable hands.

"I believe to my soul they're all here," said she. "Where'd you get 'em, Jake? But you needn't tell me. He took 'em, that Tolman did, the good-for-nothin' creatur'!"

"No," said Jake. He stood with his arm about Alma's shoulders, regarding her with the fondness of a man who has been away for three days. "Tolman ain't so bad. He got in with poor company, that's all. He's been travellin' round with a kind of a light-fingered feller that pretended to be a pedler. He had a cart, and when he see anything he wanted he hooked it. That never got through Tolman's head till this business o' yours; the sheets were too big to be covered up. So he stopped at the Corners and dissolved partnership then and there. I fell in with him, and I hunted down the other feller an' clapped him into jail. Tolman ain't had a fair show."

Mrs. Ballou was folding up sheets.

"It don't look very well for him to be in evil company," she volunteered, a sheet under her chin.

"Oh, well, he never meant no harm," said Jake, tolerantly. "They got up a kind of a fortune-tellin' business, and Tolman was the Veiled Prophet, and pretended to see things by hands. I believe they set up a kind of a booth at the Corners. What's the matter, mother?"

Mrs. Ballou had dropped the sheet. Her black eyes blazed.

"You don't mean to tell me," said she, "that that poor, mis'able Tim Tolman I've known sence he was knee-high to a grasshopper was the Veiled Prophet that set there down by the post-office five weeks ago this day, an' prophesied?"

"Yes," said Jake, carelessly. "But don't you be too hard on him. He got sick of it. He says he never told a person a thing to trouble 'em till one day it got kind o' monotonous, and he told an old lady she was goin' to die. He said he never should ha' done that if she hadn't snapped him up for not givin' her her money's worth. So he tacked that on. But as soon as she was gone out it sickened him, and he made up his mind he wouldn't try it again."

Mrs. Ballou, her head erect, marched to the door.

"Amos," she called, "you come in here!"

Amos appeared, wondering. She closed the door behind him and pointed with a rigid finger.

"Stan' over there," said she, "right side of Alma. There! You three stay there so I can face ye. Maybe you didn't know you've got a fool for a mother—a nat'ral-born fool? Well, you have. Five weeks ago this day I rode over to the Corners for nutmegs, an' I see a kind of a Gipsy tent down by Simpkins' Block, an' it had over the door a sign sayin' the Veiled Prophet foretold things for twenty-five cents. So I got out o' the wagon an' pulled down my veil over my face, an' stepped in, thinkin' mebbe he'd say sunthin' Alma'd like to remember about the weddin' an' all. He told me a terrible lot of things that was true only by lookin' at my hand. He said I was a widder, an' I'd done a lot o' housework, an' I was pretty prosperous—an' then he foretold my death this day. Jake Pulsifer, you stop laughin'! An' if you ever let on to that Tolman creatur' or anybody else so they'll make a handle on't—"

Jake seized her about the waist and took her across the room in a joyous whirl.

"For the land's sake!" came a remonstrating voice. It was Uncle Peleg's wife, thudding in through the shed.

"Lyddy Ann Ballou, what under the sun's the matter? You don't look more'n sixteen!" Amos and Alma were clutching each other in a corner, in a tempest of laughter and tears.

Lydia Ann Ballou laughed also, in spite of herself.

"We've got back our sheets," she quavered, with an imploring glance at her children, and they broke out in chorus:

"We've got back our sheets!"

Uncle Peleg's wife still looked from one to another.

"Well, I'm real pleased," she said, doubtfully, "but that ain't anything to make such a to-do about."

"And," said Mother Ballou firmly, "we're goin' to start in Monday on the weddin'-cake."—Alice Brown.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, June 2, 1906.

The most interesting subject before Congress and the country at present is that of the exposure of the outrageous conditions which prevail in the great slaughtering and packing houses of the west and possibly of the east. In fact all other questions are for the time obscured by this and there is little doubt but that other business in Congress will be put aside for the enactment of legislation that will look toward improving the situation there. The Government has long been dilatory in regard to the beef trust and ever since the days of the embalmed beef scandal during the late war the subject has from time to time been revived but it was not until the publication of "The Jungle," a novel revealing the disgrace of "Packingtown" that the President and the country at large became thoroughly aroused and a serious movement was undertaken to clean house there. The report secured by the President from his two representatives sent to Chicago to investigate the slaughter and packing industry has not been made public but it is said to confirm the statements of Mr. Sinclair as to the diseased and poisoned meats which are sold with the Government stamp upon them. Investigators report that meats are packed in surroundings abhorrently filthy, and by employes having tuberculosis and loathsome disease; that that cattle and hogs suffering with tuberculosis, lumpy jaw, ulcers and other diseases are not destroyed but packed and sent out whenever the traces of disease can be removed, or when this is impossible used as sausage, potted hams and other delicacies in which the defects can be concealed and that the refuse of diseased animals, the lumpy jaws, ulcerous flesh, tubercular glands, unborn calves, cow udders and gristle masquerade as sausage, veal loaf, potted chicken, canned breakfast bacon and the like, while decayed and putrefying meats are treated with formaldebyde, painted and dyed to the color of fresh meats and doctored with borax and other preservatives. Senator Beveridges bill which provides that an adequate number of inspectors shall be employed to inspect the meat and that they shall have the power to destroy meat condemned has passed the Senate and is likely to pass the lower House though it will have serious opposition there as Speaker Cannon comes from the Beef Trust centre and has declared that he will look after their "interests."

The expenditures that will have been authorized by Congress when it adjourns will probably not be greatly in excess of $650,000,000 a considerable reduction under those authorised in the corresponding long session of the Fifty-Eighth Congress. That Congress was known as the "billion dollar Congress" as its appropriations ran up to that mark for permanent and annual expenditures. House leaders say that if appropriations are not materially increased in the Senate the deficit in the revenues will be reduced to about $10,000,000 by July 1, 1907 and probably wiped out altogether.

Secretary Taft has been before the House Committee on Appropriations giving his opinion on Canal matters. Discussing the work he said, "If you will abolish the Commission and leave it to the President to select his agents and make the appropriations sufficient to pay such agents it would be exactly what the situation needs, but we have supposed it would be difficult to get that through Congress and so we are working along. The work of the Canal has in reality just begun, in fact we are just ready to begin." Chairman Shonts was also heard and concerning the time which will be required to dig the waterway he said, "That according to the estimates of Engineer Steven who has given more thought and study to the matter than any other person, it would take about seven years." Mr. Stevens though when asked directly how much time he thought would be required said, "The least amount of time I could put on it would be sixteen or eighteen years for a sea level canal. The difference in time required for the lock or sea level types is due, he said, to the tremendous difference in the yardage that has to be taken out under the hardest possible conditions, that is the bottom lift. During the session of the committee, testimony was taken concerning the purchase of supplies abroad. It appears that out of purchases to the extent of $10,000,000, the amount spent abroad has been $185,000. Out of that $185,000 only about ten thousand has actually been spent in foreign countries the other $175,000 having been expended through American houses.

As this letter is ready to go to you news comes of the suicide of Representative "Bertie" Adams of Philadelphia. Mr. Adams in a note to Speaker Cannon explained that he was financially involved beyond any hope of making good and that he had deliberately decided to take his own life. There are a number of men in Congress who are much shocked by his act and who are not sure but that they are in part responsible for it. Mr. Adams was the butt of two-thirds of all the jokes this session and he was probably worse hazed than any man in Congress. His clothes, his voice, his accent and his manners have been the subject of public and private derision not so much because there was in them anything ridiculous but because he was one of those unfortunates who are without any one's knowing why, the prey of all bullies and rowdies. The first years of any active and forceful man's life in Congress are hard ones and while that body sits in solemn judgment on the boys of Annapolis and West Point who are guilty of hazing it dispenses as obnoxious and irritating a variety of bullying as prevails in any college. When the news of Mr. Adams death was reported in the House several members were heard to say, "Well this ought to teach us a lesson," and it is to be hoped it will. Young men come to Congress full of the zeal to reform conditions in general. In their home districts they may have been the leaders in all of the best movements toward better government. Once in Congress though they are snubbed on every side, squelched by the Speaker, ridiculed by their colleagues, and treated with contempt generally. At home their constituents are demanding to know why they are not doing the things they promised during the campaign and threatening them with political extinction if they don't make speeches, hob nob with the President and influence legislation like Grosvenor, Dalzell and Aldrich and other leaders. It is a hard experience and it takes a callousness that not all possess to go through it.

Adams.

Flag Day.

The American Flag Association in accordance with its custom of the past nine years, respectfully reminds all that Thurday June 14, 1906, will be the 129 anniversary of the adoption of the stars and stripes as the flag of the United States. During recent years, Flag Day has come to be recognized more and more as a national anniversary. Mayors of cities are asked to order flags to be displayed upon all municipal buildings. School teachers are also asked to arrange for patriotic exercises celebrating the day, and teach the story of the flag and what it represents, and have the young people pledge their fealty and loyalty to it.

On the 14th day of June, 1777, Congress enacted what the flag of the thirteen United States should be, and April 4, 1818, further enacted that on the admission of a new State into the Union, one star be added to the union of the flag; and there are now forty-five stars on the flag. The flag has become the symbol of a great nation, and has been carried to the utmost parts of the earth, proclaiming human liberty. Americans cannot fail of a feeling of pride and satisfaction nor restrain the swelling of patriotism in the breast, when we contrast the meaning of ours and of other flags, so let us from one end of our land to the other, fling the stars and stripes to the breeze on June 14, 1906. May it greet the rising and salute the setting sun, and float all day long from every church edifice, school and building, public and private and however humble, throughout the entire land.

Moths and the Piano.

The tiny moth is a great enemy to the piano, as it attacks the felt used in the various parts. Only constant care will prevent these little pests from permanently infesting the piano. Keeping the piano closed is not sufficient protection. Examine your instrument closely, and see if you find any little particles of wool. If so, the moths are at work inside. Pieces of camphor tied in little muslin bags and suspended inside the piano by means of a bit of stout thread will rid the piano of its unwelcomed visitors.

—A woman who lives in a small Connecticut town has invented an auger that will bore a square hole, which, according to carpenters, will make her fortune. Her name is Smith.—Dedham Transcript.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1906.

New Schoolhouse.

The plans for a school building at Atlantic sent to the City Council Monday evening by the Committee on Public Buildings call for a twelve room building, to be located on the lot purchased by the City a few years ago.

The proposed building has a frontage of 167.4 feet. The main building has a depth of 47.6 feet. There is an L on the rear of the building which has a width of 103.2 feet and a depth of 29.2 feet. There are three entrances to the building, one at either end for the pupils, and one in the centre front for the teachers and visitors.

In the basement there are rooms for the girls and boys' toilet, each 21 by 28 feet, two coal bins each 17 by 17-6 feet, a boiler room, and two play rooms for the boys and girls each of which is about 32 by 40 feet. The play rooms are so arranged that if desired in the future a cook room can be maintained in the girls' playroom and a wood working room in the boys.

The arrangement of the first or street floor is an admirable one. A long corridor 13 feet wide runs lengthwise of the building. Entrance to the six school rooms are from this corridor. There are four school rooms in the main building and two in the L, each of which is 28 by 32 feet. There is also a wardrobe for each school room.

The front entrance opens into a corridor which crosses the main corridor and leads directly into the master's room, which is located in the L, between the two school rooms. The master's room is 13 by 16 feet.

The arrangement of the second floo is identical with the first floor except that the space over the corridor of the front entrance is used for a library, and the room over the master's room is set apart as a teacher's room.

The upper floor is reached by two stairways, one at either end of the main corridor. The hall if one had been located in the building would have been on the third floor, with stairways at each end of the building over the other stairways.

The order in Council calls for an appropriation of $66,000 for the building including a hall, and can be reduced $3,000 by eliminating the hall.

Editorial Convention.

The National Editorial Association will hold its twenty-first annual meeting at Indianapolis, June 12 to 15. The delegates will then tour the Great Lakes and Eastern Canada. The party will arrive in Chicago, the morning of June 20, where they are to be the guests of the Press Club. At 2 P. M., they will leave on the Manitou Steamship Company's magnificent steamer "Manitou" for Mackinac Island. This splendid ship has been justly entitled "The Greyhound of the Great Lakes"; her triple expansion engines, with immense horse power, send her through the water at an average speed of eighteen miles an hour. Built entirely of steel and measuring 300 feet in length and forty-two feet in breadth, her hull is divided into seven distinct compartments, each completely separated from the others by solid steel bulkheads, thereby giving her such stability as to rank her with the finest ocean-going ships. The main saloon and cabin are beautifully decorated, and the culinary department is the best of any boat flying the American Flag. It equals that of the best clubs and hotels.

The National editors make the first sailing of the season on June 20, after which the "Manitou" makes regular trips from Chicago to Mackinac Island and intermediate points, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week. Mr. Jos. Berolzheim, the obliging general passenger agent of the Manitou Steamship Co., Rush and N. Water Sts., Chicago, Ill., will look after the welfare of the visiting delegates on their trip, and is at all time pleased to furnish information relative to the Great Lake Resorts.

Editors' Outing.

The Massachusetts Press Association will have its annual outing on Monday, July 9, at Nipmuc park, Mendon. It is expected fully 100 editors and their wives and lady friends will be present.

The Draper Co. of Hopedale has courteously invited the association to be its guests on that day and are already at work preparing plans to make the day enjoyable for them.

Walter L. Adams, general manager of the Milford & Uxbridge Street Railway Co., has tendered every courtesy to the party.

He will have special electric cars to carry them from South Framingham to Mendon, through Milford and Hopedale, to the park and has arranged further plans for their entertainment at the park, giving them the use of the steamer on the lake, the boats, and also free access to the theatre and all the attractions.

The party will view Milford and Hopdale, be shown the leading industries of Milford and taken through the mammouth plant of the Draper Co.

Noble Old Gentleman.

Mr. James T. Penniman, who lives in front of the Quincy station on Irving place, is one of the smartest old gentlemen in our city. He was eighty-seven years old last Tuesday, and is smarter than many men twenty-five years younger.

He is carrying on an extensive leather business in his factory in the rear of his residence, where he has quite a number of employes. He usually rises between 5 and 6 each morning, the year round, and builds the fires in the house and office in the winter season and is ready for breakfast by 6.30, and is at his factory at 7, ready to meet his help.

He has all his faculties in a remarkable degree; and is not only smart at his business but enjoys a game of ball, cards, or other amusement, as well as most men. For honesty and uprightness few are his equal; perhaps this is in a great measure the cause of his health and happiness. We think he is booked for one hundred years.

A Wilful Murderer.

Charles L. Tucker is to die in the electric chair at the Charlestown State prison next week. Governor Guild has refused to commute the sentence of the court, and the youth who stabbed Mabel Page to death at her home in Weston on March 31, 1904, must pay the penalty of the crime. The Governor says he has no right to refuse to enforce the law in regard to capital punishment on the ground that the law is abhorrent to any person or persons.

The sooner Tucker is taken to the electric chair will be better for everybody. The time will probably be on Monday morning between midnight and sunrise.

CITY BRIEFS.

June 14 will be Flag day.

New hours at the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Sunday will be Children's day at Bethany church.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co. have the new style coats.

Merrymounts vs. South Quincys at Merrymount park today.

Probate court for Norfolk country will be held in Quincy next Wednesday.

Ex-Councilman and Mrs. C. H. Burgess are at Rose Cliff for the month of June.

A new timetable goes into effect on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. on Sunday.

The edgestones on Maple street has been laid to connect with that on Chestnut street.

Henry French has accepted a position with the Citizens Gas Co., as foreman of its pipe laying gang.

Miss Lizzie M. Brewer is entertaining her mother from Cambridge for a few days.

Walter E. Loud and family has moved from Washington street, this city, to Washington street, Braintree.

The great game today will be between the Merrymounts and South Quincys in the local championship series.

Sunday, June 17, will be Children's day at St. Pauls church, and plans are being made for exercises by members of the Sunday school.

The Assessors have practically completed their field work. It will be some weeks yet however before the tax rate is made up.

Clarence Loud of Wollaston is visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Loud of Washington street for a week.

Quincy was represented at the Ladies' Kennel Association annual dog show at Auburndale by G. L. Kaupt's cocker "Red Peggy" who succeeded in carrying off second honors.

Mrs. Wilson Tisdale of this city was on Monday reelected vice president of the Servia club composed of wives and daughters of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.

The grammar schools of the city will close Thursday, June 21, the graduation exercises being held June 22. The date of the High school graduation is Wednesday, June 27.

Officers Goodhue and Milford were out after automobile speeders on Sunday. They took the numbers of ten, whom they say were exceeding the limit.

The Daughters of the Revolution are to observe the Seventeenth of June by holding special services in old Christ church, Salem street, Boston, at half past three.

Mrs. William A. Brandau of New York arrived last week and will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Loud of Washington street, for the summer months.

There were three companies of the Boys Brigade on Memorial Day; one from Atlantic, one from Wollaston, and one from Neponset; and it was a proud day for the young soldiers.

Col. Henry L. Kincaide of this city, who is a sergeant in the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, was in command of the 4th company in the parade on Monday.

The piano pupils of Mr. J. D. Buckingham give a recital in Steinert hall, Boston on Monday evening. Several from Quincy are contemplating attending.

The Citizens' Association is interested in the move to abate the whistling nuisance on the railroad, and were represented at the hearing by the Railroad Commissioners on Friday morning.

The first at home day of the state society of the Daughters of the Revolution is to be held on Friday, June 22d, from three to five in the rooms of the society Colonial building, Boylston street, Boston.

The illustrated article in the Sunday Globe entitled, Professor Perkins, Recluse and Scholar, was written by Mrs. W. T. Babcock, and is a description of the simple life of this well known Latin and Greek scholar.

Miss Florence Harris, the little daughter of Dr. Malcolm L. Harris of Chicago, Ill., is visting her aunt, Mr. W. T. Babcock of Presidents Hill during the medical convention in Boston in which Dr. Harris takes part.

Penniman & Son have purchased the Greenleaf stables of Hugh P. Tracy, and will run them in connection with their Depot stables. They have long been cramped for room at their stable and the additional location will come in handy.

The Citizens' Temperance Association is becoming interested in the new liquor express law and will protest against the granting of too many licenses and also against granting licenses to those who have been convicted in court for violation of the liquor laws.

The Dorcas society of Bethany church is to give the play "The Scarlet Bonnet," in the chapel of the church on Tuesday evening June 19th. Rehearsals are in progress under the direction of Mrs. Isabelle J. Davis and a fine performance is anticipated.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. I. Smith have this week issued invitations to the marriage reception of their daughter Auwelda Huntress Smith and Mr. James Allen Melville on Thursday evening, June the twenty-first, from seven until nine o'clock, at their residence, Baxter avenue, Quincy Point.

Saturday was donation day at the Pond Home of the King's Daughters, and many ladies passed a pleasant day at Pondville. They left about $200 in cash and other gifts. A tablet was unveiled on the lawn front of the house, inscribed with the name of the home, its founders and the K. D. insignia.

Last year the eleven Grammar schools of the city graduated 430 pupils; 264 with full certificates and 166 conditioned. Of this number 270 entered the High school, 44 the Woodward Institute, 14 the Adams Academy, 3 Thayer Academy, and 17 other schools, while 3 returned. Only 79 left school, which was less than 19 per cent.

A very enjoyable whist was held at the home of Miss Mary Louise Gavin on Irving place, Wednesday evening, in aid of the Daly Industrial Home. The house was very prettily decorated, green and white being the color scheme. Seventeen tables were in play, prizes for the best scores being awarded at its conclusion to Miss Elizabeth Monihan, Mrs. J. H. Griffin, Mrs. John Carville, John J. Dasey, Timothy McConnell and J. H. Griffin. At the conclusion of the evening's play there was an hour of music. Ices and fruit punch were served during the entire evening. The affair was a social as well as a financial success.

Summer begins June 22.

A storm came with the full moon.

The length of days will begin to decrease this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Hearn left Thursday for an extended trip to Albany and Montreal.

John T. Sinclair and family have moved from Elm place to Crescent street, West Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dewhurst of Maple place entertained friends from Lawreuce over Sunday.

Printed programs are being prepared for the annual Children's Day of the First church.

Lieut. McKay recovered two bicycles at Dorchester on Thursday that had been stolen in Quincy.

Mayor Thompson was at his office in City Hall yesterday having returned Thursday from New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Collins are receiving congratulations on the birth Thursday of a little daughter.

Rev. Michael J. Carey, C. S. P., of San Francisco arrived in Quincy on Thursday on a visit to relatives.

Officer J. W. Murray left Saturday on his annual two weeks vacation his route will be covered by Officer Crooker.

There will be an exhibition of class work at the First church on Sunday at the close of the Children's day exercises.

Work has been commenced excavating for the new block of Johnson Bros. on the corner of Chestnut and Maple streets.

Misses Clara and Sadie Waters of Boston were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wilscher of Beacon street over Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Sedgwick of Goffe street, returned home Tuesday, after enjoying a two months' visit in Western Iowa and Chicago.

The Silver Stars won another game from the Bugle Boys on Wednesday by the score of 16 to 5. Forsberg struck out 9 and Olson 7.

Mrs. Clara S. Brown announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Elizabeth, to Mr. Ernest Smith, of Alexis, North Carolina.

On Wednesday afternoon the Brownie whist club was entertained by Mrs. Adelaide McGrath at her home on Botolph street, Atlantic.

Joseph R. Harris of Coddington street has severed his connection with Johnson & Brown and accepted a position with the Johnson Lumber Co.

George W. Hewson, wife and baby of Everett are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hewson of Newcomb place for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham and daughter Pearl were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Marden of Coddington street last week.

Dr. F. E. Jones has rented one of the Burgess houses at Rose Cliff and with his family moved down this week for the summer months.

The Sunday morning service at Bethany church will be devoted entirely to the children. Infants will be baptised, and there will be interesting exercises.

St. Stephens Chapter, R. A. M., will receive a fraternal visit from Pentalpha chapter of East Weymouth, at its regular convocation next Wednesday evening.

Miss Julia E. Underwood, the veteran school teacher at the Coddington school, was pleasantly surprised on Thursday to receive a call from Hon. Charles Francis Adams of Lincoln.

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Bumpus came on from the West to be present on Saturday at the marriage of his sister, Miss Christina Bumpus to Mr. Eliot W. Remick. While here Mr. Bumpus enjoyed meeting his old friends.

Yacht races of the Quincy and Wollaston Yacht clubs will be held Saturday afternoon. That of the Quincy club will be a handicap race for club boats, and that of the Wollaston is the first club championship.

The Citizens Gas Light Co. intend to make a bid to do some street lighting. The company propose putting in the park style of lights such as are used extensively in Boston. The contract with the Electric Light Co. for street lighting expires the first of next month.

Golden weddings are not numerous, but Quincy but has one couple who have been married 56 years today, Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon B. Furnald of Washington street. No invitations have been issued for the event, but friends are welcome.

Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, worked the initiatory degree upon seven candidates on Thursday evening. The Council will hold a special meeting next week, to work the first and second degrees. They have a class of fifty for the third degree which will be worked the middle of the month, probably at Braintree Town hall.

The ladies in charge of the garden party Saturday afternoon and evening, June 16th, on the grounds of the Quincy Women's club, for the benefit of the Day Nursery, are planning some special attractions for the children in the way of music, a goose pen, ice cream etc. The grownups will also find much to attract them both afternoon and evening. Read the advertisement for full details.

The summer meetings held by the Unitarians at Nantucket will be from June 30 to July 7. Devotional services will be held every morning, also services at 10.30 and in the evening at 8. Eminent speakers will speak on timely topics concerning the church and its work. The afternoons are left free for drives and excursions about the island, for bathing, boating and fishing. Unitarians wishing to attend should communicate with Rev. Edward Day, Nantucket, Mass, Quincy generally sends a large party.

The Sunday school of First church observes its annual Floral Sunday tomorrow in the church at half past ten, when the school and church unite in the service. Besides the baptism of children there will be a memorial service in remembrance of Lillian Trask Harlow, Ronald Irwin Smith and Henry Hardwich Faxon, who have passed away away since last Floral Sunday. An address will be given by Rev. Edward A. Horton of Boston, one of the most interesting speakers in the Unitarian faith.

At the commencement exercises of Boston University on Wednesday the degree of Doctor of Philosophy was conferred upon ten gentlemen, one of the number being Rev. E. N. Hardy of this city. The degree of A. B. was conferred on Miss Florence S. Greer, Margaret I. Shirley of South Quincy and William T. Williams of West Quincy; the degree of S. T. B. upon Harriet E. Johnson of East Braintree, and the degree of A. M. upon Helen G. Holbrook of Atlantic. The degree of S. T. B. was conferred on Albert B. Tyler, and the degree of J. B. upon Henry Edwards. Many from Quincy attended the exercises.

ATLANTIC.

Mrs. Florence Peltier Pope of Atlantic, the well known writter, was on Wednesday admitted to membership in the New England Woman's Press association, being endorsed by Mrs. Bishop of Wollaston and Miss Prescott of Quincy. Mrs. Pope is also a member of the Quincy Women's club and will doubtless be heard from in the future life of the club.

The many friends of Miss Gertrude Thorn of Clive street regret that sudden illness prevented her return from Virginia Institute, Bristol, Virginia, on Monday as was expected. Mrs. Thorn sailed for Norfolk on Thursday to meet Miss Gertrude.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gearwar have been spending the week at Wolboro, N. H. They will return to Atlantic on Monday.

Mrs. William Glover of Atlantic street gave a heart party on Tuesday afternoon.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Smith of Botolph street, Atlantic, received their relatives and friends on the occasion of their wedding anniversary. Some of those who came to present their congratulations were from Putnam, Connecticut, while others were from Dedham, Walpole, Hyde Park, Boston, Roxbury and Atlantic. Before leaving, all the guests joined in singing "America," "Nearer My God to Thee" and other familiar hymns. It was very gratifying that Mr. Smith who has been very ill recently, was so well able to enjoy the pleasures of the reception.

The proposed schoolhouse for Atlantic contains twelve rooms.

A concert by local talent was given in Atlantic Memorial church Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parker of Billings street welcomed a son to their home Tuesday morning.

Miss Helen Coombs of Boston has been a guest of Miss Ethel Hill of Walker street this week.

Milan Merchant, formerly of Atlantic, who has been away attending college for two or three years, is visiting in town this week.

A postal station to be known as Squantum station was opened by Postmaster Hammond June 1, at the Squantum Inn. The station will be in charge of Joseph Lee and will remain open until Sept. 30. Money orders and registered letters will be issued at the station and it will have three mails daily each way between the station and the Atlantic office.

If some energetic person would start a subscription list for a new clock in the Atlantic station, he would run out of paper before he proceeded many blocks. There isn't a clock in town more needed than that one, and it should not be allowed to take so many vacations even if it is warm weather.

The tennis court on the grounds of the Parker estate on Atlantic street has called forth the interest of the young people in this sport and stimulated an interest by force of its excellence.

The concert given Tuesday evening in Atlantic Memorial church displayed a variety of local talent and embraced outside talent as well. The program was well arranged and particularly enjoyable as so many children added their modest endeavors to the entertainment. A large audience attended.

Miss Ethel Hill of Walker street entertained guests from Boston on Wednesday evening.

Miss Bessie Drew of Walker street who has been teaching in Hampton, Virginia, during the winter, is expected home on Friday. Miss Drew has been most successful in her musical instruction and her return earlier in June was postponed on account of her guidance being needed to start the summer school at Hampton in the line of music.

The Ladies Benevolent Society of Memorial church, held its last meeting for this season on Wednesday afternoon. The treasurer reported a prosperous year, $511.66 having been expended during the year and a sizable amount being left in the treasury.

Barbara, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hobbs, met with an accident this week necessitating stitches being taken. She is reported on the improvement list.

DOWNS AND PARK.

An annual meeting of the Social Science and Literary club was held at the home of Mrs. Thompson, 11 Squantum street, Tuesday, June 5. Mrs. Edith M. Hodgkinson read a very interesting paper, "What is the greatest factor in the moulding of public opinion today."

A fine new bath house has just been built at Rufes hummock. It is owned by several Wollaston gentlemen.

Samuel Chapman and son Willard, of Willow street, are spending a few days in New York.

Carl Gram, of Kemper street, is employed at the National Exchange Bank for the rest of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Thompson, of Beach street are receiving congratulation on the birth of a daughter.

Work on the Quincy shore boulevard is progressing rapidly, and already the appearance of Wollaston beach has been changed. On the west side of "the bluff" there is an indentation in the beach. The boulevard is being run through the water and will meet the coast line just beyond the bath house owned by Linnell and Snow.

The D. O. Club of the Park and Downs Church gave its last entertainment for this season, Thursday evening, before a large and enthusiastic audience. The program consisted of piano duets by Misses Chute and MacDonald, readings by Mrs. James McDonald, Phonograph selections by Mr. W. Brown, and a realistic portrayal of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," the cast of characters being as follows:

Mrs. Wiggs,	Miss Gertrude Sass
Billy,	Maser Louis Coombs
Jimmy,	Master Willard Atkins
Asia,	Miss Ruth Page
Australia,	Miss Marion Smith
Europena,	Miss Beatrice Givern
Miss Hazy,	Miss May Gardiner
Mr. Bob,	Mr. Eugene Smith
Waitress	Miss Gladys Ball
Chris,	Master Roy Hall
Mrs. Eichorn,	Miss Carrie Hunter
Sunday School Scholars,	Miss Della Hall, Miss Flora Sass, Miss Edith Gardiner
Grocery Boy,	Master Willie Northrop
Invited Guests,	Miss Hazel Jones, Miss Pearl Patten, Miss Martina Thompson

At the close of the performance a sale of candy, ice cream, lemonade and Mrs. Wiggin's cabbage was held. In each cabbage a prize was found.

A Good Showing.

Mrs. George H. Jaques, 35 Main street, this city, is being congratulated on the success of her dogs at the dog show in Auburndale, June 1st and 2d under the L. K. C. of Mass. Her Yorkshire terriers—Master Cris winning 1st in Novice, Miss Kitty 1st in Limit, and Endcliff Master 1st in open and winners. Two specials were also won by Mrs. Jaques' for best Yorkshires in show. With her Maltese terriers she also won three firsts, winners, and six specials.

WOLLASTON.

The Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 with Mrs. E. A. Sprague, 346 Belmont street. Subject: Current events in reform work.

The Garrick Club of Wollaston met Monday evening with Miss Louise Bates of Brook street. The evening was in charge of Miss Bates and Mr. Arnold.

Bert Armstrong of Wollaston has gone to Wolfboro, N. H., for a few weeks.

Rev. Ernest W. Hunt and family, of Wollaston, have moved into the house on Grand View avenue owned by Rev. Preston Gurney.

Mary, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Page of Wollaston, entertained several of her friends at dinner, Sunday, in honor of her birthday.

Elizabeth, the little daughter of Mr. Charles Sayward, of Wollaston, who has been ill with diphtheria, is convalescing rapidly and will be out soon.

Mr. and Mrs. William N. Loud of Belmont street, left Saturday for a week's sojourn at New York.

The finals in the Wollaston tennis tournament held Memorial day were played Saturday afternoon between Bunker and Hillman and Davenport and Hall. The last two were easy winners defeating their rivals 6-0, 6-0, 6-0.

There was a large gathering of relatives and friends at Wollaston on Tuesday evening at the marriage of Miss Frances W. Sanders and Mr. Paul E. Brodbeck. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sanders.

The annual children's day exercises of the Wollaston M. E. Sunday school will be held Sunday evening at 6 o'clock in the church auditorium.

Wollaston lodge of Masons entertained a large number of visitors at its meeting Tuesday evening. The third degree was exemplified by Worshipful Master H. G. Fay assisted by Worshipful W. H. Emerson and Worshipful E. Francis Pope of Brockton.

Mrs. Katharine Shuman Miller and her sister, Miss Olive G. Shuman, are among the invited guests of the American Medical Association. They are stopping this week with their cousin at the Westminster hotel, Copley Square, so as to make it convenient to attend all of the receptions, and dances given by the association.

The Merrymounts have arranged for a home game on the morning of the holiday, June 18, with the Winchesters.

Good progress is being made laying the new gas main on Beale street, Wollaston. The main has now been laid from Adams street to South Central avenue. The connections with the supply main on Adams street will be made this week.

Commencement week program at the Quincy Mansion school opens Sunday afternoon at half past four with the baccalaureate sermon and closes Thursday evening with alumnae and principals receptions.

SOUTH QUINCY.

The bi-monthly meeting of the East Norfolk Christian Endeavor Union was held with the United Presbyterian church on Monday evening and largely attended. Dr. Clifton D. Gray of Boston spoke on "The true function of the young people's society."

There was a burial at old Christ church cemetery on Sunday, the body of Freeman A. Walker being brought here and placed in the family vault. Rev. W. E. Gardner officiated and read the committal service.

H. W. McCabe of this city, will not be booked at Revere Beach this season for the moving pictures and illustrated songs. Mr. McCabe went to Detroit, Michigan, Feb. 1, to take charge of the Casino Co.'s theatres running continuous moving pictures. He will remain there indefinitely as chief operator for the above company and agent for Miles Bros. of New York and San Francisco.

Mrs. Stephen Penniman of Pleasant street had the misfortune to fall at her home last week injuring her hip and limb.

Children's Day will be observed at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday morning, June 10.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Presbyterian church was held Tuesday evening in the church vestry. A social hour was enjoyed after the business.

Sidney Patterson of the Fore River team pitched on Wednesday at Brockton for the Dorchester-Neponset team and defeated the Walkovers 1 to 0. He held the Walkovers down to four hits, and the Neponsets only made five. Both clubs played a perfect fielding game. The only run was scored on singles by Murray, Patterson and Corbett in the third inning. It was a surprise for the Walkovers.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Dunbar of Gay street intended to allow their 25th wedding anniversary on Thursday to pass without celebration, but others planned differently. They were invited to the residence of their daughter, Mrs. Tupper Miller, on Pearl street early in the evening, where they found several relatives and friends assembled. A supper was the event of the evening, and all made it merry for Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar. Under their plates they found silver dollars and silver certificates, which are always acceptable. Music added to the festivities, and it was a date long to remember.

Mrs. J. B. Pollock and Miss Day of New York city are the guests of Mrs. Pollock's mother, Mrs. Stephen Penniman.

Bridge Assessment.

Quincy's assessment for the new bridge over Fore river between Quincy and Weymouth will not be known for some weeks yet, but progress is being made. In the Senate this week the act to provide for the expenses and compensation of the special commissioners was engrossed, and sent to the House. The bill adds $5,000 to the $100,000 already authorized for the bridge, and it is said Quincy's assessment may be $40,000 to $50,000. The act reads:

Section 1. The county commissioners of Norfolk county are authorized to pay the compensation and expenses of the commissioners appointed under chapter four hundred and fifty-six of the Acts of the year nineteen hundred to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars, to be approved hereafter by a justice of the superior court, after public notice and public hearing, and charge the same to expense and construction of the bridge provided for by said act, although said amount shall make the total expense of said bridge more than the sum originally authorized in said act; and said amount so approved and paid shall be apportioned in the manner provided in the original act.

Quincy High had no difficulty on Tuesday in defeating Saugus High, at the park, 10 to 3. The home team scored 7 runs in the first inning on three hits and the help of three errors. After that the contest was closer, each team scoring three runs in the eight innings.

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QUINCY POINT.

The Washington Street Congregational Sunday-school will observe Sunday, June 10, as Children's day. All the members of the Sunday school are expected to be present at 10.30 A. M., and will march in a body from the vestry to the auditorium, where the primary department will give a concert.

About 61 years ago there was a launching in Quincy which caused almost as much interest as a battleship today. It was the sloop Hero launched by John L. Souther June 7, 1845.

The trial trip of the steamer South Shore has again been postponed, but Monday, June 11, is the date now scheduled.

The Fore River Shipbuilding Company have purchased more land of Edwin W. Newcomb.

Some years ago there was steamboat connection between Quincy Point and Boston, the Massasoit beginning regular trips on June 4, 1868. Lovells grove was then popular.

Capt. William P. Potter of the U. S. Navy, now assistant of the chief of the bureau of navigation, will be the first commander of the new battleship Vermont, now fitting out at the Fore River Ship Company's dock. The vessel will be ready for service the latter part of this year. Capt. William Swift will succeed Capt. Potter at the Navy department.

The Fore River club was represented on Saturday at the meeting of the Merrimack Valley football league. A piched team will probably meet the Pilgrims of Toronto in Boston next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hewson and daughter Marion of Newcomb place, Miss Addie Holton of Edwards street and Herbert Holmes of Newcomb street, left June 1st for a two weeks' vacation at Shelburne, Nova Scotia.

A simple, pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. Mary W. Carter of South street, Saturday afternoon, when her daughter Lillian was united in marriage to Mr. Merton H. Seller of Woburn. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Leon Hudson Austin, after which a reception was held to their immediate friends. Mr. and Mrs. Seller left for a brief trip, but were met unexpectedly in Boston by some of their friends who succeeded in giving them a grand, good "send-off."

Sunday at the Point Church is Children's Day. Supt. Sherburne has planned for the Sunday School to be seated by classes, at the morning service.

Mr. Lee, 29 Thompson street, is making extensive arrangements for the Huscarl's lawn party; he has arranged for several side-shows and major attractions.

On Tuesday evening there was another enthusiastic meeting of the Sunday school and Parish Picnic Committee of the Point church. The picnic is to be held at Snug Harbor grove June 30. 9. A. M. to 4 P. M. Races, contests and ball games have been planned for.

The Fore River team will have some new players today in the game with the East Bostons. Bjorkland will be in the pitcher's box, and Van Amringe at the third bag. In the out-field will be Maloney and Hardy. Otherwise there will be no changes; Drake will catch, and Bernie, the two Dunns, Tate and Eldridge will play.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Baxter Crane, nee Ida J. Cameron, who were married late in April and are making their home at 403 Washington street, receive their friends after June the fifteenth.

WEST QUINCY.

The Copeland Club will have the Bankers and Brokers of Boston as rivals this afternoon at 3.30.

M. Monahan is building a power house at his granite plant on Copeland street.

The contractor has begun work building the boulevard through West Quincy commencing near the Eaton ice pond.

The Electric Light company is building a brick transforming station at the corner of West and Common streets.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Grignon, widow of Thomas Grignon, was held Monday from St. Mary's church. The services, which were largely attended, were conducted by Rev. A. F. Roche. The burial was at St. Mary's cemetery. Mrs. Grignon was one of the oldest residents of West Quincy, having resided there upwards of fifty years.

The Rosebud club of West Quincy hold a lawn party at the residence of Miss Belle McGilvary on Crescent street the latter part of the present month.

The alarm from Box 143 at 9.33 Thursday night was for a fire in a shed attached to a house on Station street owned by John Vogle. The blaze made a bright illumination when the alarm rang in, but went down quickly. The loss is estimated at $25. Cause unknown.

Miss Mary MacDonald, of Boston, is the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. MacDonald, of Nelson street.

Rogers—Treadway.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening, when Miss Ethel Estelle Treadway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Treadway, of 132 Billings road, was united in marriage to Arthur Hamilton Rogers, of Dorchester. The wedding took place at 7.30 o'clock at the home of the bride; the officiating clergyman was Rev. R. F. Hollway, of Cambridge.

The bride was given away by her father. She was gowned in white crepe de chine over white taffeta, with baby Irish lace. Her white veil was caught with orange blossoms and she carried a bunch of lilies-of-the-valley. The wedding march was played by W. C. Rogers.

The ushers were Lauris G. Treadway of Wollaston, Walter G. Rogers of Dorchester, Howard W. Bradford of Dorchester, Harry E. Hall of Lynn, Richard B. Merrill of Littleton, N. H., and James J. Morton of Chicago, Ill. The pages were Horace and Joseph Ripley of Roxbury.

After the wedding a reception was held from 8 until 10 o'clock. The bride and groom were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Treadway, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rogers. The home was beautifully decorated with daisies.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers will return from their wedding trip, about July first and will reside near the parents of the bride.

Maple Lodge.

Wilson hall was almost inadequate Wednesday evening for the large gathering that attended the meeting of Maple lodge, K. and L. of H., to witness the work of the new degree team on several candidates, which was done in a very creditable manner and was highly complimented by P. D. D. Nellie E. Hallett of Charlestown. After the initiation the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

Protector,—Laura E. Holt.
Vice Protector,—Rose A. Reed.
Chaplain,—A. Cora Curtis.
Guide,—Mary A. Oxford.
Guardian,—Samuel Oxford.
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MILTON.

The banner of the East Norfolk Christian Endeavor Society was for the third time awarded to the East Milton Baptist Y. P. S. C. E., twenty-seven of the twenty-nine members of the society being present at the bi-monthly meeting of the Union held at the United Presbyterian church, South Quincy. Closely following them in number was the First Presbyterian Society, fifty-five of the sixty-three members being present. A beautiful bouquet was presented to them by the President of the Union which was distributed among the sick of their parish.

The selectmen of Milton have approved the petition of the Old Colony street railway to operate a trolley freight line through the town. The company now have the right to operate a trolley freight line from Fall River to Boston except over a short piece of Randolph avenue which lies within the city of Quincy. The petition to operate in Quincy is now pending before the City Council.

There was a large gathering of the graduates of the Belcher school at the school building, Friday evening June 1, at the reception tendered Orrin A. Andrews at the completion of his thirty-fifth year as master of the school. The affair was entirely informal and was greatly enjoyed. During the evening Mr. Andrews was presented with a revolving book case and mirror. Refreshments were served.

A 7 o'clock morning collection of the mail boxes at East Milton went into effect this week. Collections are now at 7 and 9.30 A. M. and 3.30 P. M.

Officer Wigley of the East Milton day route is having his annual vacation.

Arthur Proto has returned from a trip to New Hampshire.

Willard H. Rand has gone to Cottage City.

Miss Elizabeth Frye is at Cottage City for the Summer.

Miss S. R. Brokenshire is at Gordon Rest, South Hanson.

The marriage of Miss Maud Graham, daughter of the late Christopher Graham, and Ernest E. Choate, son of Chief Engineer Choate, was solemnized Thursday evening.

E. J. Tinker of Beebe Plain, Vt., has been in town this week.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church entertained Mrs. W. Q. Baxter on Wednesday, on the sixtieth anniversary of her birth.

Miss Fannie Johnson has accepted a position with the Eaton Ice Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bearse are planning a trip to New York, June 17.

At the First Congregational church in Milton on Tuesday Miss Ruth Lawrence Huntington and Mr. Samuel Adams Fletcher were united in marriage by the bride's father, Rev. Henry S. Huntington. The home of the groom is in Scranton, Penn. The maid of honor was Miss Theresa Lyman, a cousin, and the best man, H. S. Huntington, Jr., a brother of the bride.

Kjelberg—Chilsted.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening at the Swedish Lutheran church, followed by a reception at Colonial hall.

The bride was Miss Augusta B. Chilsted and the groom, Mr. Herman Kjelberg. The bridesmaids were Miss Britta Magenson, Miss Ellen Nordquist and Miss Josephine Larson, and the groom was attended by Mr. Olaf Wikstrom, Mr. Carl Anderson and Mr. Axel Anderson.

The bride was gowned in white satin, trimmed with lace. She wore a veil caught up with lilies-of-the-valley and carried a bouquet of the same flowers.

The ceremony was performed at 7.30 by Rev. John A. Bernhard of Malden formerly pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church.

The wedding party then repaired to Colonial hall. The reception was very largely attended. There was speaking and refreshments.

The ushers were Nels Lindquist and Fritz Swanson.

Filton—Bemis.

The marriage of Miss Helen Bemis of Quincy, formerly of Atlantic, to Mr. Henry Preston Filton was solemnized Tuesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bemis of Upland road. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Charles Sampson, sister of the bride, and Miss Bemis was preceded by her little niece, Miss Doris Sampson, as flower girl. Rev. W. E. Gardner officiated. The house decorations were pinks and sweet peas. An informal reception for the immediate families followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Filton started for Niagara Falls, making stops at Montreal and Quebec on the way. Showers of congratulations followed them.

Taylor—Crowell.

East Dennis, on Wednesday afternoon, was the scene of a pretty wedding and a society event, when Miss Gertrude Crowell, a daughter of Mrs. Edwin D. Crowell, was united in marriage to Mr. Ralph Slater Taylor of Philadelphia, but recently of Melrose. The bride is a graduate of the Quincy Mansion school at Wollaston, and the groom from Harvard 1901. Mr. Taylor is now assistant manager of the American Ice Company at Philadelphia.

Summer Schedules.

The schedules of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad will go into effect commencing Sunday, June 10th, when important changes and additions will be made in the present train service.

These include the inauguration of the "Mayflower Limited," a new five-hour morning train between Boston and New York on week days, via Providence, New London and New Haven, leaving at 8 a. m., and due at the opposite terminal at 1 p. m. Also the quicking of schedules of all Boston and New York through express trains via the Shore line, and additional train service to and from the South Shore, Plymouth, Cape Cod and the various other summer resorts served by these lines.

Important changes will also be made in the schedule of the "Air Line Special" through train service between Fitchburg, Leominster, Worcester and New York, which will leave Fitchburg, week days at 11.45 a. m., Leominster, 11.55, Worcester, 12.45 noon, due in New York 5.27 p. m. Eastbound this train will leave New York week days at 3.33 p. m., due Worcester 8.24, Leominster 9.09 and Fitchburg 9.17 p. m.

For information concerning the above and numerous other important changes in train service, the public is respectfully referred to the new time table posters at stations and pocket folders which may be obtained at ticket offices in advance of the changes.

At the concert, given on Tuesday evening in Memorial church, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Briggs of Cambridge, artists who have long been favorites with Atlantic audience, gave several pleasing vocal numbers. Among the other artists were Miss Frances Burditt, reader and soprano soloist; Mr. Frederic Kolk, violinist; Miss Abbie

GARDEN PARTY.

A Garden Party is to be held on the grounds of the Quincy Women's Club, Goffe Street, from 3 to 10 o'clock,

SATURDAY, JUNE 16.

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For Intimidating Workmen.

Thomas J. Rogan, who it is alleged is a walking delegate for the Quincy branch of the Granite Cutters' union, was arraigned in court Thursday upon complaint of the McDonnell Granite Co., for intimidating their workmen.

It appears that the firm had working for them as a tool sharpener one John McDonnell, a brother of the proprietors, and who also has a property interest in the firm. The young man is not a member of the union, and it is alleged that the men were ordered out by Rogan because the firm would not discharge the man in question.

The trouble dates back to May 31. On that morning when Mr. McDonnell returned to the yard from the quarries he found his men standing about idle, who said that they had been ordered to stop work by Rogan.

Several conferences were held with the grievance committees without result. The firm offered to have the man in question join the union and further offered to pay his admittance fee. The matter was referred to headquarters, but for some reason the union decided that the man in question could not be admitted to membership.

The firm say that Rogan informed them that if they would put young McDonnell out the men would be ordered back to work. This they refused to do and the men are still out, and Rogan has been hailed into court. The case was called Thursday and continued until next Thursday for a hearing.

Woodward School.

A regular meeting of the directors of the Woodward Institute was held Tuesday afternoon at which the following corps of instructors were elected:

Superintendent,—Frank E. Parlin.

Principal,—Frederic E. Plummer.

Supervisor of Music,—John D. Buckingham.

Teachers, — Charlotte J. Burgess, Ruth B. Mears, Grace S. Burke, Adella W. Bates, Helen H. Claflin, Anna W. Pinkham, Martha E. Maccarthy, Georgianna C. Lane and Susie T. Sprout.

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SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 9,

Manzanalla Hall, Houghs Neck.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1906.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.		Sun Rises	Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Eve	Moon rises
Saturday, June	9,	4.07	7.19	12.45	1.15	10.07 P.M
Sunday,	" 10,	4.07	7.20	1.30	2.00	10.51 "
Monday,	" 11,	4.07	7.20	2.30	3.09	11.28 "
Tuesday,	" 12,	4.07	7.21	3.30	4.00	12.01 A.M
Wednesday,	" 13	4.07	7.21	4.15	5.00	12.01 "
Thursday,	" 14,	4.07	7.22	5.15	6.00	12.30 "
Friday,	" 15,	4.07	7.22	6.15	6.45	12.55 "

Last Quarter, June 13th, 2.34 P. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898.
Sunday,	77	76	70	92	62
Monday,	83	50	77	82	63
Tuesday,	85	54	83	65	56
Wednesday,	84	66	61	69	70
Thursday,	60	75	57	84	84
Friday,	71	84	50	81	84
Saturday,	—	79	74	73	90

Melrose is getting interested in sidewalks, which go far to improve the appearance of a city. "There is hardly a decent sidewalk in the city," said Alderman John Dike at a meeting of the aldermen Monday night, when the order calling for $5000 for continuous sidewalks was up. "The committee should be censured for not recommending $25,000 instead of $5000," continued Alderman Dike, "and I hope it will be made $25,000. No one knows when we will be called upon to settle suits for accidents caused by our dangerous walks." The order appropriating $5000 was passed.

The small sum of $3,000 should not stand in the way of building a hall in the new schoolhouse at Atlantic, but there is considerable doubt whether the City Council can find a leeway inside the debt limit to appropriate $66,000 for a schoolhouse this year. An appropriation is imperative for High school furnishings and there seems to be other matters which require small loans. But the city must be ready to meet the two bridge assessments when they are apportioned. Large sums will be necessary for the Fore River bridge and the Hancock street bridge at Atlantic, and the bills are liable to come any day.

The State House correspondent of the Patriot writes: Complaints have been received by the Railroad Commissioners of the nuisance caused to the people of Quincy by the railroad whistles at grade crossings. Many of the same sort have been received from Dorchester. Other places which are distressed are Braintree and Leominster. Consequently the Railroad Commissioners gave a hearing on Friday, at 10.30, to all persons, anywhere on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad who were interested to stop the whistling nuisance.

There is good reason to believe that the railroad will welcome the issue of an order to compel them to stop whistling. Then they will not be liable if injuries result. The story is that some years ago the commissioners did issue a recommendation to discontinue whistling at grade crossings, owing to the popular dislike of the practice. But finally there came a time when some one was hurt at a grade crossing because notice was not given of the approaching train. The road made the best of the case, but was held to be guilty, because no formal order had been issued to discontinue the whistling.

Consequently, they began whistling again, and they practice it so much that people are thoroughly sick of it. But if they can carry the matter so far that the railroad commissioners issue an order to stop whistling, then the road will be exempt if any one is hurt hereafter because no notice is given of an approaching train.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

WHIT SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Floral service and christening of children, Rev. E. A. Horton of Boston will speak.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, Ph.D. pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Annual Children's Day service Sunday School at 12 M. Norwegian service at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening service at 7.30. Stereopticon address by the pastor. "Contrasts or the mark of Jesus Christ," a charater study portraying the darkness of heathenism as contrasted with the light of christianity.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon service at 2.30. Chil ren's Sunday. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 3.30. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45 with Children's Day exercises by the kindergarten and primary departments of the Sunday School. Sunday School at 12 M. Classes for all. Junior C. E. at 4. P M. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.30. 7.30 service in charge o. the Junior Endeavor society with an address by the pastor. Topic: "Qualities in children, parents admire." Our motto is: A place for all and a welcome for all.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street, —Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. A. B. Tyler, M. A., pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League at 6.15. Children's Day concert at 7. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Rev. Ernest W. Hunt, minister. Children's service at 10.45. Special sermon by minister. All are invited.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Life's Compass." Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. when the Departments unite for general exercises. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Social praise and prayer service at 7 o'clock. Strangers cordially welcome at all services.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Abbott Chase, minister. Morning service at 10.45, special sermon and music appropriate to Children's Day. Bible School at 12.15. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.30.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon to the children by the pastor. Music by the quartet. Sunday School at 12 M. Union service of the Y. P. S. C. E. and the church in the annex at 7 P. M. Address by the pastor. Let everybody come.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Post Office block,—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Is the universe, including man, evolved by atomatic force?" Golden Text: "Thy God hath commanded thy strength; strenthen, O God, that which thou hast wrought for us." Psalm 68:28. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. an experience and testimony meeting. Reading rooms open every week day from 3 to 5, and every Tuesday evening. All are welcome.

Council Meeting.

A regular meeting of the City Council was held Monday evening. It was one of the busiest the Council has held this year. There were an unusual large number of committee reports presented, some of the committees clearing up all matters that had been referred to them.

Councilmen Cannon, Crane, Ferguson, Hobbs and Nichols were absent.

A communication was received from the Board of Health relative to the sanitary condition of Pickert's pond. The opinion of the Board was that it would be impossible to drain the pond dry without a very great expenditure of money. The water can be lowered however by making the outlet lower which would probably cost about $50. Referred to Committee on Sewers and Drains.

The Telephone company petitioned for permission to attach its wires to poles on South Central avenue. To Committee on Streets.

A large number of petitions were received by the Council for minor licenses, including the following who applied for permits to transport intoxicating liquor:

Louis Bizzozero
German & Lilja
John Callahan
James P. Flannigan
H. H. Lowe
William H. Keefe
Nicholas T. Murphy
Frank C. Jacobs
Luigi Romeri
Clements Express Co.
Bruce & Myatt
Quincy & Boston Express Co.
Carlo Monti
John T. Fitzsimons
Robert Swanson
Gerardo Capabianchi
Joseph P. Burke
Gussippe Nobilatti
Boynton & Russell
Abbott & Miller
Peter Hynes
Austin & Winslow, Gallagher
New York & Boston Express Co.

The following communication was received from the Citizens' Temperance League relative to granting express liquor licenses which was referred to the Committee on Licenses:

"To His Honor the Mayor and the Honorable Council of the City of Quincy, Quincy, Mass.

"Gentlemen: Under "An act to provide for the registration of carriers of intoxicating liquors to or in cities or towns which do not grant licenses of the first five classes," which was approved by His Excellency Governor Guild, May 25, 1906, you are to give and issue one or more permits for the transportation of intoxicating liquors.

"We accordingly transmit to you herewith statements giving the record of the Quincy cases which were brought before the court for violation of the liquor laws in 1905 and 1906. We have indicated those whom we understand are in the express business.

"The intent of the law is clearly that the permits shall only be given to those worthy of them, and those who have violated the liquor laws and have been convicted of such violation, either this year or last year, are certainly unworthy of being granted such a permit.

"We feel that this matter is one of very great importance to our city, and we trust that great care will be exercised in granting these permits.

Yours very truly,
Citizen's No License League,
(Signed) C. T. Sherman, President.
Arthur W. Hall, Secretary.

A public hearing was held at 7.45 o'clock on the petition of the Electric Light Co., for a location for poles on Edison Park. Mr. Sewell appeared in favor and no one against. The hearing closed and the order was recommitted.

The Committee on Public Buildings reported to the Council on the order to procure plans for a school building in Ward Six, with estimated cost of the same. The committee sent in plans made by Hurd & Gore the cost of which was estimated to be $63,000 without an assembly hall and $66,000 with an assembly hall.

The Committee also reported a substitute order for order 92 of 1905, which was for $60,000 for a school building in Ward Six. The substitute order calls for $66,000 for building a school building in Ward Six by plans of Hurd & Gore.

Councilman Sawyer stated that the first plans had two entrances on front and a hall. These were approved by the School Committee.

The Public Buildings committee then had the plans changed so as to eliminate the hall and one entrance in front. Those plans had been sent to the School Committee, who did not object to eliminating one entrance, but opposed dropping the hall and refused to approve.

Councilman Bass asked the difference in cost.

Councilman Sawyer—the difference is estimated at $2,975. The Committee however desired to keep the cost as near the $60,000 named in the order of last year as possible.

In reply to a question by Councilman Gilson he said that the one entrance in front lead directly to the masters office. This would not be used by pupils. They would use entrances on either end of the building.

Councilman Gilson said Quincy was going backward in eliminating the hall. Hardly a place of the size of Quincy but has a hall in its school buildings. A hall could be used often. It was poor policy to eliminate a hall for so small a sum.

Councilman Stone —Our borrowing capacity is but $96,000. Take $66,000 for a school building and but $30,000 is left, and the two bridges have got to be taken care of. We should go slow. While he would like to see a hall he did not think the finances would stand for it. The Coddington district was even worse off than the Quincy. He moved the order be referred back to the Committee, and the sense of the Council be that the hall be eliminated.

In reply to a question by Councilman Hull, Chairman Hallowell of the School Committee said: It was fair to say that a hall was not an absolute necessity. He had received information from cities whose buildings had halls, that it seemed almost indispensible to them.

If a hall were provided the pupils could be collected together which would be of great benefit. While it is true we can get along without a hall, he thought the unanimous opinion would be that it would be worth a great deal more than the small difference in cost. If we are ever to have halls we must begin at some point.

Councilman Hull said that it seemed from investigation by the School Committee a hall is desirable. We should have some thought of up-to-date methods. This matter should be given thorough consideration.

The motion of Councilman Stone was then put and declared carried.

Vote doubted.

Upon a rising vote 8 were in favor and 8 against. The President voted in the affirmative and declared the motion carried, eliminating the hall.

The Committee on Licenses reported orders granting various minor licenses. Adopted.

The Committee on Public Buildings reported leave to withdraw on the petition to accept Butlers pond as a public park.

The same committee reported leave to withdraw on the petition for a public landing and float at the foot of Sea street.

The same committee reported an order for a public hearing June 19, on the petition of the Commonwealth Cemetery Association for the privilege of conducting a cemetery in Quincy.

The Committee on Sewer and Water Supply reported reference to the Committee on Streets on the petition for catch basins on Highland avenue. Accepted.

The Committee on Ordinances reported correctly engrossed on the loan order for $4,640 for deficiency bills of 1905. Passed to be ordained.

The Committee on Sewer and Water Supply reported ought not to pass on order 125 of 1905 appropriating $6,500 for improving the canal near Washington street. Accepted.

The Committee on Sewers and Water Supply reported leave to withdraw on petition 72 of 1904 to fill in the canal. Accepted.

The Committee on Sewers and Water Supply reported leave to withdraw on the petition for a sewer on Granite street. Accepted.

The special committee appointed with the Mayor to confer with the officials of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. relative to a subway under the tracks at the Wollaston station reported that the subway would be built when the four tracks were put in which would be within two years.

The Committee on Streets reported on the following matters, all the reports being accepted unless otherwise stated:

An order for a public hearing June 19, on petition of the New England Telephone company for permission to attach wires to poles of other companies.

An order for a public hearing June 19, on petition of the Electric Light Co. for a location for poles on Bigelow street.

An order for a public hearing July 2, on petition to accept Broadway in Ward Two.

An order for a public hearing July 2, on petition to accept Smith street as a public way.

An order for a public hearing July 2, on the petition to accept Charles street as a public way.

An order for a public hearing July 2, on the petition to accept Stewart street as a public way.

Leave to withdraw on the petition to extend Glencoe place to Bigelow street. Upon motion of Councilman Stone this report was laid on the table.

Reference to the Executive department of the order for crosswalks at the junction of Union and South Walnut, and junction of Washington and Chubback streets.

Leave to withdraw on the petition to resurface sidewalks on Pond and Mill streets.

Leave to withdraw on the petition to accept Pray street as a public way.

Ought to pass on the order for $3,000 macadamizing Liberty street. Referred to Finance Committee.

Ought to pass on the order for gravel sidewalks on Whitwell street. Referred to Finance Committee.

Leave to withdraw on the petition to extend Dimmock street to Glendale road.

Ought not to pass on the order for paved gutters on Greenleaf street.

Ought to pass on the order for paved gutters on Grand View avenue. Referred to Finance Committee.

Leave to withdraw on the petition to accept Eustis street.

Leave to withdraw on the petition to accept Broadway in Ward Six. Upon motion of Councilman Moir the report were laid on the table.

Ought not to pass on the order for gravel side walk on westerly side on Faxon road.

Reference to Exective Department on order for crosswalks at Atlantic.

Councilman Stone offered an order for $15,000 for furniture and furnishings for the High school. Referred to Finance Committee.

Councilman Stone offered an order for four fire alarm boxes at Houghs Neck as follows: Sea street at Willows; Sea street, corner Rock Island road; Sea street, corner Bay View avenue, and one on Great hill. Referred to Committee on Fire Department.

Upon motion of Councilman Chase rule one was suspended, and it was voted when the Council adjourn it be until Tuesday June 19.

Voted to adjourn.

Another Ballot Necessary.

An official canvass of the vote taken during the week of May 14, by the different branches of the Granite Cutters' Unions throughout the United States was made at the headquarters in Quincy Tuesday night.

The vote was on the future location of National headquarters. Up to the present time the headquarters have been changed every two years. Under the new law, however, the location once determined, practically becomes permanent.

Under the rules the vote taken was for the headquarters for the next five years. At the end of that time unless twenty branches should ask for a change the location selected holds good for another five years and so on.

The importance therefor of the recent vote is apparent. Seven branches were nominated in March, and the vote was taken as above noted. Every member of the union is obliged to vote or submit to a fine, so that there can be no cut and dried program about it.

A majority of the votes cast was necessary to select. In case of no choice a second ballot must be taken, but this time for a choice between the two branches having the largest vote.

As predicted in Tuesday's Daily Ledger, Quincy led, with New York second, and Washington third. Quincy, however, did not have a majority and the council at its meeting on Tuesday evening ordered another ballot, which will be taken the week beginning June 17 and ending June 23.

The ballot will be between Quincy and New York and the chances are that Quincy will win. As in the first ballot, every member of the union is obliged to vote or submit to a fine.

OUR HOSPITAL

(Legal Title: City Hospital of Quincy)

INCORPORATED 1889

The Trustees of the City Hospital of Quincy earnestly appeal for donations and bequests for the Endowment fund. This now amounts to over $60,000, but a fund of at least $100,000 is urgently needed.

Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) will endow a Free Bed to which such name may be given as the Donor may desire, but any sum for this noble institution which stands ready to serve us all in the hour of need, will be most gratefully received.

The Secretary, TIMOTHY REED, Adams St., Quincy, or the Treasurer, RICHARD D. CHASE, Savings Bank Building, Quincy, will be very glad to confer with any one or to answer any inquiries.

THE Young Men's Christian Association OF QUINCY, MASS.

(Legal Title - Incorporated 1852.)

The Directors of the YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION of Quincy, with a firm faith in the great value of the work which is being done for the young men and boys of our city, make their appeal for donations and bequests toward paying the mortgage indebtedness on the new Association Building. When the building is free from debt it will serve as an Endowment, as there is a goodly income from the dormitories.

Should the Donor prefer, such sum as might be given could be used as an Endowment for an educational class or classes, the Boys Department, or as a special fund in other ways, and could be designated with the name of the Donor.

The Treasurer, WILLIAM F. CUMMINGS, 7 Clive Street, Quincy, or the General Secretary, ERNEST G. GAY, will be happy to answer inquiries.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, June 6, 1906.

Beyond the statement several days ago from a member of the House committee on rules, which is investigating the bribery charges, that they believed that they had evidence which would secure conviction, there has been no important development of the case, as far as the news gets to the public. Much is published which is not true and which seems to have very little foundation. The committee keeps diligently at work, doing what it can to shorten the session. There is a feeling on the part of some of the members that no matter how long the session is continued by the investigation, it ought to to be continued long enough to clear up in the public mind the charges which have become lodged there. One of the Brockton members has said to a member of the committee, with the latter's agreement, that they want suspicion removed from the legislature so that the public will not feel that the House is a body of corrupt men. Members will not grudge a few days and a few dollars for the sake of clearing their own reputations incidentally and of the legislature principally. Thorough inquiry is being made, extending to the principal men of the leading bucket shop firms, to the financial editors of the Boston newspapers, to the lobbyists and to any who may possibly throw any light upon the charges in particular, and upon the moral state of the legislature generally. George J. Raymond the Boston lawyer who was concerned in the senatorial investigation in 1903, has disappeared. One of the committee tells me that last week Raymond's counsel was asking whether or not Raymond would be wanted again by the commiteee, and the answer was "Yes." Since then he has taken himself where he cannot be found. If he is in the state and can be found, he will be compelled to attend. But he cannot be extradited.

One of the conundrums before the legislature at this minute is whether the big steam and electric transportation interests have made a combination to put through the merger bill, or are willing to let it go over to next year, taking the interurban bill with it, or whether they will finally fight each other, the steam road opposing the interurban bill and the electric companies supporting it. If steam and electricity are to compete for transportation, then, by all the gods of the transportation world, the steam companies will fight the electric companies. But if both are to unite for the mutual purpose of bleeding the public, then they will do all they can for the passage of the merger bill this year so they can begin the process as soon as possible. The discouraging feature of the situation is that the initiative seems to come from the side of the corporations. The people do not say: "What shall we do with the big corporations?" But the anxious inquiry seems to be: "What will the big corporations do with us?" This is because lack of cooperations and initiative on the part of the people, while the corporations are always organized and always alert for their interests against the public welfare. The transportation committee of the Massachusetts state board of trade has taken action, but that is only one body and it needs active support by the public spirited senators and representatives if the opposition is to amount to much. There can be little doubt that the consolidation of the electric and steam transportation interests will increase powerfully the tendency toward public regulation or ownership of public monopolies. If the corporations get what they want now, they must take it knowing that the people will demand an accounting of them and perhaps will take away their property.

Without any opposition the branches are in favor of the bill for the establishment of a permanent industrial commission to have oversight of industrial schools in different cities and towns for the promotion of the industrial development of the children of the state. It is proposed that the state shall pay a part of the expense and so a steady policy be pursued which shall keep Massachusetts at the head of the industrial procession. This bill is one result of the investigation by the special commission of last year of which President Carroll D. Wright of Clark college was chairman, and it is expected to do for Massachusetts what is being done for Germany by the industrial and technical schools of that country. It is based in part upon the feeling that the public instruction should be of more practical consequence in preparing children for productiveness in actual life.

The committee on street railways, with some dissenters, has reported a bill which has had the support of a majority of the Senate requiring street railway companies to transport the pupils of private schools (which means parochial schools in its practical effect) the same as they transport pupils of the public schools at reduced fare. Objections that the companies cannot afford to do it and that the bill is probably unconstitutional are met by a flat denial and the majority simply outvotes the minority, and the bill promises to get to the House as it came from the committee.

As was expected, when the Senate got ready it sent back to the governor the original midnight liquor bill, the reconsideration of whose enactment had been refused. Then Gov. Guild vetoed it, as had been foreshadowed by those who were forecasting the course which must be taken, basing their opinion on a precedent in another state. Thus the tempest in a teapot has blown itself out and the state has a precedent it never had before.

This afternoon the Senate has finished the redistricting bill and passed it without change to be engrossed. There is dissent over the five western counties on the part of Representative Andrews of Holyoke, who wanted a bill which would give his city a better chance to carry the district at times. But there is a still more vigorous protest against what seems to be a positive gerrymander in Cambridge and the north end of Boston, whereby democratic wards in Cambridge are set over to a democratic district in Boston, making it more strongly democratic, but leaving the Cambridge district thereby weakened so much for the democrats as to make it probably republican. Its present senator is Senator McLeod, a democrat and a British-American. Some of the republican senators supported him in his protest and already the British Americans, republicans, have taken up the matter and are going to carry it into politics, ready to punish Guild if he promotes what they regard as an outrage, or do other things to vindicate their nationality. One of the western members of the redistricting committee has said to me that the bill was a gerrymander in that respect, but that the local representatives fixed it up as they pleased and then the full committee supported them. This promises to cost the republicans votes in a year when they need them far more than they need the senator from Cambridge, for one senator more or less does not count when the Senate is three-fourths republican.

Sunday-observance people have full warning of the effort to revise the Sunday laws by a special committee to sit during the recess, and if they are shrewd and active perhaps they can put some stiffening into the law, rather than let it be taken out. Rule.

AMONG THE CLUBS.

The Quincy Day Nursery association under the lead of Mrs. Charles M. Bryant has about perfected arrangements for the garden party which is to be held on the grounds of the Quincy Women's club on Saturday June 16th from three until ten o'clock. There are to be special attractions for the children in the afternoon also good music.

Members of the Quincy Historical society are to be entertained this afternoon from four until six by Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Adams, at the Presidential mansion on Adams street.

The Ladies' Physiological Institute of Boston is to have its annual picnic on June 14th, going on invitation of Mrs. Marion MacBride, to her home in North Weymouth, by way of Quincy.

The executive council of the National Congress of Mothers May 31st, at Minneapolis, adopted a resolution urging the United States Senate to declare vacant the seat of Senator Reed Smoot. It asks that a constitutional amendment be enacted giving the Federal Government power to deal with polygamy. The executive council also passed a resolution requesting every woman's organization to help secure the enactment of uniform divorce laws.

The dark and threatening clouds prevented the attendance of the large number who usually enjoy the June reception to mothers and children in Bethany church. The program was an excellent one from beginning to end. Mrs. James D. Kent rendered sweetly two solos. The Junior quartette met with hearty applause, and it would be useless to try to do justice to Mrs. A. A. Ellsworth's manner of conducting the devotional exercises or Mrs. W. E. Alden's most excellent paper on "Books and reading."

DAUGHTERS OF THE REVOLUTION.

Adams chapter Daughters of the Revolution were delightfully entertained for their June meeting at the home of Mrs. H. H. Rountree, Randolph, on Monday afternoon. The hospitality committee assisting Mrs. Rountree were Mrs. Sarah K. Porter, Mrs. Charles H. Belcher and Mrs. Frank Granger.

The chapter decided to accept the cordial invitation of Mrs. Laura Wentworth Fowler to visit Daisy Farm at Dedham on Thursday June 21st as her guests. If stormy the chapter will go the following day.

A fine program had been planned for the afternoon and at the close of the short business meeting there was a piano solo by Miss Drake followed by a most interesting talk on Concord, Mass., by Rev. Mr. Bulkley of Beverly. He gave much of the literary side of Concord as well as its history.

As it was his ancestral home and he also at one time preached there, his address was full of personal reminiscences.

The program closed with another piano selection by Miss Drake which was heartily applauded, after which social chat was enjoyed until car time. Ices, fruit punch and cake were dispensed by the hostesses. There was a large attendance and it brought the chapter meetings for this season, to a very pleasant close.

HOSPITAL AID ASSOCIATION

The fact that the City Hospital of Quincy now stands free from debt has given the Hospital Aid association fresh courage to work for a Nurses' Home. The president, Mrs. Joseph C. Morse, proposes to hold a sale in November, at her home on Goffe street, in aid of this much needed object. All members and friends are urged to keep this in mind during the summer and to make either useful or fancy articles and to solicit contributions for this sale in the autumn. The fund is already something more than a thousand dollars. Let all try by united effort to make this long dreamed of Nurses' Home take tangible shape in the near future. Remember it was the Hospital Aid association that built the hospital laundry and it is apparently to be their work to furnish suitable quarters for the faithful nurses.

DAY NURSERY MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Day Nursery Association was held Tuesday, June 5, in rooms of the Women's Club

The matron reported an attendance of 185 children during the month, five new ones having been admitted.

Mrs. Bryant, who has the lawn party in charge, reported her committees a doing well, and arrangements were progressing satisfactorily.

The receipts from "Scenes from Dickens" given by the Friday club at Mrs. Theo. King's amounted to $155.50.

We wish to acknowledge the receipt of the following donations to the Nursery: Rug, tapioca, clothing and jelly, 2 loaves of bread, from a friend; clothing from Mrs. Walters; cotton wool for pilch, from Mrs. Ross.

Autoists Fined.

Yesterday was automobile and motor cycle day at the district court. Quincy and Milton furnished the cases. Twelve were summoned by Officer Goodhue of Quincy for exceeding the speed limit. Of this number four were motor cycles. Milton was a good second with seven cases. Fines were imposed according to the speed attained by the different machines, as follows:

For speeding at Quincy:

Robert E. Apthorp of Milton,	$15
Alex A. Carson of Braintree,	$10
John Oswood of Brockton,	$10
William A. Cochran of Boston,	$15
Edwin Tyler of Boston,	$10
Freeman Hinkley of Boston,	$15
J. Ellis Shaw of Roslindale,	$10
C. E. Carlson of Brockton,	$10
William Ourish of Boston,	continued until June 16.

For speeding at Milton:

Harry C. Hollins of Boston	$15.
Ernest Flentze of Cambridge,	continued until June 13.
Fred H. Parsons of Newton,	continued until June 13.
Tyler Morse of Beverley,	$10
Hellock Wells of Boston,	$15
Frank C. Dole of Boston,	$10
Harry W. Doherty of Boston,	$10.

—Ex-Governor Morrill, of Kansas, is part owner of an 800-acre orchard in Wailula, where 50,000 trees are expected to bear this year, and he expects to make about $1 net from each tree in case the season is good.

Is It Constitutional?

The constitutionality of the pony express bill relative to transportation of liquors is questioned, because it provides that act shall take effect May 1, 1906, but was not approved until May 25, 1906.

Undoubtedly any one summoned into court for illegal transportation previous to May 25 would be discharged, but no such cases are probable. Further, no prosecutions are probable until after the licensing boards have passed on applications for licenses. Several such petitions have been filed in Quincy, and reports are not expected before June 19. After that date unlicensed expressmen will be liable if they continue the traffic.

New Books.

The following is a list of new books at the Thomas Crane Public Library:

	Shelf No.
Adler, Felix. Essentials of spirituality.	543 63
All the year round: a nature reader, vol. 4. Summer.	506 68
Baldwin, *Mrs.* Alfred. Pedlar's pack.	j 285 69
Carpenter, W. B. Witness to the influence of Christ: the William Belden Noble lectures, 1904.	532 58
Duncan, Frances. Mary's garden and how it grew.	j 464 30
Glasgow, Ellen. Wheel of life.	318 61
Gosse, Edmund. Sir Thomas Browne. [English men of letters]	435 85
Granger, Edith, *editor.* Index to poetry and recitations.	Ref. G.
Hough, Emerson. Heart's Desire: story of a contented town, certain peculiar citizens, and two fortunate lovers.	237 54
McDougall, Isabel. Little royalties: stories about the children of the rulers of Europe; written for the children of the rulers of America	j 457 64
MacGrath, Harold. Hearts and masks.	328 77
Meili, Friedrich. International civil and commercial law, as founded upon theory, legislation, and practice. Translated, and supplemented with additions of American and English law, by A. K. Kuhn.	65 120
Mims, Edwin. Sidney Lanier.	419 41
New England historical and genealogical register. Vol. 59. 1905.	Ref. 520
New international encyclopædia. 20 v.	Ref. F
Courses of reading and study in the New international encyclopædia.	Ref. F
O'Connor, W. D. Heroes of the storm.	67 102
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. Maker of history.	328 98
Paine, A. B. Little garden calendar. Th. Nast: his period and his pictures.	j 462 39 411 71
Quirk, L. W. Baby Elton, quarterback.	j 281 90
Rhode Island soldiers and sailors historical society. Personal narratives [of events in the war of the rebellion.] 6th series. Nos. 1-10.	397 29
Severy, M. L. Mystery of June 13th	299 59
Sidgwick, *Mrs.* Alfred. Professor's legacy.	214 45
Wasson, G. S. Green shay.	299 78
Wells, Carolyn. Patty at home. Patty in the city. *Sequel* to Patty at home.	j 271 46 j 271 47
Who's who, 1906.	Ref. C
Williamson, C. N. *and* Alice M. My friend the chauffeur.	325 51

The District Court.

Richard H. Randall and Otto Stutzell were fined $20 each for exceeding the automobile speed limit at the Blue Hills parkway.

Bert E. Griffin was arraigned for violation of the liquor law at Braintree. Case continued until today.

Bernard McIntire was fined $10 for assault on Conductor Towne, on a street car at Quincy.

Osborne Howes was fined $5 and Francis R. Parks $10, for exceeding the automobile speed limit at Milton.

Martin DiMonti was arraigned for assault on Gertrude Goldner at Quincy. Case continued until June 21.

John Pettepit was arraigned for assault on Gertrude Goldner and Jacob Goldner. Case continued until June 21.

Samuel McInnis was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Umberto Giordani and Gioranni Cellini were arraigned for disturbing the peace at Quincy, and were fined $5 each.

Daniel O'Meara was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until July 7.

George Healey was fined $15 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

A number of cases that had been continued to pay fined were called and disposed of.

Alice Murray was fined $50 for violation of the liquor law at Quincy.

A number of automobilists were in court for exceeding the speed limit at Quincy and Milton and fines imposed.

Leburton Butler was fined $10 for exceeding the automobile limit at Milton.

Thomas J. Rogan was arraigned for intimidating a workman at the yard of John McDonnell at Quincy. Case continued until next Thursday.

Abraham Blumerthal was fined $20 for collecting junk without a license at Milton.

Ambrose Blondie and Edward O'Neil were fined $15 each for assault on Benjamin Rappaport at Quincy.

Edward Begon, who was arraigned for the same offence, had his case continued two weeks.

John B. Osborne was arraigned for automobile speeding at Weymouth. Case placed on file on payment of costs amounting to $3 55.

Cyrus H. Hapgood was fined $15 for exceeding the speed limit with an automobile at Cohasset.

Abel E. Brown was arraigned for violation of the City Ordinances of Quincy by collecting junk without a license. Case continued until next Wednesday.

John J. McAuliff was fined $3 for disturbing the peace at Randolph.

Births.

COLLINS—In Quincy, June 7, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Collins of 199 South street.

ARNOLD—In Braintree, June 6, a son to Mr. and Mrs. H

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Poetry.

Satisfied.

I don't think I would care to change
This old world if I could.
What could be sweeter than the songs
Of wild birds in the wood?
Or prettier than sweet sixteen?
More grand than matronhood?
Oh, no, I wouldn't change the world
At all; not if I could.

Could I improve a baby's laugh?
Add sweetness to the look
A mother gives her little brood?
Add beauty to the brook?
I would not dare nor care to tell;
Sky, wood and plain, and dell,
Are good enough for me, I guess;
They suit me pretty well.

—Houston Post.

Notes and Comments.

—Like all strenuous men, President Roosevelt is apt to put himself in a position to be misunderstood, and the latest episode furnishes another evidence of such a fact. It is unfortunate that more moderation could not have been shown by both sides to the dispute, for such a quarrel between public men with acute recriminations are neither instructive nor edifying. Toleration both in language and action is a splendid trait to cultivate; calling your opponent a liar is never a convincing argument. —Old Colony Memorial.

—The wrong doing of the city treasurer of Newburyport, who is a defaulter to the amount of nearly $90,000, is but another illustration of the difficulty experienced in trying to get rich quick. To men with moderate incomes it too often becomes irksome, the endeavor to live within that income and be satisfied. Men everywhere are watching the course of the market, and stories of sudden riches acquired in stock speculation encourage the belief that it is an easy thing to play the market. Where one man succeeds, however, in speculation, hundreds and thousands lose, and it generally happens that the outsider takes his turn just at the time when prices are the highest. Mr. Felker, the official who handled the money of the city of Newburyport, says that investments in mining and industrial ventures were what swamped him.—Banker and Tradesman.

—I believe that wealth, which owes the greatest part of its value to the protection it gets from the government without which wealth would dwindle away should pay more toward the support of the government than the poor. I believe that every millionaire, say in excess of $10,000,000 should be taxed so that it would be almost impossible for him to accumulate more. I don't believe in the man with a thousand millions. Think of the power he has, the power to ruin parties and destroy a thousand homes.—Judge Ashman of Philadelphia.

—In cutting a hole large enough to admit the new fire proof safe to the town house at Plymouth recently, an oak timber was cut which measured 11 by 15 inches and showed the marks of the axe used in hewing it 156 years ago. The wood was perfectly sound and extremely hard.

—Only about one pineapple in 20,000 has seeds in it, and it is from these seeds that new varieties are produced.

—We have, most of us, come to see that it will not do to substitute the personal will, or the personal whim, for the law, or to admit that any government has the right to license men to violate the law. In a self-governing community rebellion against the law, is rebellion against the people, and so is anarchy. For the law is made by the people, and is their will. Whether it be a corporation, a labor union, an individual, a saloon keeper—whether the rebel be rich or poor, obscure or prominent—does not matter. The law binds all, and must be enforced on all alike.—Dedham Transcript.

—President Eliot, of Harvard, condemns the paying of large salaries to the heads of great corporations. That's a good idea. Save the money and pass it to the man down the line who needs it.

—"There is no better index to a town than its newspaper," says Gov. E. W. Hoch of Kansas. "If it is well printed, attractive in its makeup, reliable in its news columns, strong in editoral comment, but, above all, liberal in advertising patronage, depend upon it, nine cases out of ten, that town is an enterprising, up to date town; but if the paper looks shabby depend upon it the town is shabby, for a newspaper is everywhere and always a town's best mirror." Gov. Hoch evidently knows what he is talking about. A newspaper is the town's representative. It belongs to the people, is at their service and deserves their support. Its advertising columns should be so filled with local advertising that it could afford to refuse the patronage of out of town concerns. The home paper is an excellent advertising medium.—Randolph Register.

—The "physicians trust" which, it was asserted, existed for the purpose of compelling legislation to make dealers in patent medicines print upon their goods the formulas as to the ingredients used, appears to have met defeat. It is doubtful not to say improbable that any such "trust" ever existed, but the bill was defeated at all events. The result of the proposed legislation may have been unfortunate, but it was not calamitous. It would have given a mild sort of protection to the public, that is to that part which has the intelligence and inclination to take advantage of it. But the bill would not have worked any astonishing reform, for the remedy for the patent medicine evil lies not in legislation but in the education of the people into an appreciation of the economic and hygienic reasons why they should not dose themselves with drugs of which they do not even know the names.—Banker and Tradesman.

—June is here and summer, glad and joyous summer, is upon us. It will be all too short, but while it is here let every one enjoy it to the utmost. Be out of doors all you can and learn from the song of the birds, the bright and joyous sunshine that life is worth the living. All animate nature is making for life in the enjoyment of all those faculties with which a wise and beneficent Ruler has endowed them. "What is so rare as a day in June."

—Just why President Roosevelt should issue an order barring all men under five feet five inches in height from appointment as officers in the United States army is puzzling, when it is recollected that the brave Gen. Phil Sheridan was only five feet three inches in height and Gen. Joe Wheeler about the same, and no one will deny that they were able to carry out all duties of their official positions in a manner satisfactory to the nation. In fact the history of the civil war shows that the small, wiry men, as a rule, held out longer, and endured more of hardship without injury than heavier men.—Athol Chronicle.

—The change in industrial moves in the country is such that in place of many large manufacturing concerns locating in one city, it has become the fashion to build industrial towns which shall be given over entirely to one particular industry as is shown by the action of the United States steel corporation in Indiana, for instance, on the shores of Lake Michigan, where there is to be a $75,000,000 steel plant erected by the Indiana steel company connected with the steel trust. The plant will cover one square mile, and the company has purchased thousands of acres in addition, which will be used for railroad yards, workmen's cottages and other purposes. When it is completed the number of men employed in the steel industry there will be 15,000, a well sized community by themselves.

June Magazines.

The June Lippincott's opens with "Two in a Fog," a complete novelette of compelling interest by William H. Babcock. This is a story of love and adventure around the oyster-beds of Chesapeake Bay, a field which has not been over-worked by the fictionist and which abounds in material ripe to his hand, "Two in a Fog" opens in a fog and closes in a fog—yet its quality of humor is bright enough to penetrate even the atmosphere that has made London famous. Mr. Babcock's books "The Tower of Wye" and "Fort Kent Manor" met with much success and their implied promise is amply fulfilled in this new novel.

The June Century is a travel number. Ernst von Hesse Wartegg describes with interesting detail the wonderful Alpine trolley partly completed to the Jungfrau peak. In this number begins the new serial by Anne Warner, creator of the inimitable Susan Clegg. "Seeing France With Uncle John" is the title; and the first chapters promise that Uncle John will prove to be a creation full of humor. Some of the short stories—there are several of them—also have the travel spirit.

The June St. Nicholas is a number to read through at one sitting—for Harry wins the skating championship for "the school" in "The Crimson Sweater;" in "From Sioux to Susan," Sue and Virginia reach Hope Hall and begin their boarding school adventures; Pinkey Perkins has the egg-collecting fever; Helen Nicolay's "The Boys' Life of Lincoln" paints vividly Lincoln's trials and courage during the dismal days of the Civil War; and Grace MacGowan Cooke tells a new plantation story, that of "The Lazy Goose." There are a number of short stories besides, "The Master Hand," "What's in a Name," "A Hand-made Flag," "The Invention of Soap Bubbles," "A True Story" of a Newfoundland dog. "The Cure of Joe's Beesting" and "Polly's Pound Party," with plenty of rhymes and pictures.

Deserving Tribute.

Rollin Synde Hartt writes interestingly of a well known Wollaston man in the Boston Transcript, and pays him high tribute. He says in part: Mr. Rufus B. Tobey has resigned, this time from control of the Floating Hospital. Its an old habit of his—resigning, and every time he resigns he comes out bigger than before. Years ago he abandoned a mercantile position for the ministry, only to make his business experience an ally in his parish work. Later on he left the pulpit, only to make his pastoral experience an ally in his philanthropic undertakings at Berkeley Temple. Eleven years ago he withdrew from the Temple's "social wing," only to make the skill he had acquired there an ally in his newly founded enterprise called the Memorial Trust. And sometimes he has a way of founding an institution, nursing it through its babyhood, teaching it to walk, helping it to grow up, and then letting continue its career without further guidance of his. Thus he resigned three years ago from the Ingleside, and thus he has now resigned from the Floating Hospital. He turns naturally to what the old Oxonian maxim calls "ye nexte thyng," or, to state it more precisely, lets "ye next thyng" come to him.

For the Plaintiffs.

In the Norfolk Superior court at Dedham on Monday the Quincy Savings Bank secured a verdict of $5,400 against Thomas H. McDonnell, in suit on a joint promissory note.

A verdict of $300 was given Barthly King in action against Fred M. Farrington of Milton for injuries from assault in 1902.

—Maria T. Croker of Weymouth, a milliner, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $994 and assets of $325.

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I. O. O. F. Memorial Services.

The annual memorial service of John Hancock lodge of Odd Fellows of Wollaston on Sunday recalled the frightful accident of the Fourth of July last year when two firemen lost their lives in responding to a fire alarm. One of these Robert T. Fisher was also an Odd Fellow. Another member of the lodge to pass away during the year was Allen G. McKinley.

John Hancock lodge invited several bodies of Odd Fellows to participate and there was a goodly representation from Mt. Wollaston lodge, Crescent lodge, Neponset lodge, Wompatuck encampment, Manet encampment, Steadfast Rebekah lodge, Reliance Rebekah lodge, and Geo. L. Gill Rebekah lodge.

A procession was formed at Odd Fellows hall on Newport avenue and marched to St. Chrysostom's Episcopal church, where services were held at 4.30. Every seat in the edifice was occupied.

Rev. A. Edwin Clattenburg, the rector, was assisted by the full vested choir, which added interest. The order of service was:

Processional Hymn, "Ascensiontide"
Sentences, Confession, Absolution and Versicles.
Psalter
First lesson, from the Old Testament
Magnificat
Second lesson, from the New Testament
Nunce Dimittis
Apostle's Creed and Versicles.
Prayers
Hymn, "Our Lord is risen from the dead"
Necrologic Address, Past Grand A. Johnston
Hymn, "Alleluia"
Sermon, Rev. A. Edw in Clattenburg
Offertory
Presentation of Alms
Prayers
Benediction
Recessional Hymn, "Go forward, Christian soldier."

Past Grand Johnston in his necrologic address spoke highly of the two deceased members and briefly sketched their lives.

Bro. Robert T. Fisher was born in Stoughton June 26, 1876, where he worked in a laundry and cotton mill. He moved to Wollaston and entered the employ of the Tubular Rivet and Stud Co., and was also a member of the fire department of the city. He became an Odd Fellow Dec. 4, 1901, and was killed July 4, 1905, while riding to a fire on the hook and ladder truck which collided with a tree.

Bro. Allen G. McKinley was born in Nova Scotia, Sept. 16, 1867. Some years ago he became a resident of Wollaston, and was a painter and decorator. He joined the order Oct. 12, 1893, and was at one time financial secretary. In Dec., 1902, he was stricken with paralysis and died Nov. 19, 1905.

Rev. A. E. Clattenburg took for his text a portion of St. Luke's gospel, verses 25 to 37 inclusive: "And behold a certain lawyer stood up and tempted him, saying, Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life? And he said unto him. What is written in the law? how readest thou? And he answering said, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbor as thyself. And he said unto him, Thou hast answered right: this do and thou shalt live. But he, desiring to justify himself, said unto Jesus, And who is my neighbor? Jesus made answer and said, A certain man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho; and he fell among robbers, which both stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. And by chance a certain priest was going down that way: and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. And in like manner a Levite also, when he came to the place, and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was: and when he saw him he was moved with compassion and came to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on them oil and wine, and he set him on his own beast and brought him to an inn and took care of him. And on the morrow he took out two pence and gave them to the host and said, Take care of him, and whatsoever thou spendest more, I, when I come back again, will repay thee. Which of these three thinkest thou proved neighbor unto him that fell among the robbers? And he said, He that shewed mercy on him. And Jesus said unto him, Go and do thou likewise."

The rector told the history of the parable, showing that the deed of kindness of the Good Samaritan meant considerable in those days of hatred among Jews and Israelites. Christ teaches us that we must love our enemies as well as our friends.

The speaker then quoted the creed of Odd Fellowship and said nothing was left out. It inculcates brotherly love and extends help to members. Perhaps the only criticism when squared with the teachings of Christ was exclusiveness. The lodge helps only its members. The spirit of true brotherhood helps all.

There is an all seeing eye, and when one looks to God, he will find that God is looking at him.

Visited by Burglars.

The residence of Mrs. Mary A. Reed at 51 Coddington street was entered early Saturday evening by burglars who rummaged the house from top to bottom. Everything was turned upside down, drawers turned inside out and in fact every place where the parties thought valuables might be found was overhauled.

Early in the evening Mrs. Reed and her daughter went out for a walk. They returned about ten o'clock. When Mrs. Reed tried to open the door she found something wrong. She could not unlock it as it had evidently been tampered with. After some minutes however they were able to gain entrance and the sight that met their eyes was one that caused tears to flow. The contents of bureau drawers was scattered about the room and everything was in confusion.

A hasty examination showed that a purse containing over $50 in money was gone and also an amethyst ring. The ring was of a peculiar design, the setting being in the shape of a Scottish thistle. Several other pieces of jewelry in a dressing case were not touched.

It is reported that an unsuccessful attempt was made to enter the house a few nights ago. The police were notified of the break a few minutes after its discovery.

Rev. John Peterson.

Rev. John Peterson who was pastor of the West Quincy M. E. church in 1901, died in the Homeopathic Hospital in Boston on May 31st. He has recently resided in Dedham, being a supernumary at Oakland. He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Granville Hoffs of East Dedham.

Rev. Mr. Peterson was born in Coleraine, Mass., in 1831, and was a graduate of Wesleyan University. He held numerous pastorates, including Athol, Leominster, Wakefield, Ware, Framingham, Holyoke, Gloucester, Newburyport, Newton, Northampton, Lowell and Quincy.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2 P. M. at the East Dedham M. E. church.

School Committee Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the School Committee was held Saturday evening.

The resignaton of Miss Virginia Rowell of the Massachusetts Fields school was accepted.

Mary W. Patterson was transferred from the Willard to the Massachusetts Fields school.

SAN FRANCISCO BUILDING.

It was voted to allow the children of the public schools to contribute toward a fund for a school building at San Francisco. The contributions of individuals in the elementry schools to be limited to five cents and in the High school to ten cents.

Many of the teachers in service three years have previously been elected for tenure of office, and these additions were made:

High school,—Samuel D. Thompson.
Cranch school,—Elsie E. Turner.
Quincy school,—Katherine A. Pike.
Washington school,—Nina B. Gage.
Willard school,—Charles H. Taylor, and Agnes M. MacWilliams.
Wollaston school,—Gertrude H. Glavin.

The following teachers were reelected for one year:

High school,—Melvin T. Holbrook, Charles H. Stone, Clarence I. Lewis, W. Harold Claflin, Norma C. Lowe, Helen M. Sherman, Grace A. Howe, Ethelwyn A. Rea, Adele Schroder, Annie M. Cheever, Alice A. Todd and Lee T. Gray.

Adams school,—Maude A. Hickey, and Lucy B. Page.

Coddington school, — Walter H. Bentley, Alice F. Joss, Elizabeth B. Beaudry and Mary L. Hunt.

Cranch school,—Alice M. Lane, Mary L. Egan, Annie C. Healy, Edith G. Coyle and Mary L. Rodgers.

Gridley Bryant school,—Agnes A. Fisher and Helen I. Mahoney.

John Hancock school,—Archer M. Nickerson, Elizabeth Hiscook, Nellie McNealy and Mary E. Burns.

Lincoln school,—Arthur M. Nickerson, Jennie J. Valentine, Lillian A. Baker, Gertrude A. Williams, Clara Merrill and Bessie M. Drew.

Massachusetts Fields school, — C. Ralph Taylor.

Quincy School,—Laura B. Tolman, Julia A. Simmons, Anne H. Upton, Alice J. McAlister, Florence M. Howe, Laura Hall and E. Marion Demick.

Washington School, —Ethel Voglar and Mary A. Bonney.

Willard School,—Lula E. Payson, Ina M. Harden, Mary W. Patterson and Alice M. Parker.

Wollaston School,— C. Ralph Taylor, Avis M. Kemp, Fannie G. Blair, Lora M. Hunt, Mary L. Clark and Carolyn A. Bates.

The financial statement to May 29 follows:

	Appropriation.	Expended.	Balance.
Salaries,	$94,585.00	$45,191.11	$49,393.89
Janitors,	7,651.68	3,078.95	4,572.73
Books, Supplies and Sundries	9,200 00	3,598.90	5,601.10
Rents,	1,260.00	427.50	832.50
Fuel,	6,999.32	3,315.15	3,684.17
Transportation	1.100.00	654.80	445.20
Evening Schools	1 500.00	0.00	1,500.00
Totals,	$122,296.00	$56,266.41	$66,029 59

Thayer Academy Reunion.

Invitations had been sent out to all graduates and former pupils of Thayer academy for a reunion at the school June first. There was a glad response.

One class met together as early as three o'clock in the afternoon. At five o'clock nearly all the classes were well represented. At six o'clock there was a reception in the girls' gymnasium. It was a pleasure to meet Prof. J. B. Sewall, Dr. Gallagher, Miss Sarah L. Arnold and Dr. Pitkin.

A fine supper was served at six-thirty. A song composed for the reunion by Annie K. Dyer, '83, led by Prof. Sewall was heartily rendered.

It seemed good to hear Prof. Sewall who is in his eightieth year tell so fluently reminiscences of the first 19 years of the academy's history.

The following letter from one of the trustees of Thayer academy was read by Mr. Hagar:

"It would give me much pleasure to attend a meeting of the graduates of Thayer academy and to meet in person a considerable number of those whom the school has helped to fit for their life work. My distance from Braintree has caused my visits to be only at long intervals, and therefore I have only occasionally touched the pupils. But I know that many of them have begun to be of distinction in the world, thus bearing witness to the excellent guidance which they have derived from their association with the academy; and it would be highly gratifying to those of us who are especially charged with the oversight of the school if an association of the alumni could be so established as to lend to the graduation days the prestige and dignity which always attach in the minds of the undergraduates, to the gathering of former members, for the renewal of old memories, and the pledge of future sympathy with what the institution stands for.

Wherefore please exhort the young man and women, in my name, to come to the help of the trustees, by their annual presence at our festival seasons and their organization of an association for lending a hand to the furtherance of plans of good for the school.

George A. Thayer.

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 1, 1906.

Miss Sarah L. Arnold won the hearts of all with her graceful manner, pertinent stories and broad faith.

Prof. Oakman was chairman of the occasion. He called on Dr. Gallagher and others to speak of the use of an alumni association. All seemed to desire such an organization.

The constitution as presented by the committee was accepted and the following officers were elected to serve two years:

President,—Asa P. French.
Vice President, — Miss Annie K. Dyer.
Secretary,—Mrs. Atherton N. Hunt.
Treasurer,—Willam W. Gallagher.
Executive committee of seven,—the above officers, E. S. Litchfield, Miss Blanch Hazard and Merton L. Emerson.

Stole Express Team.

Boston papers report that officials of division 1 Tuesday afternoon arrested Joseph Bemis, 32 years old, of 65 1-2 Green street on the charge of stealing a pair of horses, a wagon and a load of merchandise, all valued at more than $600, the property of Nicholas T. Murphy of 59 Crescent street, West Quincy.

Murphy left his outfit at the corner of North and Blackstone streets while he went into a store to get a parcel. When he came out the horses and wagon were missing. He went to station 1 and in a short time all the officers in the market district were on the lookout. Half an hour later the outfit was recovered as Bemis was driving along. He was sent to the station and the outfit returned to the owner.

Quincy Yacht Club.

A wholesail southwesterly breeze greeted the yachts of the Quincy club at its second race of the season on Saturday afternoon off the club house at Houghs Neck. As in the race of a week ago interest was centered in the new Cape cat Iris of Commodore Crane. In this race she kept well in the lead over the course and got the gun at the finish but lost the race on time allowance.

It was an interesting race between the Iris and the Josephine the latter sailed by William P. Barker, owner of the prize winner Omeme. When the two boats turned the buoy off Peddocks Island they were but twenty seconds apart and the beat to the home buoy furnished a fine exhibition of sailing as seldom witnessed. The boats were apparently well matched although from the club house it looked as though the Josephine was pointing a little higher than the Iris. It was also evident that Commodore Crane was not driving the Iris as hard as he might.

When well over toward the Peddocks Island shore the Iris was pointed for the finish line. Commodore Crane kept her on that point with an accuracy that was a fine example of seamanship. It looked at one time as though he would not be able to cross without coming about, but she held true and shot over 35 seconds ahead of the Josephine having gained fifteen seconds on her from the Peddocks Island buoy.

As noted above, although the Iris finished first, correct time placed her in the fourth position. Corrected time also gave the Hustler first position although she was fourth in crossing the line at the finish.

The Idler parted her stay during the race, and was obliged to withdraw. The Dolly, Atalanta, Arawake and Moondyne not having been measured their correct time cannot be given.

The judges were ex-Commodore C. F. Pettengill, Thomas L. Williams and Thomas E. Furnald. The summary:

Name and owner.	Actual Time.	Cor'ected Time.
	h. m. s.	h. m. s.
Hustler, H.W. Robbins	1 54 56	1 14 9
Marvel, I. M. Whittemore	1 54 10	1 14 20
Josephine, F. H. Smith	1 53 40	1 14 30
Iris, F. F. Crane	1 53 05	1 15 47
Dolly, Warren Arnold	2 01 50	not m.
Atalanta, A. A. Lincoln	2 03 25	not m.
Arawake, H. C. Nickerson	2 04 00	not m.
Moondyne, W. H. Shaw	2 04 10	not m
Idler, C. T. Willis		withdrew

Mt. Wollaston Cemetery.

Editors Patriot:

Much has been written, and said in praise of Mount Wollaston cemetery which certainly is a beautiful spot, and well cared for, but a loud voice of protest should go up from every lot owner in the cemetery, every tax payer, the Board of Trade, the Citizens' committee the Women's club, and like organizations for the wretched condition prevailing outside the cemetery.

Why is the unfinished condition allowed to exist? Each Memorial Day it has been thought that by another year there would be a beautiful approach, with smooth roadway, grass edge, sidewalk and shrubs, but each year brings disappointment. People owning lots in the cemetery have the right to ask for better treatment at the hands of the city.

At least there should be a good sidewalk for those who walk, and those who get off the cars at the entrance should not have to wallow in gravel and dust.

Many would like an entrance for pedestrians at the corner of Coddington and Valley streets, which would lead to a roadway in the cemetery where the walking is more comfortable than it is outside.

It is thought that if the enlarging of the cemetery and removal of the wall had been left in the hands of the cemetery officials the place would now be as attractive without the gates as within.

Mr. Councilman, Mr. Commissioner, who is to blame? Is it to be allowed to continue an eyesore to every passer-by and a disgrace to the city?

Lot Owner.

Remick--Bumpus.

Christ church was the scene of a pretty wedding at 3.30 Saturday afternoon, when Miss Christine Bumpus, the only daughter of Judge Everett C. Bumpus, and Mr. Eliot Wickham Remick of Boston, were united in marriage by the rector, Rev. W. E. Gardner. The bride was most attractive in white crepe de chine, trimmed with Spanish lace. Her bouquet was of sweet peas. Miss Helen Bell, daughter of Judge Bell of Andover, was maid of honor, and very pretty she looked in her white net over rose pink, trimmed with roses, a white hat with pink bloom and and pink roses in her hand.

The decorations at the church were designed by Miss Adele Thayer, an intimate friend of the family, and were artistic and effective, all in pink and white.

Mr. Remick, who is a graduate of Harvard, '99, and treasurer of the National Society of American Folklore, had for his best man his brother, John Anthony Remick, Jr., Harvard, '06. The ushers were Messrs. Frank O. White, a classmate, Hollis Burgess of the 1900 class, Arthur Pickering of Salem, Joseph Bell of Andover, Harvard law school, '05, George Lawton of Quincy, Harvard, '09, and Morris Bumpus, a brother of the bride.

A reception followed the ceremony at the residence of Judge Bumpus on Goffe street, which was largely attended.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of recent real estate sales in Quincy.

Herbert T. Whitman et al trs. to Kate A. Foster.
Charles F. Adams et al trs. to O C R R Co.
Ellen M. Carpenter to Herbert Hicks
James S. Draper to John F. Ketterer
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Julius Johnson to Georgs W. Turner
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Pauline S. Bigelow to Julia E. Fuller, $10
John H. Dinegan to Julia E. Fuller, $8
William T. Soule to Julia E. Fuller, $4
Frank E. Hall et al to Willard Welsh, $149
Thomas M. Chisholm to Willard Welsh, $23
City of Quincy to James H. Penniman, $17
Patrick Carey to Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.
Climena H. Drake to Winifred F. Garbarino et al
Charles Galligan to Mary E. Lynch
Susan B. Collins to Edward Billings
John Cashman et al to Hiram W. Campbell (2)
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Elisha Luce to Frederick W. Kilpatrick.
Benj. H. Sherwood et ux to Fred W. Wood
Fred W. Wood to Charles W. Pike
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John R. Bartlet to Matthew Kinniburgh
Frank C. Whitney to Eugene W. O'Connor
Mary S. Olney to Eugene W. O'Connor
Eugene W. O'Connor to Marion F. Harper
Emma A. Spears to Henry J. Landry
Edwin W. Newcomb et al to Fore River Ship Building Co.
Chas. L. Badger et al to Hiram W. Campbell
Frank N. Robinson tr to John H. Dinegan
Hugh P. Tracy et ux to Thomas F. Murphy
Thomas F Murphy to Julia A. Tracey
William F. Stedman to Maria F. Johnson
Maria F. Johnson to Julia E. Coburn et al
Harry N. Squires to Elizabeth B. Miller.
Frek H. Robinson to James E. Tisdale

Base Ball.

Only nine safe hits were made on the Fore River grounds on Saturday in a twelve inning game played by the Fore Rivers and South Quincys. It was a pitchers' battle as the 17 strike outs by Kelley and 14 by Patterson show. Also that the outer garden for South Quincy only had two chances, and for the Fore Rivers only four chances.

The Fore Rivers began the scoring in the first inning, when Tate opened with a safe hit to right field. A. Dunn got first on an error, and a pass for Drake filled the bases. Then an error by Quinn allowed two to score, and gave Birnie his base. Drake was out at home plate in attempting to score on J. Dunn's hit. Black fanned, but Eldridge got hit and again filled the bases. Patterson closed the inning at first.

South Quincy went out one-two-three.

After two were out for Fore River A. Dunn hit safely and Drake followed with a two bagger to right field resulting in an earned run. Burnie fanned.

For South Quincy Duffy hit safely to center field, stole second and reached third on error. Spargo got a pass, and Duffy scored on Marion's hit on a close decision.

Fore River had two men thrown out at the home plate in the third but secured one run. J. Dunn reached first on an error, Black on a pass and Eldridge on an error. Dunn was caught off third, Black scored on Eldridge's hit, but Eldridge overrun third on Patterson's hit. Shuman fanned.

This closed the run getting for the Fore River, the score being 4 to 1 in their favor. They had three men left on bases in the sixth, but only two in the other eight innings, and it was generally one-two-three order.

South Quincy was unable to get a man on base in the third or fourth but found the ball in the fifth, and scored two unearned runs. An error by Black gave Marion his base and a safe hit by Kiley to right field advanced him, but he was out at the home plate, Tate assisting. Kelly fanned, but Tate misjudged Forbes hit and Kiley and Collins crossed the plate. Quinn closed the inning.

In the sixth South Quincy tied the score. After two were out Spargo hit a ball over first base. Birnie called it a foul and made no effort at first to get it, and later could not find the ball, allowing Spargo to score. There was some dispute over it being a fair ball but it was finally allowed.

In only one inning after that did South Quincy do anything. The score was a tie in the ninth and tenth innings. In the eleventh Forbes retired at first, J. Dunn assisting. Quinn got a safe hit over third base which many called a foul. Oswald got first on an error. Duffy, the heavy hitter, was next up, and Patterson gave him a pass filling the bases. With the excitement high, Patterson struck out Spargo and Marion.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
Fore River,	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4
S. Quincy,	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4

Earned runs—Fore River, 1; South Quincy, 1. Two-base hits—Drake. Double plays—Patterson to Dunn to Birnie. Struck out—By Patterson, 14; by Kelly, 17. Bases on balls—By Patterson, 2; by Kelly, 4. Hit by pitch—Ball—Eldredge. Umpires—Ferris and Kelly. Time—2h. 45 m.

The Merrymounts won from the Boylston A. A. team of Jamaica Plain at Merrymount Park on Saturday afternoon by the score of 3 to 1. Only one clean hit was made off Kolson up to the ninth inning when three in succession gave the visitors their one run. Avery Bennett played a good game at third for the Merrymounts, and the first time at the bat lined the ball into the right field hollow for a home-run. Fleischer for the visitors played a clever game at second.

The score by innings:

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Merrymounts,	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0			—3
Boylstons,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		—1

Earned runs—Merrymounts, Boylston. Two-base hits—W. Bennett, Kappler. Home runs—A. Bennett. Sacrifice hits—Richardson, Terry. Struck out—By Kolson, 10; by Terry, 5. Hit by pitched ball—Fleisher, Fine. Time—1 h. 25 m.

Makaria Fraternity was defeated by the Volunteers of Waltham in an exciting game at Merrymount park on Saturday 4 to 2.

The score was 2 to 0 in favor of the home team at the first of the ninth. Then the Volunteers lit on Thompson for two singles, a triple, and a home run, scoring four runs.

Both teams played a snappy game. The pitching and fielding of Thompson was one of the features.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Volunteers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	—4
Makaria	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2

Two-base hit—Ricker. Three base hit—Dugan. Home run—Havey. Double plays—Thompson to Duncan; Havey to May to Beattie. Struck out—By Healey, 10; by Thompson, 7. Bases on balls—By Healey, 1; by Thompson, 2. Passed balls—By Silver, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Thompson, May. Time—1h, 55m.

The Bigelows defeated the Riverdales of Allston, on Marion Park, Brighton, on Saturday, in a well played game, by a score of 3 to 1. The feature of the game was the work of Saunders, who won his own game with a pretty single to right field in the fifth inning, scoring two runs.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Bigelows	0	1	0	0	2	0	—3
Riverdales	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1

Batteries: Saunders and Rogers; Rahal and Doherty.

On the Ward Six playground on Saturday, the Sacred Hearts of Atlantic, defeated the Walpole A. C. 12 to 7. The features of the game was the pitching of Gram of the Sacred Hearts, and the heavy batting of the whole team. Gram made the longest hit for a home run ever made on the grounds.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Sacred Hearts,	6	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	—12
Walpole A. C.,	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	1	1	— 7

Earned runs—Sacred Hearts, 7; Walpole, 2. Two-base hits—Gram, Duggan. Three-base hit—Curley. Home run—Gram. Sacrifice hits—Fay, 3; P. Duggan, Gilmore, 2. Double plays—Fay to Duggan to Curley; Murray to Mahoney to Croak. Struck out—By Gram, 9; by Hart, 2. Bases on balls—By Gram, 1; by Hart, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Curley. Umpire—P. Edward Cunnuff. Time—1h, 55m.

Not a member of the Copeland Club of West Quincy, was able to reach second base in the game at Braintree, on Saturday, with the Braintrees. Morales and Coughlin were the Copeland Club battery, and they held the home club down to six hits which netted only two runs, one in the third and one in the seventh. Morales struck out 10 while Cullen struck out, but 2. Thirteen of the visitors retired at first, and six on flies to the outfield.

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Pineapple Fritters. To one quart of milk allow one pint of flour, three eggs, a little salt, one teaspoonful of baking powder and a pint of finely cut pineapple. Beat the eggs thoroughly, add part of the milk and salt, then the flour and milk alternately. Cook quickly, dropping it by the spoonful into hot fat, and serve with or without a white sauce.

Vanilla Ice Cream. Scald one quart of milk. Beat two eggs until light without separating. Add two cups of sugar and beat until light. Mix with one tablespoonful of corn starch; then turn into the scalded milk. Cook and stir until it is thick and the corn-starch thoroughly cooked; then put away to cool, flavor, add one pint of cream whipped and freeze.

Chocolate Bread Pudding. Put into a bowl two cupfuls of stale bread-crumbs and pour over them one quart of scalded milk. While it is cooling put two squares of chocolate in a saucepan and melt it over hot water. When the bread and milk are cool mix with them two-thirds of a cupful of sugar, two eggs slightly beaten, the chocolate, one salt-spoonful of salt and one teaspoonful of vanilla. Bake in a buttered tin an hour in a moderately hot oven. It is to be eaten cold with cream.

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Combination, No. 2, at Atlantic gave an exhibition of quickness in responding to an alarm of fire on Tuesday evening. In the party present were Chief Litchfield and the district engineers, President Piper of the City Council, Councilman Stone, chairman of the committee on Fire Department, and several other Councilmen.

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Total Liabilities	338,542.29
Cash Surplus	168,86.578
Gain in Surplus in 1904	7,458.47
Gain in Assets in 1904	35,012.93
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Poetry.

Bells of the Angelus.

BRET HARTE.

Bells of the past whose unforgotten music
Still fills the wide expanse,
Tingeing the sober twilight of the present
With color of romance.

I hear you call and see the sun descending
On rocks, and waves, and sand,
As down the coast the mission voices blending
Girdle the heathen land.

Within the circle of your incantation
No blight nor mildew falls;
Nor fierce unrest, nor lust, nor lost ambition
Passes those airy walls.

Borne on the swell of long waves, receding,
I touch the farthest past—
I see the dying glow of Spanish glory,
The sunset dream and fast!

Before me rise the dome shape mission towers,
The white presidio,
The swart commander in his leather jerkin,
The priest in robe of snow.

Once more I see Portala's cross uplifting
Above the setting sun,
And past the headland, northward, slowly drifting,
The frightened galleon.

O solemn bells! whose consecrated masses
Recall the faith of old—
O tinkling bells! that lulled with twilight music
The spiritual fold.

Your voices break, they falter in the darkness—
Break, falter and are still,
And veiled, and mystic, like the host descending,
The sun sinks from the hill.

Miscellany.

NATURE'S COURSE

By NORA BRYANT

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Mrs. Humphrey shelled the peas in silence, waiting for the outburst. She was a meek little woman accustomed to listening to her beautiful, tall daughter and obeying her behests unquestioningly. Alice possessed all the independence of spirit which her mother lacked.

"No, mother," said Alice, seizing viciously on a pea pod and breaking it open, "no, you can't. It just isn't born in you. I've got to do it alone."

"Why, Alice!" exclaimed her mother with hurt inflection.

"Oh, I know it, mother. I'm a horrid cross girl, but I can't help it. Father's gone off again and left us with no wood. This has been going on for three years now. Sometimes he remembers to buy a load, but when he does we have to split it. And in the meantime we have to scratch and scramble for wood just as if we were as poor as poverty. Just look, we've burned most of the fences till the place looks more ghastly than ever, if possible."

"Alice, Alice," sighed Mrs. Humphrey, "you shouldn't talk so of your father."

Alice's face flushed deeper and she shelled a handful of peas before replying. Then she looked out of the door at the jimson weeds.

"Everything is all wrong, and it's all father's fault. Why shouldn't I marry Bob Phillips? Tell me that? Just because he is a college man and his people live in town father has set himself against him. Now, why does father send me to college if he expects me to settle down to chopping wood and cooking for the rest of my life? No, mother. I'm a sophomore now and I know more than I did once. I am going to marry Bob and father is going to agree to it too."

Alice looked at her mother sternly. "See your hands, blistered and hard. You creep out and chop wood every time I turn my back. Look at my hands." She held up slender fingers. "Nice things to carry back to the college this fall! Now, I'm going out to chop enough to get dinner with." And, pulling a shade hat over her eyes, Alice walked out into the hot harvest sun and picked up the ax.

Straight up to the new brooder house she went and with a neat swing of the ax began battering up the brooder house door. In a few moments the door had disappeared and in its stead on the ground near by lay a neat pile of stove wood. Still not quite satisfied, Alice looked about her. A hayrack lay on the ground waiting for the afternoon trip to the oat field. A few firm blows from the broad of the ax, and the side boards showed signs of weakening. Half a dozen clever cuts with the blade, and the boards dropped to the ground. In five minutes the pile of wood by the brooder house was augmented by a pile of heavy sticks, and before Mrs. Humphrey could catch breath to inquire the source a brisk blaze lighted up the front of the old cooking stove.

A little after 12 Mr. Humphrey appeared at the door.

"Mother"—Mrs. Humphrey paused, with a bit of bacon poised on her fork—"mother, can you tell me what has happened to the old hayrack and to the brooder house door?"

Mrs. Humphrey looked at Alice. "Why—why, father, I don't know. Alice, do you know?"

Alice poured the steaming peas into a china dish and then glanced at her father. "Well," she said calmly, 'you will find part of the door still in the wood box, but the last of the hayrack is just going up the chimney." Then she carried the dish of peas into the dining room and set it carefully down on the table.

Then Mr. Humphrey began: "Alice, if you were not grown up I'd send you to bed for two days."

Alice squared her shoulders, looking into her father's eyes with an expression strangely like his own. "Father," she said, "you are not fair. You give your men the best sort of implements with which to do their work. You keep the horses and cattle in buildings that are for their greatest comfort, but you expect mother and me to find our own means for doing work that neither of us is strong enough to do and to live in a building that scorches us in summer and freezes us in winter. To say the least, you are not fair."

The great veins swelled in Mr. Humphrey's forehead, and he took a single step toward Alice and then stopped as if controlling himself by a physical effort.

"Alice," he said, "I forbid you to destroy any more of my property. Just how to punish you for what you have already done I don't know. I shall wait until tonight."

That afternoon Alice was left alone, as her mother was called away to see a sick neighbor. For awhile she sat quietly, then suddenly she flushed a little. Far down the road she could see the figure of a man and a horse moving leisurely through the heat. Alice smoothed her hair and glanced down at the dainty whiteness of her gown. Then she waited. Soon the rider turned into the yard, with an eager shout at the sight of Alice. A fine looking young fellow was Bob Phillips in his natty riding togs, sitting his saddle with the ease of a westerner. And a charming figure was Alice in the doorway with the color deepening in her cheeks, her great dark eyes brightening and the dimples coming to the corners of her mouth.

"Oh, Bob," she cried as he dismounted and tied his horse, "I've been wishing for you. Everything is so topsy turvy in this horrid place!"

Bob looked anxious. "Is it your father again?" he asked as he drew her down on the step beside him. Alice told him of her morning's experience. Bob's face darkened.

"Look here, Alice," he exclaimed, "I'm not going to stand this. I knew things were pretty bad, but I never knew you had to do this sort of work." He took her hand, looked at the pretty pink palm with the row of blisters across it. "I'm not going to say any of the things to you that I think about your father. But this is going to stop! This architect business is slow in starting, but I've got enough to keep the pot boiling. I'm on my way out to the Scotts' summer home now. They want me to plan an addition for them. But tonight I'm coming back to tell your father that we are going to be married at once."

Alice shook her head a little fearfully. "No, Bob, dear," she said, "I can't leave mother that way, and I want to finish college first. No; father has got to change. There is no sense in his acting so to such a dear as you."

Bob grinned appreciatively as he drew her to him, but he lost none of his look of determination. "That's all very well, Alice, darling, but I've a few rights, and after supper I'm coming back and read the riot act to your father."

Alice sighed. Then she nodded her head. "Yes, come back. I don't know just how, but some way I'm going to shame father."

"Don't you worry," said Bob. "I'll fix him."

As Bob disappeared Alice's glance wandered toward the broad stump of a tree that stood in the dooryard. As she looked her eyes lighted with a mischievous smile. Then she began her preparations for supper. In a short time she appeared in the yard with two covered dishes in her hands. These she placed on the top of the old stump where the sun blazed down on their shining covers. Then she returned to the house to set the table.

The hay wagon rattled into the yard.

"Well," called Mr. Humphrey, seeing Alice in the door, "isn't supper ready?"

Alice looked anxiously toward the old stump. "I'm afraid things have not begun to boil yet," she answered.

Mr. Humphrey looked at the strange array of utensils on the stump. "Alice," he said, "what nonsense is this?"

"It means just this," answered Alice bravely. "You refuse to buy wood for us, and this noon you forbade me to destroy any more of your property. So when it came time to get supper the stump seemed the hottest place at hand, and I put the vegetables out there to let nature take its course. It is much easier for me."

Mr. Humphrey stood in silence. Alice watched him anxiously. Slowly the angry flush died away, and the corners of his mouth twitched. He turned to the man who had been an interested spectator.

"Jim," he said, "you might as well finish up the old hayrack. Split up enough wood to get supper with." Then he walked into the house with never so small a twinkle in his eyes.

That evening, as Alice and her father sat on the steps waiting for Mrs. Humphrey's return, Mr. Humphrey broke the silence.

"I've been thinking it over, Alice," he said, "and—and—well, I guess father has been negligent of his two girls. You see, I didn't realize how hard some things are for women folks. Now, do you suppose you could plan a—a porch or a—a window or something?" he asked vaguely. "And we'll surprise your mother on her birthday."

For a moment there was silence; then he heard a low sob beside him. He reached out an awkward hand and drew his daughter toward him.

"Why, little girl," he said, "I didn't know it meant so much to you."

Alice nestled against his shoulder. "It means more than a porch," she sobbed; "it means that, after all, you are nice, like other fathers."

Mr. Humphrey cleared his throat. "And I've been thinking, Alice," he went on, "that I've been hard on Bob. A rough old fellow like me gets prejudiced against these college chaps. When you finish school and Bob gets a start—well, you'll find that father wants you to be happy after all."

Indians Are Poor Shots.

During a residence of many years among four different tribes of Indians I found, with very few exceptions, they were poor shots, either with the gun or rifle. When one considers that from young boyhood they have been in the habit of using a gun almost daily and, their very living depends in a great measure on accurate shooting, their poor marksmanship is to be wondered at; nevertheless such is the case. A good wing shot is a rarity among the Indians. The Montagnais of the Labrador and north shore of the gulf of St. Lawrence are no exception, and this in a country where most of the wild fowl are killed flying. It is admitted they kill wild geese and ducks while on their passage north and south, but this is only possible from the immense numbers of birds and a lavish expenditure of ammunition.—Forest and Stream.

Goldsmith's Obituary Notice.

It would be difficult to find a more quaint announcement of death than that published in an old newspaper in 1774, at the time of Oliver Goldsmith's demise.

"1774, April 4. Died, Dr. Oliver Goldsmith. Deserted is the Village; the Traveller hath laid him down to rest; the Good-natured Man is no more; he Stoopse but to Conquer; the Vicar hath performed his sad office; it is a mournful task from which the Hermit may essay to meet the dread tyrant with more than Grecian or Roman fortitude."

—There are four calcium carbide factories in Norway. Their export in 1904 was 5258 tons, valued at about 53,000. In 1905 the export reached nearly 9000 tons.

For the Patriot.

California Letter.

By MARK BENNITT.

"LOS ANGELES in half an hour," said the porter, peeping through the portieres. All night long the ponderous train had been squirming in the Tehachapi and Sierra Pelona mountains, like an angleworm laboring across a stone heap, coiling upon itself, switching its tail and reaching with its head this way and that to find the way of least resistance. You can make the run from San Francisco in a little less than sixteen hours by the "owl." But the San Joaquin valley is a panorama you would not miss, so you start in the forenoon and go to bed just before you get to Bakersfield.

So this is Los Angeles! You are chilled to the bone by the raw air. It is foggy and your teeth chatter. It's lucky you did not pack your overcoat in your trunk. Where are the sunshine and the balmy air you have been reading about to these many years? How comfortable the steam heater in the hotel! You ask a native if the weather has slipped a cog.

"Oh, does this bother you?" he asks. "This is unusual, but we don't mind it. We like the cool mornings and evenings."

Then you will notice that every native is without overcoat or extra wrap. You half expect to see straw hats. Only the newcomers are a-shiver. In the course of the morning the sun bores a hole in the fog bank, and you are in better humor as his rays fall upon you. In the evening it rains—a cold, cheerless, inhospitable rain to the new arrival. And it rains all next day off and on and the weather warms a bit. Some weather watchman has changed the semaphore and switched in a warm air current that takes the edge off what you were going to say about the glorious climate of southern California. The weather has repented, and you feel disposed to compromise. On the morning of the third day you begin to feel that perhaps there is a grain of truth in what has been said about this neck of the desert, and all past discomforts fade and vanish.

Los Angeles is a wonder city if ever there was one—wonderful in its development in this period of its history. Liberal guessers say there are 200,000 people here. Hopeful ones say that a million are in sight in the near future. I scarcely need mention that the million-pops are in the real estate business. But away with sordid thoughts! Away with carping words! Away with pessimism of any sort! It's so much pleasanter to be hopeful even if some other man's lariat drops over the neck of fortune and you fail to loop even a button. That old notion about opportunity knocking once at every man's door and then going her way forever if she gets no response does not hold good in modern economy. She raps till she wakens the sleeping and comes again and again to stir men to activity. So with one opportunity gone you may still have another, and a dozen more piled upon it if you say the word.

You may surmise that the chief business topic in Los Angeles is lots. The art of making attractive additions to a city has here a supreme grace. You feel like buying a lot or two just to encourage the business. Of course you do not need a lot any more than an elephant needs a portmanteau, but the fever spreads, and many a sale is made for no other reason on the part of the purchaser than the whim of the moment. Thus day after day the business of selling lots goes on in the real estate offices—a thousand of them, at a guess—and new ties are formed between the people of morning land and the sunset realm. Wise as Solomon are these Los Angeles people in the matter of building a city. Experience leads them to believe if they once get a man from the east to the coast that he will come again. The railroads are much of the same opinion and stagger not at any proposition that may lift the percentage of travel above that of a former season. They even reduce the rates.

All California below Tehachapi is pleasureland. The serious industries are principally those of meeting the necessity of caring well for the tourists. It is a land of oranges and lemons, figs and grapes and fruits of many sorts, but the growing of fruits is mere pastime compared with the great business of bartering comfort and pleasure for white and yellow coin with eastern visitors. When the effects of the winter holidays have worn off, when the mornings become snappy, when the blizzards howl and the snow piles high in snowland the sleeping car berths have to be spoken for days in advance of one's going. All who pile on at Chicago or St. Louis pile off again at Los Angeles, and the town fills up at the rate of five to ten thousand a day till every bed has a burden. The prosperous east is shaking itself of its surplus coin, and a shower falls into the lap of southern California. Each year surpasses its predecessor, and the region is surely living off the fat of the land.

Circumstances having made these natives and residents the hosts of the nation's spenders, they are doing their part royally. Not in any part of the world is so much provided for restful entertainment even for the slender purse of the poor invalid who comes hoping for health in the mild climate. From the palatial hotel where you live at five or six dollars to a hundred dollars a day with money you never earned you can run down the scale to the modest boarding house or apartments for those who earn their own way and know the history of every dollar that gladdens their purse.

You can fairly feel the town grow. Construction is in the air, the sound of it on every hand. Tall office buildings have been planted on favorable corners and magnificent hotels on other corners. Each new hotel fills with custom, and the old ones seem to lose none. The experience of Los Angeles is reproduced in all the surrounding places in a lesser degree. Pasadena, the largest of the towns adjacent to Los Angeles, is growing like irrigated alfalfa, while all the eight or ten miles between are becoming the homes of those who have income and leisure. Swift cars running frequently on the double track line between the two cities make the dwellers along the route feel that they are well in touch with the world. A broad boulevard is the next of the great improvements to be realized. The land is as hilly as a bunch of soap bubbles, and it will take no end of grading to carry out the project according to plans. But they'll do it, bet your small change on that.

About 99 per cent of the dwellings here are bungalows. Bungalow seems to be the name of a one story house, preferably with a broad brimmed roof, shingles in place of straw thatch such as the original bungalow probably had. Some of them have rooms above the first floor so hidden in the roof as not to lose the name of bungalow. These houses are, in fact, single family flats, with the advantages of a detached residence. You don't have to know what the neighbor below you is going to have for dinner nor do you have the noise of some one else's piano to drown the music of your own, and every housekeeper is as independent of the housemaids' union, if there is one, as she is independent of a northern blizzard.

"One drawback to the bungalow," said a housekeeper who does her own work, as most of them here do, "is that when you have guests they are pretty certain to hear you padding around in the kitchen. You can't isolate them in any very remote part of the house."

Nearly every bungalow keeper has a little plan of her own that she would like to try in bungalow construction, but vacant lots close in are as scarce as money in a busted bank, and so all these really sensible plans are held in abeyance and cherished like old love letters. You wouldn't imagine that so many kinds of one story houses could be built and retain the bungalow aspect. There are possibilities beyond the dreams of ingenuity. Even the mission type is to be seen, pretty as anything!

There are mites of bungalows in any direction you may elect to travel in and about this City of the Angels, and stair climbing is certain to become here a lost art. Go to Pasadena, Altadena, San Gabriel, Santa Ana, Whittier, Tropico, Hollywood, Ocean Beach, San Pedro and all the beaches north of Santa Monica, to Redlands and San Bernardino, and the bungalow will be with you all the way and back again. The bungalow is of spreading habit; therefore a city thus built demands far greater space for the same population than one constructed on lines of greater economy of frontage. But abundance of yard room and all that such an arrangement means are what make Los Angeles a beautiful city.

What makes Los Angeles grow so like all possessed? Find the answer in your inner consciousness. You are beginning to like the town and its spirit, the people and their free hearted manners. The chill and the rain that met you at the station were what the people had been hoping for for months. You are in a semiarid country, where it doesn't rain from May to November in appreciable quantity. The storm of rain in the lowlands is a snowstorm higher up. The San Gabriel range that shuts off the Mojave desert on the east is whitened by the snow clouds. In the canyons and wooded vales the winter moisture will be stored, and from there reservoirs of nature sparkling streams will creep down to quench the thirst of the desert in May and June and so long as there is aught to give.

Here, as elsewhere in California, water is the problem. The city of Los Angeles has voted to spend a sum that will aggregate some $21,000,000 for a water system that will meet the needs of a city of a million people. So you see that they are in dead earnest about that million population. When Los Angeles says that she will do it all others may stand aside. There's no thwarting her. It's a trick many another city would like to learn. Ask the men who lead in this onward march how they manage it, and they will tell you, "Why, we just do it!" I have no hesitation about letting the secret out. They just do it. That's the whole story.

Prunes In New Marketable Form.

The subject of prunes is a large one in such fruit growing sections as are found everywhere in California and is destined to be scarcely less important in other irrigated sections where prunes grow readily to equal perfection. Heretofore prunes have gone to market in the dried state. Now it is proposed to can them as they do peaches, and so favorably has the suggestion been received by some of the canners that another year may see canned prunes on the market in considerable quantity. A convention of the California Fruit Growers' association was held not long ago, where the canning of fresh prunes was made the subject of discussion.

July at Northfield..

July will be a busy month this summer at Northfield. The little town, which for so many years has been the mecca for christain people, will witness four distinct assemblies during the month, each standing for a specific line of christain work and each attempting to give the best possible help to those interested in that field.

The first of these, the student conference, will be over by the opening of the month. The second, the twenty-fifth anniversary of Mount Hermon school which represents a part of the educational work begun by D. L. Moody, will take place from June 30 to July 3. The third gathering, the Northfield Young Women's conference, July 5 to 15, promises to be one of the most attractives times ever seen at Northfield.

The closing half of the month will be occupied by two summer schools, which in the past two years have grown from a handful of people to important factors in the departments which they cover. These are a summer school for Women's Foreign Missionary societies, July 17 to 25, under the auspices of the International Conference of Women's Boards of Foreign Missions, and a summer school of methods for Sunday school workers, July 21 to 29. So crowded, indeed, is the month that these assemblies overlap in such a way that any one may take advantage of both. They both stand for the most thoughtful handling of missionary Sunday school work and both are under the guidance of well-known leaders. Less than a week after the close of these schools the general conference for christain workers begins, and continues from August 3 to 10.

Thousands of Children.

According to the annual report of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, which has just been published, the cases of five thousand and thirty-three children, alleged to be cruelly treated, suffering from privations, or being reared under debasing influences, were investigated by the Society's agents last year.

In five hundred and seventeen cases, cruelty was so evident, or conditions were so bad, that it was necessary to go to the courts for prosecution. The Society takes this latter course only as a last resort, when persuasion fails or where cruelty has been shown.

The extent of the Society's work is evidenced by the statement that during the year sixteen hundred and thirty-nine children were placed by it in homes or institutions, some taken from unfit environments by order of the court, others surrendered by parents or guardians, not wishing to face prosecution.

Cases of frightful cruelty and of the most appalling degradation constantly come to the notice of the agents of the Society. Conditions exist which those who have never come in touch with that phase of life could scarcely believe possible.

It is not an overstated fact that, at this very day and hour, in this rich and intelligent Commonwealth, thousands of children are growing to maturity under conditions which, if no saving agency intervenes, must almost of necessity bring them to manhood and womanhood, with souls blackened, with minds dwarfed and distorted, and with bodies brutalized, all through the cruelty and neglect of fathers, mothers, and guardians, to whom they have every right to look for care and affection.

The Society is continually seeking to reach out further and further, to broaden its work, and make it still more thorough, but is handicapped by lack of funds.

The Massachusetts Society is supported entirely by private contributions. It receives no financial aid from state, city, or town, and is dependent upon the generosity of the public to keep it, special agents at work, and maintain its home at 43 Mount Vernon street, Boston. Every dollar given means so much toward saving some child.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

George Washington Harvey, the famous epicure and restaurant keeper of Washington, who has sold his business and will retire to contemplate at his ease his fifty years of good eating and drinking for both himself and his patrons, is a very short and a very fat man, says a Washington special dispatch to the New York World. He has not been well for a year or two, but he has been around all the time telling his friends what delicacies he found in market and advising them how to get their selections cooked.

Harvey had three specialties. He considered all food except the oyster, the canvasback duck and the terrapin mere raw materials, with which results sometimes most gratifying could be accomplished. Ducks, oysters and terrapin he considered the finest gifts of the Creator to mankind, and he devoted most of his research and knowledge of the culinary art to serving these.

His bill of fare contained almost 200 oyster dishes, many of them unique. If a good dinner were needed and Harvey were asked about it, he would always select oysters—and he had some special beds—terrapin cooked in his own style and a duck. When canvasbacks were not plentiful and good he served others, but the pinnacle of his accomplishment was with a canvasback.

Harvey knew every famous or notable or noticeable American who came to Washington. The reputation of his steamed oysters is universal. Almost every stranger in the city hustled down to his place to get half a peck or a peck of steamed. Harvey invented this method of cooking oysters. His "steamed bar" has been manned for years by the same waiters. His sauce is his own invention also.

When people wanted to have a real terrapin for dinner they usually went to Harvey, for he had the genuine eastern shore diamond backs in his cellar. There are plenty of things that pass for terrapin among the uninitiated. There is a Pennsylvania terrapin that can be had by the ton. Harvey knew all the tricks, but when he told you he would give you terrapin you got diamond back, and you paid for it. But that is another story. Harvey had a grip on the diamond back market. He gathered in most of the toothsome turtles that came this way. When the canvasbacks began flying south Harvey got the pick of the market.

He was joyous when fixing up a dinner. He kept his waiters for years. "Billy" has been there more than thirty years and John Scott nearly as long. "Uncle Peter," who died a year or two ago, had been opening oysters at the "raw box" more than forty years. Some of the cooks have been there more than a quarter of a century.

Harvey used to waddle up and down through the dining room. If he saw a man who looked as if he needed some help he would give it. It was a favorite trick of his to go to a customer, look over his food and add a spoonful of sauce or something of the kind himself. He knew what the finishing touch should be. When there was a terrapin feast on he always stood by, saw that the sauce was right and brought out a little of his best wine.

He is very proud of his acquaintance. In his early days he and Thomas Nast, the cartoonist, formed the Canvasback club and gave great feasts. All the great men were his guests.

Harvey went to Paris a few years ago. His fame had preceded him, and he found many Americans there who knew about his skill in making good things to eat. His friends proclaimed that Harvey could make a better salad dressing than any cook France ever saw. The Frenchmen disputed it. In jig time a salad dressing contest was arranged between Harvey and two Parisian epicures, each of whom thought he had mastered all there was to know about salad dressing.

The contest came off in a restaurant. The three competitors called for the ingredients they wished and mixed their salads and then made their dressings. There was a large number of spectators, and the excitement was intense. Just before the mixers passed their salads over to the judges Harvey took a small leather case out of his pocket, picked out a little bottle, uncorked it and let a drop or two of a colorless liquid fall on the salad. Then he put the bottle back in his pocket, handed in his salad and waited for the verdict.

The judges tasted and tried and compared for half an hour. They unanimously decided that Harvey's salad won the prize not because it was intrinsically better than the salads of the Frenchman, but because the mysterious liquid he had put on it from the bottle added a strange, indefinable aroma that made the Harvey salad superior.

The Americans escorted Harvey to his hotel. When they were celebrating there one of them said to Harvey:

"George, what was it you put on that salad out of that bottle?"

"Nothing," said Harvey—"nothing at all but plain water out of the pump. I

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1906.

Located in New York.

Mrs. Mary T. Drake, wife of T. Frank Drake, and her grandson, Karl W. Sidelinger, the 7 year old son of ex-Councilman W. F. Sidelinger of Washington street have been missing since Thursday morning.

Search Thursday failed to find any trace of them, abd it was not until this morning that any substantial clue of their whereabouts was obtained.

It was learned that on Thursday Mrs. Drake sent her trunk to Boston by the Boston & Quincy express. The expressman was told to deliver the trunk at the South Terminal station and under no condition to tell anyone.

The expressman delivered the trunk and it was not until her disappearance was reported that he told the police of the matter. He then furnished the police with the check number. Yesterday Lieut. McKay and Mr. Sidelinger went to Boston and it is probable that they will be able to trace her by the trunk.

It was not until Thursday noon that Mrs. Sidelinger missed her son. She had sent him to school in the morning and had then gone to Boston herself, returning at noon. When the boy did not return from school to dinner, she became alarmed and began to make inquiries.

It was learned that the boy had not been to school at all, bat had met his grandmother on Washington street near the Public Library. People had noticed Mrs. Drake walking up and down the sidewalk for some minutes before the boy appeared.

It is supposed that they went to Boston on the 9.01 train, and it is probable that Mrs. Sidelinger was also on the same train.

Mrs. Drake, whose mind has been somewhat unbalanced, had been talking of going abroad, and it was at first thought that she had gone to New York.

Diligent inqury was made of the gatemen at the South Terminal but no trace of her could be obtained. Development on the Quincy end brought out the fact that Mrs. Drake had recently come into possession of a considerable sum of money.

She visited the water office at City Hall on Thursday and ordered the water at the house shut off, and had offered the inspector five dollars to do the job quick. It was also found that she had packed her clothing in moth balls.

It was also learned that she had visited a lawyer's office in City Square and wanted him to begin divorce proceedings against her husband. She said that she was going away and would send him her address in a letter, and for him not to tell anyone where she was.

It was supposed that she must have had a considerable sum of money with her, but this morning is was learned that she had deposited the greater part of it in a local bank, so that she could not have had much.

Mrs. Sidelinger was preparing to go to Wolfboro N. H., next Monday.

When Lieut. McKay and Mr. Sidelinger arrived in Boston Friday morning they were not long in tracing the trunk. At the baggage room it was ascertained that a woman had checked the trunk for New York on Thursday morning, and that it had been shipped on the 10.03 A. M. train.

As a trunk could not be checked without a ticket it is more than probable that Mrs. Drake took the same train.

As she has repeatedly expressed a desire to go abroad, the police believe that it is her intention to sail from New York.

The police have telegraphed the police department of New York city, and they will try and head her off if she tries to take the steamer.

Lieut. McKay took the 3 o'clock train Friday afternoon for New York, and, if the police of that city have located the missing parties will bring them back with him.

Naturally Mr. and Mrs. Sidelinger are anxious for their son, but do not fear his grandmother will do him any bodily harm while in a rational state of mind.

Frank Drake, the husband of the missing woman, keenly feels the notoriety that his wife has caused. The movements of Mrs. Drake in packing away her clothing and shipping her trunk were done so secretly that he had no suspicions that anything unusual was going on.

The expressman was summoned to take the trunk during his absence, and his first knowledge of anything wrong was when a man from the Water department came to shut off the water. He realized that his wife was not just right mentally by thought her harmless.

LATEST.

Chief Burrell received word at 2 P. M. on Friday that the New York police had located Mrs. Drake and the boy and that they were detained until Quincy friends arrived.

Reception to Historical Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Adams were at home to the Quincy Historical Society on Saturday afternoon from four until six o'clock at their home, "Old House" on Adams street. Mr. Adams is president of the society and Mrs. Adams is also an active member.

Although a very warm afternoon there was a large attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Adams were assisted in their hospitality by their nieces, who dispensed cool punch, iced tea and frappe in the library, the attractive stone building west of the house in the old fashioned garden.

The home of President John Adams and of the Adams family for many generations since, the family portraits and memories, the famous mahogany room proved a source of interest to all attending the reception.

Editorial Tour.

George W. Prescott who left on Sunday for Indianapolis as one of the delegates to the National Editorial convention, reports considerable pleasure in the trip. There are 23 ladies and gentlemen from this state. The convention adjourned Friday, but the editors will make a tour of several states in that vicinity and also Canada, receptions being prepared for them in Linton, Bedford, French Lick Springs, Lafayette, Peru, Marion, Winona lake, Chicago, Soo, Detroit, Toronto, Niagara Falls, Quebec, Ottawa and elsewhere. The party will disband July 3.

—James H. Wyman, son of the late Levi Wyman, and one of the originators of the dairy restaurant systemdied in Paris, Monday, June 11, as the result of a paraletic shock which attacked him last Friday. He leaves a widow and two children, who reside on Verndale street, Brookline.

CITY BRIEFS.

The Quincy Yacht club have a club race scheduled for today.

The next meeting of the City Council will be held Tuesday evening, June 19.

People can stand the hot days if the nights continue cool.

While next Monday is not a legal holiday it will be generally observed as such in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Malcolm Rich and little son returned to their home at Gloucester on Saturday.

The Citizens Gas Light Co. is building a meter house on Adams street near the Milton line.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eckert are spending a few weeks at The Sagamore on Lake George, N. Y.

There were a large number of Christian Science visitors in town sightseeing on Monday.

Officers Goodhue and Milford captured an even dozen automobile speeders on Sunday.

The Adams boat being built as the challenger for the Quincy cup, will be launched at Lawleys in a few days.

Mrs. Edward H. Penniman and Mrs. Harry Gale of Winthrop, Me., have been guests of relatives in Quincy this week.

Miss Helen Rhines of Miller Stile road, with a party of friends, left Saturday, for a two weeks' sojourn at Riverdale, Gloucester.

The race of the Quincy Yacht club scheduled for Saturday was 'not sailed, having been postponed on account of a sail-off at South Boston.

Mrs. E. E. Field of Grant street, left Sunday for a two weeks' visit with her daughter Louise, at Peaks Island, Portland, Maine.

The telephone number of the Daily Ledger has been changed to 425, which connects both with the counting room and editorial rooms.

Next week is Commencement at Woodward with graduation exercises Wednesday evening and reception on Thursday evening in the school hall.

E. H. Richards, inspector of the Old Colony division of the Street Railway with headquarters at Quincy, has been promoted to division superintendent at Newport, R. I. He assumed his new position Monday.

Several members of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge visited Mystic Rebekah lodge of Charlestown on Thursday evening, and witnessed the work of the Baby Degree team.

Quite a number from Quincy attended the dedicatory exercises at the new Christian Science temple in Boston on Sunday. Many more would doubtless have gone had they been able to secure tickets.

The Weymouth police are looking for Harry J. Warmsley, aged 19 years. The young man is alleged to have taken $500 which his father had in a tool chest. It is believed that he has gone to New York.

The fence on the westerly end of the A. B. Packard estate on Cottage avenue has been moved back to make room for the widening of the street. Work has also been commenced getting ready to move the ink factory back to the new line.

The Quincy Y. M. C. A. Junior Base Ball team would like to play the Merrymount Juniors at the first open date of both teams. No member of the Y. M. C. A. team is more than 14 years old. Address Y. M. C. A., R. W. Noon, manager.

A union of Italian laborers was organized in Quincy on Sunday and an application was made for a A. F. of L. charter. There were 94 men at the meeting. Raffaelo Papile was elected president, Giovarni Salerno, secretary, and Nicola Giovanarea treasurer.

The new dance hall order went into effect on Monday. It regulates the attendance of boys and girls under the age of 18 years, who may not attend these places without being accompanied by their parents or have a permit from them.

Prospect Hill Chapter, D. R., of Somerville, accompanied by General Rufus Putnam chapter of Dorchester were in Quincy Monday visiting historical places. They had a fine day, cool and comfortable. Mrs. Abrams served dinner for the party at The Greenleaf.

Every one should secure a ticket for the Day Garden Party and help along a good cause. It is to be held this afternoon and evening on the grounds of the Quincy Women's club, Goffe street and Upland road. There will be fresh cut hay for the children to play in, goose pen, music and other attractions. See advertisement for special attractions.

H. D'Arcy Curwen, a 14 year old son of Mr. Curwen of Putnam street had a narrow escape Tuesday while riding a bicycle. He entered Washington street from Canal street and came in collision with an automobile from Hingham. He was thrown off but not seriously injured. The owner of the car stopped and was solicitous for the welfare of the boy.

Miss Dorothy Sweetland of 58 Revere road entertained her young friends on Thursday, from 5 to 8 o'clock, on the occasion of her tenth birthday. Refreshments were served and games played. As it was Flag Day, the decorations were of red, white and blue, and each guest received a small American flag bearing a picture of the little hostess as a souvenir. Good nights were reluctantly said, all wishing little Miss Dorothy many happy returns.

There was a very large attendance of brethren of the regular convocation of St. Stephens chapter, Royal Arch Masons on Wednesday evening. District Deputy Grand High Priest Francis Shaw of Brockton was present, unofficially, as well as a large delegation from Pentalpha chapter of East Weymouth. The work of the evening was the Royal Arch degree which was exemplified by the officers of St. Stephens chapter.

Quincy was represented at the quarterly convention of the Old Colony Association of Universalist churches held at the Universalist church in South Weymouth Wednesday. There were about 200 delegates present from the Universalist churches in Abington, Weymouth, Brockton, Hingham, Marion, West Norwell, Brockton and Quincy. The president, the Rev. L. W. Attwood of South Weymouth, presided.

Rev. Michael J. Carey, C. S. P., who was in San Francisco at the time of the disaster, celebrated high mass at St. John's church on Sunday. In his sermon he spoke of the necessity of being prepared at all times to meet God. He also spoke of the trying scenes at the disaster, and that it was a common sight to see men running through the streets looking for a priest for the purpose of making their confessions. He urged his listeners to be at all times ready to walk with God and not to wait until fear compelled them to seek a refuge.

Summer begins a week from today.

These are the longest mornings of the year; the sun rising at 4.07.

The building of Maple street is nearing completion.

The High school girls have their field meet today.

Miss Alice Keith Prescott has been spending a few days in Gloucester.

Quincy lodge of Elks took in several members at its meeting Tuesday evening.

No Daily Ledger next Monday, which will be observed as the Seventeenth of June.

The annual graduation exercises of the grammar schools will be held at High school hall next week Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Underwood and daughter, Miss Josephine Underwood are in Marblehead for a few weeks.

The new timetable of the N. Y., N. N. H. & H. R. R. appears in this issue. There are several changes.

If the police have succeeded in breaking up the crowd of young gamblers who meet weekly they have done a good thing.

The owners of estates on Washington street, between Coddington and Canal streets, are busy connecting with the sewer, having been ordered by the Board of Health.

"The Scarlet Bonnet" is to be given by the Dorcas society of Bethany church on Tuesday evening, under the direction of Mrs. Davis.

Charles Francis Adams in an address before the Phi Beta Kappa at Columbia college, advocated that Harvard University be divided into colleges.

Mr. and Mrs. Eliot W. Remick, nee Bumpus, are spending their honeymoon in the White mountains, being registered last week at Intervale.

Representatives Hultman and Sandberg both voted with the big majority on Thursday, in favor of referring the "merger" bill to the next General Court.

The annual meeting and social of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A., will be held in Association hall on Monday afternoon, June 18th at three o'clock.

The state society of the Daughters of the Revolution have their first 'at home' for the summer season on Friday afternoon, June 22d at their rooms in the Colonial building, Boston. There will be two in July, August and September.

A fine recital by the pupils of J. D. Buckingham was given on Monday evening at Steinert hall, Boston, which was largely attended by Quincy people. The program was pleasing and showed thorough teaching in technique and memorizing.

Mr. William Faunce Harden of Hingham and Miss Lillian Merton Pratt, only daughter of Mr. Lester M. Pratt, were quietly married on Monday. Their engagement was announced some six months ago about the New Year. Mr. and Mrs. Harden have the congratulations of many friends.

Adams Chapter Daughters of the Revolution are to have an outing on Thursday when they will be guests of Mrs. Laura Wentworth Fowler at Daisy farm in Dedham. It will be a box luncheon party. Those going by electrics will take 9.35 car from Quincy centre for East Milton, and those by train the 11.15 from the South station.

The Elks held a largely attended meeting at Greenleaf hall on Tuesday evening. District Deputy W. E. Hill of Salem was present, and spoke eloquently on the principles of Elkdom. The degrees were conferred on ten candidates, among them several of our prominent business men. The Elks are fast coming to the front among our secret organizations.

Y. M. C. A.

A special meeting of Board of directors of the Young Men's Christian Association was held Wednesday evening. The annual budget was presented and adopted.

Among other important items of business transacted was the vote to extend a call to Mr. H. W. Long, to the position of physical director, to succeed Mr. Bugbee who recently resigned.

It was also voted to accept and adopt the reports of a special committee on building addition, providing for special boys' rooms over the bowling alleys. This need has been increasingly evident throughout the entire year with the added number of boys. The old fact having been again proven that a work for men and for boys cannot be done in the same rooms at the same time without impairing or jeopardising the work of the men.

The building committee is composed of W. G. Nickerson, chairman, Alex Falconer and A. N. Weeden.

The president appointed the departmental committees for the year just entered upon, which will be announced ater.

Still Alarms.

The Central fire station apparatus was called out on two still alarms Thursday. The first was at 10.35, and was for a slight fire in the Jones house at the corner of Water and Phipp streets. It was caused by some wool which was being picked over taking fire. It was quickly extinguished with small loss.

The apparatus had just returned when another call was received for a supposed fire in the Hancock chambers, City square. There was no fire but considerable smoke. In the rear of the building is a tenement occupied by Oscar Johnson. Mrs. Johnson built a wood fire in the stove and the chimney smoked. It filled the building full of smoke. The firemen tried hard to find some fire but were unable to do so.

Citizens' Association.

A regular meeting of the board of directors of the Citizens' Association was held Tuesday. The meeting was devoted largely to an informal discussion of things pertaining to the general welfare of the city. No definite plans were made, but the committee on Municipal Affairs hope to have some plan for improvement along general lines to present to the quarterly meeting of the association next month.

The association does not desire to antagonize the city officials, but desires to work in harmony with them for the general welfare of the city.

—Dr. Percy D. McLeod, who was acquitted by a jury of guilt in connection with the Susan Geary dress suit case, was expelled from the Massachusetts Medical Society this week at its meeting at Paul Revere hall, Boston.

A CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Louisa and Mr. and Mrs. William Martin wish to thank the members of the Sons St. George, the Ivy Lodge and Granite Cutters' Union who showed their respects in this, their hour of trouble.

LOUISA MARTIN,
MR. AND MRS. WM. MARTIN.

Quincy, June 16, 1w.

ATLANTIC.

Harry, eldest son of George Hinkley of Billings street is attended with great prosperity in his work at Good Springs, Nevada.

Arthur C. Parker has resigned from his position as station agent at Atlantic and accepted a position with the Pullman Company. His place has been filled by P. F. Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McGrath celebrated their twenty-third anniversary in a very quiet manner at their home on Botolph street, Atlantic, on Saturday.

Miss Bessie Drew of Walker street has brought home from Hampton, Va., a delightful collection of pictures. Among them are views of President Roosevelt, taken while at Hampton, where he made a special address at Hampton Institute for the teachers and pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Browne of Clive street added Wednesday morning a little son to their household.

Helen, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cherrington of Clive street was operated on this week for enlarged tonsils.

An ice cream, cake and candy sale was held in Memorial church, Atlantic, Wednesday evening under the direction of Mrs. Karl Weinsheink. The net proceeds exceeded expectations for the weather was well fitted to an indoor sale. There was a large attendance.

Miss Gertrude Thorn of Clive street, accompanied by her mother, arrived at their home Monday after a trip from Norfolk, Va., where Miss Thorn was taken ill after she left the Virginia Institute on her homeward journey. Miss Gertrude's school year has been pleasant in every particular. Her friends are glad to welcome her back to Atlantic.

The Boston Teachers' School of Science held their graduating execises Wednesday evening. The program was elaborate in every detail and the class was one of the largest that has ever taken the course. Among the graduates was Miss A. Maud Briggs of Appleton sfreet Miss Briggs has been an earnest worker, and graduated with high honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Wade of Atlantic street have gone to Council Bluffe and will make an extensive western tour before returning home. Miss Helen Wade is staying with Mr. and Mrs. John Carver of Billings street and will spend the summer in Souix City with a company of school friends.

The "pruning up" around the Atlantic station seems to have come to a standstill. Matters at present are much worse than before any attempt was made to better the appearance of things. A seat outside the station would be a move toward catering to the comfort of residents for the trucks are utilized to the full extent of their seating capacity every morning when they are free from baggage.

The Sacred Heart team of Atlantic, which is now putting up a good article of ball, has home games arranged for Saturday and Monday with strong teams. Todaythey will play the Centrals of East Boston at 3.30 P. M., and on Monday the Warrens of Neponset at 3 P. M., on the Ward Six playground.

DOWNS AND PARK.

W. R. C. 103 celebrated Flag day on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Jennie Ewell, Norfolk Downs. The parlors were prettily decorated with flags and cut flowers. Forty Corps members and six visitors were present. The exercises in charge of Mrs. Elizabeth Farrell, patriotic instructor, consisted of readings by Corps members, singing of "Star Spangled Banner," recitation by Mrs. George Blaisdell; piano solo by Miss Bertha Shirley; recitation by following children representing Massachusetts Fields School—Elizabeth Hedman, Marion Baker, Edna Grignon, Mildred Maxwell, Cora Sherwood, Albert Baker and Ramah Baker, closing with flag salute and the singing of America.

Many repairs are being made on the Huntington house on Willow street.

Extensive improvements are being made on the large apartment house on Marlboro street.

The annual opening of the Squantum Yacht club house for the season of 1906 will be held Saturday evening. Supper will be served at 6.30 sharp and will be followed by an entertainment.

Unions Interested.

A case of interest to labor unions was heard before Judge Avery in the district court Thursday when John J. Rogan, walking delegate for the Granite Cutters Union was given a hearing on a complaint of John M. McDonnell for intimidating his workmen.

The trouble arose over McDonnell's employment of an apprentice in the blacksmith shop. The evidence showed that Rogan had visited the yard, and in conversation with McDonnell told him if the firm did not let the apprentice go the men would be called out.

The firm refused to discharge the apprentice, who was a brother of the proprietor, and the men went out.

The defendant's claim was it the firm had entered into an agreement with the Cutters' Union as to the number of apprentices that could be employed.

The defendant further claimed that McDonnell had more apprentices than allowed, His counsel claimed that as McDonnell had voluntarily entered into the aggreement and broken that there was no intimidation of the workmen.

It was further shown that Rogan had been instructed by the grievance committee of the union to inform the men that the yard was "unfair."

Counsel claimed that the men there had the choice of standing by the union and leaving work, or remaining at work. They voluntarily chose to stop work.

At the conclusion of the arguments the court continued the case for judgment until June 23.

Katie Francis.

The funeral of Katie, eldest daughter of Joseph M. and Emma Francis, who died in the Massachusetts General hospital June 11, aged 20 years, occurred at the West Quincy Methodist Episcopal church on Wednesday at 2.30, Rev. A. B. Tyler officiating.

On the preceding evening more than 200 of her friends called to extend their sympathy, and at the church were gathered about 150.

Beautiful floral tributes were presented.

A quartette from the church choir—Mr. F. L. Badger, Miss Crowell, Miss Shirley, Mr. C. A. Goucher; Mr. W. T. Williams, organist—rendered "Guide me O Thou Great Jehovah," (a favorite hymn of Miss Francis,) "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," "After," and "The Christian's Good-night."

Four young ladies from the Epworth League were ushers—Misses Clara Thorne, Maude Hodgkinson, Beryle Hannant and Helen Hunter.

David Thomas, Merton Turner, Harry Trask, William Scott, Walter Manhire and Chester Malcolm were bearers and the interment was at Mt. Wollaston.

WOLLASTON.

Ernest W. Arnold of Wollaston has accepted a position as salesman in the Stationery department in the store of Lyman A. Chapin, of Quincy.

Several extra carriages were kept busy Thursday taking guests from the trains to the Quincy Mansion School.

The first meeting of the new executive committee of the Wollaston Unity club was held Thursday evening.

Among those to receive a B. S. degree at Simmons College on Wednesday afternoon was Miss Gertrude King, of Wollaston, a graduate of Woodward Institute. Miss King's class is the first to graduate from Simmons College.

Frank E. Parlin gave an address on Thursday at the semi-annual meeting of the Boston Homeopathic Medical Society on the value of illustration in teaching.

Miss Mary B. Adams will play today in the finals at Philadelphia in the women's invitation golf tournament, her opponent being Mrs. Rowell P. Barlow of Philadelphia.

All the Wollaston men are out of the amateur golf championship tournament at the Brae-Burn links, McLaughlin by default in the first round, and Cory in the second round. Finals will be played today.

Prof. Bertram C. Henry of the Quincy Mansion school has resigned his position as teacher of instrumental music. He will spend the summer in Wollaston and in the early fall will join his wife in Missouri, where she is visiting her parents.

A free kindergarten will be opened in Wollaston the latter part of next September. Parents should be deciding now whether they wish to send their children or not. The only requirements for admission are that the child shall live in Wollaston and be of the proper age. Otherwise the kindergarten will be absolutely free to all. The exact date of opening and further details will be announced later. If there are any who have not yet contributed to the fund and who wish to do so, they may send their contributions to Miss Isabel L. Albee, 8 Prospect avenue, treasurer of the fund.

Miss Frances Babitt of Bangor, Me., spent this week in Wollaston to be present at the commencement exercises at the Quincy Mansion school.

Miss Avis Kemp, of Wollaston, has gone to Brookline, N. H., to attend the funeral of her grandmother.

R. R. Freeman made the best score in the handicap match play vs. bogey on the links of the Wollaston golf club on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Loud, of Belmont street, Wollaston returned Monday from a week's sojourn pleasantly spent with relatitves at Patterson, N. J., and in New York.

Mrs. David Brown of Farrington street, Wollaston, entertained the Brownie whist club at a dinner at her home on Wednesday, after which whist was enjoyed for two hours.

The Garrick Club, of Wollaston, elected several new members at its June meeting, and the club hopes to begin a very successful season next October.

The 5-year old Jones girl of Mill street, for whom the lost child call was sounded Wednesday noon, was found shortly after the alarm on Farrington street, Wollaston.

Two members of the Wollaston Golf club qualified for the amateur championship of Massachusetts at the County club links on Wednesday,—C. B. Cory and J. E. McLaughlin.

The large gas main on Beale street has been laid from the Milton line to near the corner of Farrington street. The connection with the Boston main at East Milton has been made.

Sunday was observed as "Children's Sunday" at the Wollaston Unitarian church. Mildred Ethel Geddes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Geddes, and Charles William Bartlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bartlett, were christened by Rev. E. W. Hunt.

At the last meeting of the Wollaston Y. P. R. U. for this season the following officers were elected for next year: president, Ernest W. Arnold; vice president, Roy C. Baker; treasurer, Miss Ethel Parker; secretary, Earl Boyce; Corresponding secretary, Miss Gertrude Brennan.

Directors,—Miss A. E. Simmons, Mr. Frank A. Page, Miss Evelyn Cummings, Mr. G. E. Brown and Mr. W. E. Weston.

Music committee,—Miss Ethel Parker, Mr. Ray Weston and Miss Gertrude Jones.

Councilman Hull and family go to Yarmouth, N. S., June 22, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Patterson of Wollaston, last week issued invitations to the marriage reception of their daughter, Grace Elizabeth and Mr. Frank Tisdale White of Holbrook, on Wednesday evening, June twenty-seventh, from eight until ten o'clock, at their home 92 South Central avenue.

Fred Thayer, a Wollaston young man is playing right-field for the Braintrees this season, and is making good with a vengeance. In the game last Saturday he made a two-base hit, and a three-base hit, and fielded his position without an error. He has not made an error this season.

Leeman Robbins of Wollaston, who injured his ankle in one of the grammar school league games is getting along well, but will be unable to walk for several weeks.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Beckwith at 345 Belmont avenue Wellaston June 8th, a quiet but pleasant wedding occurred. The contracting parties were Mr. Frank O. Woodruff of New York and Dorothy Beckwith of Wollaston. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Preston Gurney.

Girls' Field Meet.

The annual girls field meet of the Quincy High school will be held today with an interesting series of sports.

The committee are Miss Guild of the teaching corps, Miss Gertrude Allen, '05; Miss Marion Carey, '06; Miss Olive Allen, '07; Miss Catherine Gay, '08, and Miss Muriel Badger, '09.

There are twelve events as follows:

75-Yard Dash
50-Yard Dash
High Jump
Broad Jump
Potato Race
Obstacle Race
Base Ball Throwing
Sack Race
Three-Legged Race
Goal Throwing
Relay Race

The concluding event is an interclass basket-ball competition. A team from each class will play each of the other classes, and there is considerable interest to see which class shall make the most points.

Mr. C. F. Harper, the head master will be the referee, and the patronesses will be Mrs. Harper and Miss Howe. Printed score cards have been issued.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

QUINCY POINT.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. I. Smith of Baxter avenue have issued invitations to the marriage reception of their daughter, Auwelda Huntress, and Mr. James Allen Melville, on Thursday evening, June twenty-first, from seven until nine o'clock.

Several of our people attended the piano recital at Steinert hall on Monday evening.

The young people gave a graphaphone concert at Sailors Snug Harbor on Sunday morning.

July 30 is the day set for the picnic of the Sunday-school and Parish, to be held at Snug Harbor. The ball games are to be played at 9, and 10.30 A. M. and at 2 P. M. The bicycle and foot races take place at 12.45; the tennis tournament at 1; the boat races at 3.30. The several committees are at work and an enjoyable day is anticipated by both young and old, as something entertaining and enjoyable is being planned for everybody.

The contemplated repairs on the Quincy Point church are expected to be made in July and August. The repair committee meets each week.

WEST QUINCY.

Driver Lyons of the West Quincy fire station and Faircloth of the Central station are having their vacations.

The Quincy Quarries Co. have moved their platform scales from the quarries to Willard street, near the O. T. Rogers qurray.

The lost-child call was sounded at 12.26 Sunday noon to summon searchers to find the young daughter of John Shea of West Quincy. The little girl was found soon after on Perkins street, a private way off Rogers street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Ripley of Cross street have issued invititions for the marriage of their daughter, Mabel Haskell, to Dr. A. Edward Logie, to take place at the Methodist Episcopal church on Hall place, Wednesday evening, June 20, at eight o'clock.

Miss Kate Francis of West Quincy, who underwent an operation on her throat and nose June 8, died at the Massachusetts General Hospital on Monday. The funeral was held from the Methodist church on Wednesday at 2.30.

The Copeland club will play on the Ward-Four playgrouds today with he Dorchester Locals as rivals. The great game of the season in the local championship series, will be played on the afternoon of the holiday, when the Merrymounts will be at West Quincy for a return game.

SOUTH QUINCY.

At the Ward Three playgrounds today the South Quincys will play the Burnham A. A. team.

Lieut. Joseph A. Webber of the Boston fire department, son of the late Lewis P. Webber of Quincy, was married at Brockton on Thursday to Miss Mary H. Cunningham of that city, the Rev. Fr. W. E. Keating officiating.

At Brockton on Thursday the Walkovers were more successful in their game with the Neponset-Dorchester team, wining 6 to 1. Patterson who pitched for the Neponsets struck out 4, gave three bases on ball, and allowed 8 hits.

Business in the granite district which has been a little quiet is picking up.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Presbyterian church will hold its annual picnic at Houghtons pond, Monday, June 18.

Malcolm McLeod of Trafford street, left Saturday evening for a week's sojourn in Philadelphia as a Quincy delegate to the L. O. L. Convention.

The Granite Cutters unions throughout the country vote again next week on the future location of the National headquarters. The vote shall be taken to decide whether it shall be Quincy or New York.

Rev. James Todd, D. D., formerly pastor of the Water street Presbyterian church, with Mrs. Todd, are in town for a few days visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Milne.

A special collection will be taken at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday, June 17, in aid of the ruined churches of San Francisco.

The funeral of William H. Martin formerly of Quincy, who was drowned off Clarks Island, Me., June 8th was held Monday afternoon from the residence of William Martin, at 200 Water street. The services were conducted by Rev. William E. Gardner. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Miss Emily Whitford of Centerville is visiting her friend, Mrs. August V. Johnson of Kendrick avenue for a few weeks.

Among the June weddings will be that of Miss Hattie Lillian Bisson of South Quincy and Mr. Stephen Samuel Wickes of Bay View, Gloucester.

Since the first of the year Bibles have been awarded to twenty of the Sunday school scholars of the First Presbyterian church by the Sabbath school department of the Presbyterian Board of Publication for perfectly memorizing and reciting to their pastor, superintendent and teacher, the whole of the Westminster shorter catechism. The Bibles were given to Edna Walker, Ethel Ellis, Willie Cumming, Minnie Giles, Walter Morrison, Florence Ellis, Wendell Clark Katherine McCormack, Lillian McIntosh Charles Bishop, Helen Cumming, Annie Cumming, Ruth Sproul, Clark McKinnon, Margaret Aberdeen, Nelson Lamont Flora Tompson, Thomas Mitchell, Annie Clark and George Shirley.

Entertains Representatives.

A dozen or more Representativas of the Massachusetts Legislature were in Quincy on Wednesday as guests of Representative Sandberg. The party arrived at 1.50. A special car was in waiting which took them to the Quincy Point bridge. From there to the Fore River shipyard. Here they were met by President Bowles and Manager Wellington, who personally conducted them over the works.

The party were also entertained with a lunch at the annex, where President Bowles addressed then briefly.

From the Fore River works they went directly to the residence of Representative Sandberg where Mrs. Sandberg served supper.

After supper there were brief speeches by several of the Representatives and a general good time was enjoyed until it was time to leave for Boston.

To Lay Corner Stone.

Today will mark another epoch in the history of the Beacon Universalist Church of Brookline. At four o'clock the laying of the corner stone of the new church edifice will take place. The ceremony will be conducted under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Masons of Massachusetts J. Albert Blake, the grand master, will have charge of the ceremony, and the address will be given by the pastor, Rev. George L. Perin, D. D. The Beacon Universalist Church is really a union of two churches —the old Shawmut Universalist Church, formerly situated on Shawmut avenue, and the First Universalist Church of Brookline.

HOUGHS NECK.

Practically everything in the shape of a cottage has been leased and the outlook promises a very successful beach season.

C. J. Murphy of Dorchester has arrived at the Typhena cottage with his family for the summer months.

George R. Ingersol and family of Brockton are in the Marguerite cottage on Shannon street for the summer months.

Dances are held in several halls twice a week and on these nights there is a crowd of young people from Quincy present.

The Uno cottage on Winthrop street, has been leased to Fred Cahoon of Boston.

The new cottage of William Powers on Weymouth street, is nearly completed, and his family will move in next week.

The new addition to Charles Wyman's cottage on Bird street is about completed.

Fred S. Johnson and family of Campello are at their cottage on Great Hill.

Impromptu dances are held nearly every night at the Yacht Club hall.

Pool has become quite a pastime among the local resident members of the Quincy Yacht club.

One citizen of Quincy had his flag at half mast Thursday during the burial service of Tucker.

Dr. Parker of Medford will occupy a cottage on Sea street near Littlefield's this summer

William Logue of South Boston is at the Mary Esther cottage with his family for the summer.

The police have commenced to make their raids at Houghs Neck this year. These raids coupled with the stiff fines imposed by the courts will have a tendency to drive the illegal liquor traffic from the beach, and make it more desirable for summer visitors.

MILTON.

The houses on the Babcock estate on Granite place are being painted.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Brown of New York are at the Granite house.

The Ellsworth market closes this week having gone out of business.

Mrs. Ballington-Booth of the Volunteers of America gives a talk on prison work at Milton Center this evening.

Ira Hall appeared out last week in a new automobile.

The Thursday evening club held the first of a series of weekly tournaments at whist, pool and checkers this week.

Mrs. Richard Mackay and son Richard sailed from New York Wednesday for a trip to Europe.

The Samuel Babcock estate on Adams street was sold at auction this week.

Q. Y. C. Smoker.

The annual smoker of the Quincy Yacht club was held Thursday evening at the Yacht club house at Houghs Neck. It proved to be as successful and as enjoyable as in other years. There was a very large attendance of yachtsmen, who freely applauded the several members on the program.

Previous to the entertainment there was a short business sessions. Commander Crane briefly outlined the plans for the season, speaking particularly of the race of July 26, which he said would probably be the greatest event ever held in Quincy bay. Besides being the annual Y. R. A. M. open race it is the data of the inter-club race.

Several amendments to the bylaws were then adopted. These in brief provided that the annual meeting should be held the first Thursday in February, instead of the first Saturday. That the office of rear commodore should be added to the list of officers, and a committee of five to be known as the reception committee.

Flags for the rear commodore and fleet surgeon were adopted as well as paragraphs defining their duties.

Then came the entertainment. Commodore Crane introduced the artists.

The first was Miss Sadie Barton, the soubrette late of Paris, who rendered popular songs.

Ben Johnson, the rube violinist, proved to the audience that he could play the violin equally as well with a tin dipper, saw, knife old hat or other articles as with the bow.

Ben also contributed some stories which gave evidence that he had travelled some, even is he was a rube.

Little Miss Leo Hanson contributed songs, to which the audience joined in the chorus. She also gave a marvelous exhibition of dancing.

Joe Montgomery, the coon shouter, added a number of coon songs, and if some one had not stopped him he would be shouting yet. A professional pianist from Boston presided at the piano.

Nate Keith, a well known club member, was then pressed into the service for some of his inimitable stories, and the singing of popular airs by the club ended the program.

All then repaired to the lower piazza where coffee, crackers and cheese were served by Janitor Pray.

Lawn Party.

The lawn party conducted by the boys club the Huscarls of the King, Thursday evening was a great success. Alfred Artist, on his bicycle, "leaped the gap." William Staples, Eddie Lee and David Newcomb, dipped 10 gallons of ice cream. Carlton McNeil, Charles French and William French attended to the sale of tonics. Tom Skinner, David Melville and Russel Oliver assisted at the fortune tellers tent. Daniel McQueen, Clarence Metcalf, Roy Wales, Louis French and Harry Brown looked after the tent containing the phantasmagoria exhibit.

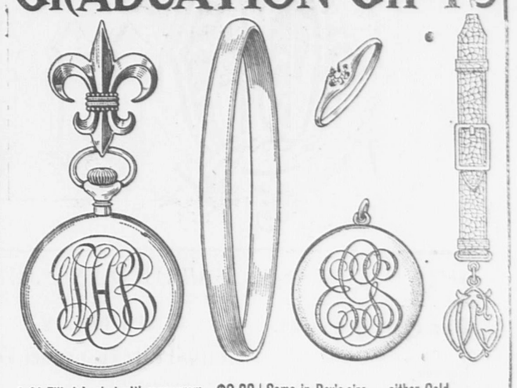
Thus the crowd of 250 people was kept a moving and entertained. Ten attractive young ladies of the Point Sunday School served ice cream, strawberries and cake. Music was furnished by Mr. James Melville, Mrs. Selleck, Miss Auwelda Smith, Miss Ermina Kane, Mr. Chester Mellan and Mr. Alfred Brown.

Great credit is due to Mr. Lee, manager of the boys club and to his faithful assistants and friends of the boys, for the success of the evening. The Huscarls are to spend a week camping, in July.

A Washington dispatch to the Herald says: Miss Louise Catherine Adams Clement of Newburyport, Mass., the great-great-grand-daughter of John Adams, second President of the United States, Friday presented to Mrs. Roosevelt, through Mrs. Abby G. Baker, a plate belonging to the state dinner set used by John Quincy Adams during his residence at the White House, and two old Staffordshire salt cellars, belonging to her distinguished ancestors. The pieces were placed in the cabinet among presidential souvenirs preserved at the White House.

Although Monday is not a legal holiday, business in Quincy will be suspended for a greater part of the day, and City Hall will be closed all day.

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WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon rises
Saturday, June	16, 4 07	7 22	7.15	7.45	1.23 A.M
Sunday, "	17, 4.07	7 23	8 15	8.30	1 53 "
Monday, "	18, 4.07	7.23	9.03	9.15	2.19 "
Tuesday, "	19, 4.07	7.24	9.45	10 00	2.50 "
Wednesday, "	20, 4 07	7.24	10.30	10.45	3.24 "
Thursday, "	21, 4.07	7.24	11.15	11.15	6.59 P.M
Friday, "	22, 4.07	7.24	11.45	12.00	7.55 "

New Moon, June 21, 6.06 P. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898.
Sunday,	87	77	82	77	71
Monday,	76	83	77	65	68
Tuesday,	71	85	67	87	87
Wednesday,	74	84	77	65	74
Thursday,	85	60	86	75	76
Friday,	80	71	81	66	77
Saturday,	—	80	80	75	75

By the new timetable Quincy has 38 trains to Boston and 40 from Boston, on weeks days, giving the best service the city ever had. There are nine inward expresses and six outward expresses. On Sundays there are 15 trains to Boston and 18 trains from Boston, some of which are expresses. There are late evening trains to Boston at 10.25 and 11 o'clock, and there are trains leaving Boston at 10.27 and 10.43, the latter an express.

San Francisco Fund.

City Treasurer Fay, who received the sums contributed to the San Francisco relief fund, has closed the account. There have been three additions to the fund since the last list published. They were: John A. Duggan, $1; Norfolk Lodge, A. O. U. W., $10; and Wollaston Congregational church, $3.

This makes a grand total of $3,607.68. Of this sum $3,500 has been forwarded to Kidder Peabody Co., $14.50 has been paid out for expenses leaving a balance on hand of $93.18.

Raid at Houghs Neck.

Chief of Police Burrell Lieut. McKay Officer Bradley and a squad of officers made a midnight visit to Houghs Neck Saturday night, and raided the Midland hotel on Sea street, kept by George F. Curran, and seized ten gallons of ale and eight gallons of beer.

They also visited the Brockton cafe on Sea street kept by Jeremiah F. Scanlon, and seized 161 bottles of beer and ale and quart of whiskey. Curran and Scanlon were arrested. Both pleaded guilty and were fined $75 each.

City Bath House.

The city bath house at Quincy Point will open for the season today. It will be under the general charge of John H. Starr as in other years. Mr. Star will have as his assistants Miss Lucy Feeley and Charles Starr.

The popularity of the bath house is too well known to need any extended comment. It is acknowledged by all to be one of the best investments for the general public that this city ever made.

Thousands patronized the bath house last season, and the building has long been considered too small. There is a great need of more lockers both in the men as well as the woman's department.

Silk Ensign.

A Washington dispatch says William O. Douchy, secretary of the Junior Order of the United American Mechanics of the state of Connecticut, has asked permission of the navy department to present to the battleship Connecticut a silk ensign. The department has sent him not only permission but a drawing of the flag in order that the present may conform with the regulations of the navy.

A short time ago the same organization presented a similar flag to the Virginia. The department is also informed that Connecticut school children are planning similar gifts to these two battleships.

Lake Shipyards Busy.

A special dispatch from Duluth to the Boston Transcript says: Lake shipyards are taking orders for ships to be launched for 1907, and one company already has ten vessels of the largest class contracted for. These will average about 500 feet long and cost $350,000 each. One of them is to be 660 feet long, as large as the greatest ocean liners, and will carry a cargo of 14,000 net tons of freight on a draft of twenty feet. In addition to the vessels now under contract for delivery the coming year, a number of shipowners are figuring on new orders, and many more will doubtless be placed shortly. The lake shipyards will be as busy during the coming twelve months as they have been in the past, when every building berth was occupied all the time.

Visitors to the Navy Yard.

Officers at the Charlestown Navy Yard estimates that about five thousand visitors are being received there daily. Many of the Christian Scientists, and last week the physicians, called to see the plant says the Transcript. On Saturday, besides the large number of visitors from outside the city, there were a dozen parties of children from nearby schools, each party in charge of a teacher. The officers are pleased to have the visitors see the yard, and have extended unusual privileges in the matter of giving permission to enter shops and go aboard warships. To many the Navy Yard is one of the most interesting sights, for some of them come from the interior, where they never get a chance to see a fighting ship of even the smallest class.

The array of warships at the yard includes two first-class battleships Missouri and New Jersey, the latter the latest addition in this class was built at Quincy; the armored cruiser New York, which is out of commission and being rebuilt at a cost of $1,200,000; the big training ship Prairie, the receiving ship Wabash, a wooden frigate of the Civil war period, used as quarters for seamen and newly enlisted men; the training ship Cumberland, the world-famous wooden frigate Constitution tied up at Pier 1, near the Water-street gate; the gunboat Hist, several torpedo boats and two naval tugs.

The Missouri, New Jersey and Wabash are the only ones in commission at present and permission may be had of the commanding officers to go aboard them during certain hours. Visitors will be able to get near views of the other ships but cannot go aboard.

The big new dry dock, which cost $1,250,000, and the old drydock, which has done efficient service for seventy years, have received much attention from the visitors.

War Ships at Cape Ann.

A large fleet of Uncle Sam's warships will rendezvous off the Massachusetts coast this summer. On July 12 the entire fleet, including 10 battleships, eight cruisers, gunboats and torpedo boat destroyers, in all about 30 vessels, will arrive off Rockport for tactical practice and remain two weeks, until July 27, when the entire fleet will steam to Newport, returning off Rockport Aug. 6 for a stay of three weeks, and general liberty will be allowed the men Aug. 18. The fleet, or divisions of it, will be along this coast and the Maine coast with intermittent trips to New York, until Sept. 25, when Provincetown will be the haven, and general practice will be in order Sept. 27.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, June 13, 1906.

At the time of writing the House has taken no action on the merger bill and it is utterly impossible to say what the vote will be on the main proposition of legalizing the wilful illegalities of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad and of making the proceedings legal so that the Boston and Maine can do the same things without fear of prosecution. That is the true form of stating the question which is contained in the bill to permit railroad companies to acquire the property and franchise of street railway companies.

But it is certain that there will be strong opposition in the House. This opposition is not at all on party lines, for it was opened by Mr. Webster of Boston, a disenting member of the street railway committee. It was supported in a strong speech by Mr. Luce of Somerville, who comes as near as any member of the House to being a leader, and when the House adjourned this afternoon, the floor was held by Mr. Ferber of Boston. All of these members are Republicans.

But the democrats cannot be counted upon to stand solid in opposition to bills which put burdens upon the public, because there has been a Boston contingent which has been dominated by corporation interests and cannot be counted upon to defend the principles for which the democratic party is supposed to stand. There is a queer parliamentary situation which shows that some very long bead has manipulated things for the corporations.

It will be remembered that the recess committee which considered the general subject a year ago was authorized to undertake anything which would, in its judgment improve the laws. That would permit anything being reported. But only specific matters were reported and the remainder of the instructions were not presented.

Therefore when today, in the House, Mr. Weeks of Everett proposed to amend by the substitution of a bill to forbid any steam road from buying up any street road, and to compel the New York, New Haven and Hartford to give up its street railway holdings within a year from the passage of the bill, he was met by a point of order which the speaker sustained and there was nothing in the report made to the joint committee on railroads and street railways which would justify moving such a bill as a substitute.

In order to meet this, Mr. Weeks has put in a petition this afternoon. But it requires a four-fifths vote to suspend this rule, and so the chances are very much against the admission of the proposition which Mr. Weeks desires to present in order to stop the illegal practices of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad company.

Indications are that there will be a hot contest yet in the House, and it is possible that the motion of Mr. Mellen of Worcester to refer the entire matter to the next legislature will prevail. When it is realized that the bill permits a complete monopoly of all the steam and electric transportation in the state, its magnitude will appear.

But it looks as if the so-called interurban bill would pass the House, as it has already passed the Senate with no opposition to speak of. This bill permits by general law, such electric roads between large cities as the Boston and Worcester electric road. It permits the taking of land by the corporation by eminent domain, and it makes possible strong rivals to the steam roads between points where there will be much business. Hence the importance of the bill to permit a general monopoly of all the transportation in the state, as the merger bill proposes.

President Dana of the Senate was today nominated for judge of the superior court by Gov. Guild and candidates for the chair are already numerous. Western Massachusetts has Senator Felker of Northampton, who stands as the anti-monopoly candidate. Worcester has Senator Taft, with his legal mind. Senator Harding of the Cape, Kyle of Plymouth and Chapple of Essex are also mentioned and if any are omitted, they can be added later. Regarding that modest man, the last named, it is to be remembered that, when he was a member of the House he was repeatedly called to the chair and always showed himself fully as good as the regular speaker, keeping fine order with ease and being thoroughly posted in parliamentary practice, so that his temporary occupancy made him remembered for his excellence across a term of years long enough for the forgetting of most temporary presiding officers. If he could do so well in the House, still more is he likely to succeed in the Senate, where the demand is not nearly as great for first class presiding ability.

Regarding the Tucker case, this word may be added to what the newspapers have published, that there is the best reason for saying that Gov. Guild has received a great many letters from persons who have said that they were opposed to capital punishment who told him that they believed that he did exactly right in this instance.

Sergeant-at-Arms Remington has been given an excellent oil portrait by the artist J. L. Findlay, with the understanding that he will sometime turn it over to the possession of the state. The employees under him made him a present of it.

By a close vote in the House the bill to exempt state bonds from taxation was enacted, after a tie of 84 to 84 on reconsidering its engrossment yesterday.

Brockton people are hoping that their canal bill, to make Brockton a seaport, will pass, but other members have their doubts. Rule.

[Ed.—The "Merger bill" met a Waterloo in the House on Thursday, when it was referred to the next Legislature by a vote of 152 to 41, at the close of a two days' battle. Both Quincy men voted for reference.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Luther S. Anderson to Henry M. Faxon
George W. Hopkins et al trs to Catherine A. St. George
Patrick Desmond by adm to Annie L. Dowd, $250
Maggie E. Forsyth to James P. Clare
Charles E. Bentley to Arthur E. Bentley
Timothy Lyons, Jr., to Marion Moffat
Marion Moffat to William N. Swain
William N. Swain to David Moffat et ux.
William H. Baker to Union Trust Co.
Catherine A. Mulhall to Thomas R. Linton.
Charles H. White to Edward Billings
Edward Billings to Otto F. Johnson
John W. Chisholm to Asa O. A. Sewell
George L. Haupt to Thomas Griffin
Rosa B. Nickerson to Emma H. Conch
Howard P. Elwell to Frank O. Wellington
Eva K. Harting to John H. Dinegan
John H. Dinegan to Edward Billings
Creighton McIntosh et al trs to John H. Dinegan, $29.
Lester M. Pratt to Alice Malone, $200
George W. Hopkins et al trs to Carey Keith
Marion E. Drake by gdn to Mary E. McLaughlin, $100
Annie M. Kelley to Cornelia R. Hammond
William A. Jordan to Emma F. Hirtle

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Probate Court

Judge Flint held Probate court for Norfolk county at Quincy Wednesday and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Nathan Goodspeed, late of Weymouth, Nathan H. Goodspeed and James Q. B. Goodspeed executors; bond $1,000.

Of Martha B. Loud, late of Weymouth, Herman F. Vickery, Helen P. Vickery and Sarah M. Loud executors; bond $75,000 each.

Of Adeline T. Bates late of Cohasset, Amos K. Tilden executor; bond $300.

Of George G. Bowman late of Quincy, Mary A. Bowman executor; bond $1,000.

Of Charlotte A. Battison, late of Quincy, William J. Battison executor; bond $14,000.

ADMIMISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Walter L. Grant, on estate of Sarah C. Grant, late of Wrentham; bond $3,000.

Robert Mitchell, Jr., on estate of Robert Mitchell, late of Weymouth; bond $2,600.

Henry Banwell, on estate of Jessie L. Banwell, late of Weymouth; bond $3,000.

Herbert Ward, de bonis non, on estate of Edward L. Ward, late of Westwood; bond $1,000.

Elizabeth L. Mitchell, on estate of William H. Mitchell late of Brookline; bond $50,000.

Charles H. Skinner, on estate of Charles E. Skinner, late of Milton; bond $1,000.

Charles N. Holmes, on estate of Mary F. Holmes late of Brookline; bond $1,500.

Henry E. Jackson, on estate of Elvira E. Jackson, late of Walpole; bond $3,000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First and final of Etta M. Metcalf, administratrix of estate of Edward B. Metcalf, late of Bellingham, for $7,788.04.

Final of Eben S. Pratt, trustee under will of Charles Pratt late of Cohasset, for the benefit of Ruth V. Bates, for $10,406.44.

Second and final of Alma G. Pierce, administratrix of estate of Lydia T. Gardner, late of Milton, for $220.22.

First and final of Walter C. Edson, administrator of estate of Theodore Edson, late of Braintree, for $2,933.41.

First and final of Gustav Rymarczick, guardian of Charles T. Rymarczick, a minor of Braintree, for $50.00.

Seventh of George H. Brown, trustee of will of Samuel H. Barnicoat, late of Quincy; for $307.25.

First and final of James M. Folan, executor of will of Bridget Geary, late of Norwood; for $1,815.85.

Second of Fred M. French trustee of will of Abby M. Roel for the benefit of Henry A. Roel of Randolph, for $459.80.

Second of Fred M. French, trustee of will of Abby M. Roel, for the benefit of Walter S. Roel of Randolph, for $558.93.

First of Eliza C. Macleod and Frederick Barnicoat, guardians of Liura C., Cora M. C. and Phoebe O. M. Barnicoat, minors of Quincy, for $297.25.

First and final of Margaret C. Healey, administratrix of estate of John Healey late of Braintree, for $1530.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Charles N. Field was appointed guardian of minor children of Walter J. Shuter; bond $200.

Mary M. Pratt guardian of Ezekiel Pratt, a miner of Cohasset, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $258.

Norfolk County W. C. T. U.

The spring convention of the Norfolk County Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held Wednesday at the Bethany church.

The morning session opened at 10 o'clock with an attendance of upwards of seventy-five. The president, Mrs. Ida S. Brown, presided.

The exercises opened with devotional service led by Mrs. C. E. Newcomb of Weymouth Heights.

Mrs. A. C. Coffin of Quincy gave the greeting and the response was by Miss O. M. Atwood of South Weymouth.

Reports of the County secretary, County treasures and County superintendent followed.

At 11.45 there was noontide prayer and Bible reading by he president.

Mrs. A. R. Brigham of Medford, State Superintendent gave an outline of the work at fairs at open-air meetings.

There was a much larger attendance at the afternoon sesion than at the morning session.

Encouraging reports were made by the executive committee. Miss Caroline E. Caswell of Boston gave a talk on the Frances E. Wlard settlement, and Mrs. F. E. Brittel gave an address on "Christain Citizenship."

Through the kindness of a Quincy gentleman a substatial lunch was served during the noon recess.

Adjournment was reched at 4 P. M.

Horton—Rodes.

Among the June welings occurring last week was that of r. T. A. Horton, recently of Hingham, and Miss Blanche Rhodes of Wollaston. The marriage was celebrated at the hme of the bride's parents, 9 Old Colo Avenue at 8 o'clock Saturday evenng, and was attended by relatives and intimate friends of the families from Hgham, Dorchester and Wollaston. The bridesmaid was Miss Sallie Litch. The groom was attended by Mr. Robe Pinkham. Mrs. Chandler W. Smith the piano furnished the appropriat music. Following the ceremony, whi was performed by Rev. E. D. Webber ere was a largely attended receptionfter which the young couple departe on a short honeymoon trip. Upon tir return they will reside on Saffordreet, Wollaston.

Bethany Brotherhood.

At its annual meng Tuesday the Bethany Church Bherhood elected the following officer

President,—James Myer.
Vice president,—Jot L. Melcher.
Secretary,—Henry Hayword.
Treasurer Charles Miller.
Chairman Religio work,—Eber E. Craig.
Chairman Fellowp Committee,—William F. Sideling
Chairman Membeip Committee,—Frank W. Crane.
Chairman Entertment Committee,—Ernest D. Gourd.
Chairman Outl Committee,—Ernest W. Branch.

Open Yat Race.

Several Quincy yts participated in the open race of tDorchester, Boston and Savin Hill bs in Dorchester bay Saturday in br of Dorchester day.

Class D was comd almost wholly of Quincy boats. e Josephine led the fleet over the rse finishing in first position. modore Crane's Iris was but 50 secs behind at the finish. Correctedime, however, placed her in thiresition, with the Hustler second and vel fourth.

Quincy Mansion School.

Bright summer days added much to the pleasures of Commencement week at the Quincy Mansion school and it has been one of the most enjoyable in the history of the school, not only to the sweet girl graduates but to Dr. and Mrs. Willard, teachers and guests. Throughout the week there has been large gatherings at all the festivities.

The week opened Sunday afternoon at half past four when Rev. George Hodges, D. D., preached the baccalaureate sermon.

Monday evening there was a largely attended concert given by William Howard, violinist and S. Newton Cutter, pianist, which was a musical treat, much enjoyed. The program was excellent from a musical standpoint and each number received appreciative encores.

Livermore hall presented a brilliant scene Tuesday evening at the class day exercises of the Class of 1906. The There was a very large attendance of the parents and friends of the graduates, many states being represented.

The exercises took the form of a one act Japanese fantastic, entitled "Sakara," the cast of characters being as follows:

Princess Kiku	Helen Loud
O Mimoso San	Madeleine Moore
O Yuki San	Dorothy Mills
O Totmai San	Elizabeth Walsh
O Haru San	Maud Muller
O Sana-oo	Alice Knott
Tsui	Marion Haller
Milcha	Weslyan Grindle
Kitsikara	Annette Sproat
Koda	Helen Chandler
Yosan	Margery Lowney
Ito	Annie Gillingham
Sakara	Patience Perkins

This was followed by the class story by Miss Corinne Barbour, and the class song and cheer written by Miss Patience Perkins.

An exceptionally fine concert was given at Livermore hall on Wedusesday evening by the pupils of the music department. As many of the parents and friends of the pupils are on for commencement week there was a large attendance.

The concert was given under the direction of Prof. Marceau and was very enjoyable. The program included selections from such well known composers as Meyerbeer, Lack, Bohm, Accolay, Schytte, Moszkowski, Mendelssohn and others.

The pupils to take part were: Miss B. Atwood, Miss J. Atwood, Miss Polsey, Miss Smith, Miss Elizabeth M. Walsh, Miss Marjorie Fisher, Miss Helen Atwood, Miss Hazel M. Goodman, Miss Helen Chandler, Miss Wesleyan Grindle, Miss Loud, Miss Haller, Miss Paterson, Miss M. Moore and Miss Moore.

The tenth annual commencement exercises of the Quincy Mansion school were held Thursday afternoon at Livermore hall, at 2.15. At that hour the hall was filled to overllowing. The pupils of the school and graduating class occupied seats in front of the platform, the front of which was prettily decorated with roses and ferns whose fragrance filled the room.

The exercises although quite lengthy, were of a very interesting nature, each number on the program calling for well-merited applause.

The exercises opened with orchestral music, which was followed by the processional, "Angel of Peace." Then came a prayer by Rev. J. Stanley Durkee. The salutatory addresses were by Miss Chandler, Miss Haller and Miss Loud.

Other essays were given by Miss Walsh, Miss Barbour, Miss Gillingham, Miss Perkins, Miss Mills and Miss Muller.

The class history was given by Miss Lowney and the valedictory by Miss Knott. The essays were interspersed with vocal numbers by the student body, instrumental music by the orchestra and Miss Grindel, Miss Moore and Miss Chandler.

The exercises closed with the presentation of diplomas to the graduating class and benediction. The graduates were:—

Corinne Estelle Barbour, Wollaston
Helen S. Chandler, Addison, Me
Annie H. Gillingham, Fairhaven
M. Wesleyan Grindle, New York
Marion C. Haller, Omaha, Neb
Alice M. Knott, Sioux City, Ia
Helen F. Loud, Weymouth
Margery B. Lowney, Dorchester
Dorothy Mills, Winchester
Madeleine C. Moore, Newton Centre
Maude S. Muller, New Britain, Conn
Patience W. Perkins, Salem
Annette D. Sproat, Chillicothe, Ohio
Elizabeth M. Walsh, Lowell.

Following the commencement exercises, receptions were held in the evening, the alumnae at seven followed from eight until ten by the principal's reception, which brought commencement week to an end and also the school year. The students are now scattered to their various homes with pleasant remembrances of the Quincy Mansion school.

Y. M. C. A. Picnic.

The first annual picnic of the Junior Department of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. will be held Monday June 18, at Houghton's Pond, Milton. As there is no school on that date, many of the Junior members should avail themselves of the opportunity for one of the best times of the season.

The party will leave Quincy Square on the East Milton car at 9.35 A. M. The round-trip fare is twenty cents. Each fellow should bring a bountiful lunch. A refreshment booth will be at the picnic ground and boats will be for rent. The Y. M. C. A. boys will have free use of the bath house on the edge of lake. No one will be expected to go in swimming except when one of the leaders of the party is present, and no one will be expected to hire a boat without notifying one of the leaders. Swimming tights must be worn. Only experienced fellows will be expected to partake of water sports.

The following sports will be enjoyed during some part of the day,—swimming race, prize to winner; base ball game, when prizes will be awarded for the following:—biggest hit, most runs, largest number of stolen bases, largest number of put-outs, (catcher will have to get two put-outs, and first basemen must get 2 1-2 put-outs, to one of other players), and a final prize for general excellence in effort to put forth and show a good clean playing. No boy can take more than one prize. Those scrapping will be down and out.

As this will be the last day that Mr. Noon, the Boy's Work Director will be in Quincy, he hopes that many of the fellows will attend the picnic, to get a chance to say good-bye. By special arrangement, members may bring their boy friends who are non-members, but who will be treated as one of the party.

—The United Shoe Machinery Corporation has declared regular quarterly dividends of 1 1-2 per cent. (37 1-2 cents) on the preferred stock and 2 per cent. (50 cents) on the common stock. Both are payable July 14 to stock of record June 20.

Several games of base ball today, most of the parks and playgrounds being in use in the afternoon.

Base Ball.

Quincy High's string of victories was broken on Tuesday at the park, when in an eleven inning game they were defeated by Dedham High 9 to 5.

For ten innings the Quincy boys duplicated the score of the visitors. Dedham was the first at the bat and was blanked; so was Quincy. When Dedham scored one in the second, Quincy did likewise; and it was so in the third when each made two.

Somehow there was a mistake in the eleventh inning; either in allowing Dedham to score four runs, or when Quincy failed to score. The visitors hit Michael freely in this inning.

Both pitchers gave the same number of bases on balls during the game, but Riddle of Dedham struck out more. The Quincys made 5 errors to 2 for the visitors.

The best hit of the game was by Elcock for three bags.

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
Dedham High,	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	—9
Quincy High,	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—5

Two base hit—Drumm. Three-base hit,—Elcock, Base on balls,—Off Riddle 7, of Michaels 7. Struck out,—By Riddle 14, by Michaels 3. Sacrifice hits,—Nichols, King, F. Higley. Double play,—J. Hurley to Ward. Wild pitch,—Riddle. Umpire,—Kolseth. Time,—1h., 40m.

This afternoon, the champion South Quincy team will have as opponents the crack Burnham A. A. team of Roxbury, and a very interesting game is expected. The Burnham team is considered one of the strongest of the state, and as the South Quincy's are playing their best ball the result will be in doubt until the last ball is pitched.

The line up will be as follows: Forbes, C., Marion, P., Birnie, 1st B., Riley, 2d B., Collins, S. S., Dunn, 3 B., Oswald, C. F., Spargo, L. F. and Capt. Duffy, R. F.

On Monday morning, June 18, at Ward Three South Quincy will play, the Walworths of South Boston with the same line up.

On the afternoon of June 18, South Quincy will go to Dorchester to play the strong Neponset-Dorchester team, and will have as battery Eddie Forbes and Kelley of South Boston. Patterson of South Quincy is expected to do the box work for Neponset-Dorchester.

To Abolish Grade Crossings.

Whether Quincy people are to ride to Boston up in the air or almost under ground is still an open question. A Boston paper says the residents of Harrison square, Dorchester, in continuing their fight for the abolition of the grade crossings, will make a final appeal to the railroad commissioners. A number of hearings have been held before the special commissioner appointed by the superior court judges, and the mayor's office has been the scene of a number of conferences.

The officials of the, New York, New Haven & Hartford have planned to elevate the track, while the residents have favored depressing the tracks. At a conference held in the mayor's office the other day, President Mellen of the New Haven announced that his company stood ready to stand by the decision of the special commission. His report will be made in a few days, and the representatives of the improvement associations of Dorchester, realizing that the report will be against their plan, have already taken steps to appeal to the railroad commissioners.

Trawler a Success.

The Fore River Shipbuilding company should soon have orders to build several more steam trawlers. The Herald of Thursday says:

Scoring a record-breaking trip, and winning a new reputation for herself, the steam trawler Spray, Capt. Dexter Malone, arrived at T wharf this morning, only 48 hours out from port, with a cargo of 37,500 pounds of fresh fish that sold for $1600.

"She is just striking her gait," said John R. Neal, president of the company operating the trawler. "I wish we had half a dozen just such vessels."

"If she can make $8000 a day we will have to stand aside and watch her," said one of the schooner captains this morning.

The Spray has made six trips in eight weeks and each time has brought in from 40,000 to 75,000 pounds of fresh fish. On her last trip she took in several hauls 35,000 pounds of haddock, 1,500 pounds of codfish, 1,000 pounds of hake and 200 pounds of halibut. Under full head of steam the trawler rushed into port, getting her fish on to the market early this morning, with only three schooners in port to compete against.

Dancing at Houghs Neck.

Manzanalla hall, the large new hall at Houghs Neck has been leased to H. S. Brown of Boston, who opened it for dancing parties on Saturday evening June 9th. Mr. Brown is a thorough bred in the dance hall business having the reputation of running the best dances in Putnam Hall, Boston, of any hall in the city. His popularity among the yachtsmen, and their friends (he being ex-Commodore of the South Boston Yacht Club) will be of great assistance in making his summer dancing parties a grand success. His regular Putnam Hall orchestra has been engaged for the season.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

WHIT SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, Ph. D. pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. W. F. Taylor of Manchester, Conn. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening service at 7.30. Preaching by the pastor.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor. Afternoon service at 2.30. Sermon by the pastor. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45 Preaching by the pastor. Topic: "Whosoever." Sunday School at 12 M. Classes for all. Junior C. E. at 4. P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.30. At 7.30 another in the series of services conducted by the young people. Topic: "Father, the head of the family." A cordial welcome for all. Our church is the Sabbath home of the people.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Rev. Ernest W. Hunt, minister. Service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. All are invited.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor Subject: "Adjusting Burdens." Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Social service with short address at 7.00 P. M.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Governing the tongue." Sunday School at 12 M. 7.00 P. M. Social service led by Y. P. S. C. E. Topic; "The Glorified Life." Address by the pastor.

Members of State Board.

Two of the appointments by Gov. Guild on Wednesday are of local interest and both are heartily endorsed: Jeffrey R. Brackett, Boston, to be member of the State Board of Charity, vice Dr. Edward Hitchcock, who declined reappointment and Francis A. Bicknell of Weymouth, to be deputy commissioner of State aid and pensions.

The Transcript gives this sketch: Jeffrey R. Brackett was nominated to succeed Dr. Edward Hitchcock of Amherst on the State Board of Charity, retired by his own wish. He was widely indorsed for the position by persons interested in philanthropy and scientific methods of charity administration, including the Union Relief Association of Springfield.

Dr. Brackett is forty-six and a graduate of Harvard and Johns Hopkins. He lives at 41 Marlboro street. In Baltimore, while an active member of the Charity Organization Society and the Children's Aid Society, etc., was chairman of the Citizens' Relief Committee in the hard times of 1893-4.

He was the first president of the department of charities and corrections of Baltimore, under the new charter; and served until resigned in order to return to his home state to start the new school for social workers, under Simmons College and Harvard. He was president of the National Conference of Charities and Corrections at Portland, Me., and chairman of the committee of the Massachusetts State Conference on Training for Social Work, 1906.

The old family homestead in Quincy is now held by the "Brackett Charitable Trust" for charitable and educational purposes; and is used by a large organization of women of Quincy for meetings, lectures, etc., partly as home and office of a "visiting nurse," and by physicians of Quincy for sick poor.

Mr. Bicknell is promoted to the position left vacant through the death of Colonel Joseph B. Parsons, and the position of first clerk of the department, occupied heretofore by Mr. Bicknell, is abolished, resulting in a saving of $1000 a year to the Commonwealth. There is also a saving of a room in the State House, which is much needed. Mr. Bicknell is a prominent member of South Shore commandery, K. T., of Weymouth.

First Annual Field Meet.

The first annual field meet of the boys' department of the Quincy Young Men's Christian Association which was started at Franklin Field, Dorchester, was completed Wednesday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The first prize, which was the best boy's base ball made in Boston, was awarded to Carl Tinglof, Jr. The second prize of an excellent base ball bat went to Alfred Artis, and the third prizs of a junior league ball went to Russell Bates, captain of the Y. M. C. A. Junior base ball team. All of these boys have been training in the Association gymnasium through the winter, and are classed with the best athletes among the younger boys of the city.

There were eleven events, and the winner of each was credited with 5 points, the second with 3, and the third with 1. The events and winners are as follows:

50 yard dash,—1st, Fred Gullickson; 2d Harold Prout; 3d William Manning and Joe Pinel tied.

3 legged race,—1st Carl Tinglof and Allison Marsh; 2d Harold Gould and Sherman Hayden; 3d Melvin Olsen and Arthur Isaacsen.

Base ball throw,—1st. Alfred Artis; 2d Russell Bates and Lincoln Gardner tied, 3d F. Gullickson.

Hop, step and jump,—1st C. Tinglof; 2d A. Artis; 3d Joe Pinel.

100 yard dash,—1st Frederick Abbott; 2d Russ Bates; 3d F. Gullicksen.

Running broad jump,—1st Wm. Cain; 2d A. Artis and Joe Pinel tied; 3d R. Bates.

Standing high jump,—1st C. Tinglof; 2d A. Artis and R. Bates tied; 3d F. Abbott and G. Erickson tied.

Running high jump,—1st A. Artis; 2d R. Bates; 3d C. Tinglof.

Shoe Race,—1st F. Abbott; 2d G. Erickson; 3d A. Artis.

Standing broad jump,—1st C. Tinglof; 2d F. Abbott; 3d Artis and Bates tied.

Shot put,—1st Russ Bates; 2d C. Tinglof; 3d A. Artis.

Those who got 2 1-2 points or more are as follows:

1	Carl Tinglof, Jr.	21 1-2 points
2	Alfred P. Artis	18 1-2 "
3	Russell T. Bates	15 1-2 "
4	Frederick K. Abbott	13 1-2 "
5	Fred Gullickson	7 "
6	William F. Cain	5 "
7	Gustaf Erickson	3 1-2 "
8	Joseph Pinel	3 "
9	Harold Prout	3 "
10	Allison Marsh	2 1-2 "

The District Court.

John Murphy was arraigned for the threatening to assault Irene E. Buckley at Quincy. Case continued until June 20.

The case of Thomas J. Rogan for intimid

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Poetry.

Awake! Salute Old Glory!

KATE B. SHERWOOD.

Hail, fairest flag on land or ocean,
Setting all the world in motion!
Awake! Awake!
Salute the flag!
Its stars so bright, its stripes so fair;
Awake! Awake!
No other can with it compare,
That sails the sea, that rules the air;
Awake! Awake!
Awake! Salute Old Glory!

Our flag has felt the tempest's rattle,
Blown by all the winds of battle.
Awake! Awake!
Salute the flag!
For you it beauteous folds were torn;
Awake! Awake!
But now by loyal legions borne,
It views the splendors of the morn;
Awake! Awake!
Awake! Salute Old Glory!

O come, ye patriots, to the rally!
Come from every hill and valley!
Awake! Awake!
Salute the flag!
The Stars and Stripes for freedom stand;
Awake! Awake!
O come, and for your country hand,
And pledge your head and heart and hand.
Awake! Awake!
Awake! Salute Old Glory!

Notes and Comments.

—Sealing wax is not wax at all, and it does not contain a particle of wax. It is made of shellac and resin melted with turpentine.

—A Washington workman while he was returning from work fell into a hole in a vacant lot. As he fell he clung to the edge of the hole, and being unable to pull himself up he hung there a good part of the night in terrible terror lest he fall into the great abyss yawning beneath his feet. Along toward morning some wayfarers rescued the man from his position, and it was found that he had been struggling all night over a four inch drop, which he could not see because of the darkness. A good many "holes" men get into are of that kind!

—Things have come to such a pass now, that constables are given authority to arrest delinquent poll-tax payers anywhere in the State, for not coming up to time with the tax that every citizen is expected to produce, as one of the witnesses of his citizenship. This is a recent decision of the Supreme Court, and it is a wise one.

—The comparison of facts and figures concerning the cost of construction of the battleships Louisiana and Connecticut, show what might be expected were municipal or government ownership come to be universal. Both vessels were begun at practically the same time and both were launched about the same time, but the Louisiana built in a private yard has been delivered, while the Connecticut is far from done. The cost of the former is $3,992,000, but there has already been spent on the latter $4,212,000, and a further expenditure of $380,000 is in sight. It doesn't look like a profitable thing for the government to build its own ships.

—Pure food's the thing. North, South East and West, it is the demand of the people everywhere that that the manufacturers of food products be brought to a realizing sense of the responsibility that rests upon them as purveyors of such products. The people have suffered too long from the injustices done them by the makers of cheap articles of food.

—In a little less than three weeks longer the autoist is doting upon the fact that he will be able to have a yet greater freedom in the way of speed than he has heretofore enjoyed. The limit has been raised by law to twenty miles on the highway, twelve miles in cities and towns, and eight miles around curves or crossings, where the operator's view is obstructed. The streets and the highways are already full of autos of all sorts and descriptions, and with the increase in speed, it is becoming more and more of a wonder how other vehicles of the slower kind are going to be able to enforce their own right of way on any of the highways. The higher rate of speed that is to be granted is going to give the reckless driver yet more leeway and allow him practically to own the road. The rustic will have to wake up. There will be no more jogging sleepily along the country roads, any longer. Every corner and every sharp turn will hold a peril for him in the shape of an automobile, bowling along at its own free-and-easy gait, that it is bound to make the former keep his eyes open hereafter if he never has before.—Boston Courier.

—The only fish that never sleep are salmon, pike and goldfish.

—It is a commercial and industrial necessity for all this section of the country that the denudation of the White Mountains shall be prevented, and this view of the matter was forcibly presented by Mr. Theophilus Parsons, treasurer of the Lyman mills. Governor McLane, of New Hampshire, did not state the case any too strongly when he declared that "forest preservation in the White Mountains means a hundred times more of benefit to other states than to New Hampshire."

Run Over.

There was quite a little excitement at Barry's corner early Monday evening caused by three men who were said to be under the influence of liquor. They were on a team and during an argument two of them fell off and the team went over them. The two injured men said their names were Smith and Morton. The latter, who lives on Squantum street, had his wrist broken. Smith, who is said to live at the corner of Hancock and Squantum streets, was severely bruised.

The police ambulance was called to take him to the Hospital. When it arrived, however, it was decided to take the man home. The team and its driver had in the meantime gone on toward Harrison square where it belonged.

Steamer in Commission.

The trial trip of the new passenger steamer South Shore built by the Fore River Shipbuilding Company for the Boston and Nantasket line took place Monday.

The steamer having on board the officers of both companies, and a number of invited guests, left the works at 11.30.

She was piloted by Capt. Francis H. Cleverley and after passing through Hull gut she was headed for the South Shore by her Commander, Captain Walter L. Rathburn. She ran down the coast as far as Duxbury and thence back to Nantasket, where she tied up.

She proved to be a very staunch boat, developing speed under natural draft of 12.9 knots an hour. She is the most expensive steamer built for this line, costing fully equipped $160,000. She will carry 2,300 passengers on the inside route and 1800 in Massachusetts bay.

The steamer is a steel boat, 205 feet over all, 32 feet 6 inches beam and 12 feet depth of hold. She has two simple engines. She is fully equipped with steam steerer, electric light plant, including searchlight, steam heating plant etc.

The officers of the new boat will be Capt. Walter L. Rathburn, commander, who is the senior captain of the line with 33 years experience in steamboating; Mark E. Crehan mate, Bert Nickerson pilot, David Purdy engineer, Frank Lyons assistant engineer. The full crew will number 26. Purser not yet assigned.

Among those on board were Rear Admiral F. T. Bowles, retired; F. O. Wellington, H. G. Smith, C. E. Montgomery and E. B. Edwards, all of Fore River Shipbuilding company.

George P. Cushing, Ebed L. Ripley, Albert T. Whiting, and Albert Stone, all of Nantasket Beach Steamboat company.

Capt. Alfred A. Galiano and Engineer Alex Anderson of the Nantasket; Capt. Joseph T. Galiano and Engineer John Trussell of the Old Colony; Capt. Osceola F. James and Engineer William E. Bell of the Myles Standish.

George S. Webster of the Atlantic Works, Parker Kimball, engineer of the Boston elevated railway; J. K. Montgomery, retired ship builder who built all the other steamboats of the line.

Edgar M. Lane, Frank G. Lombard, John R. Mulvaney, Arthur Whiting, George Whitcomb, John H. Eddy, Stetson Foster, William H. Lane, R. H. Nickerson, William C. Fiske.

The new boat will go on the line Saturday.

Drowned at Houghs Neck.

Frederick J. Butrick of 28 West Canton street, Boston, aged 25 years, was drowned Sunday afternoon, by the capsizing of a rowboat, during the heavy squall, between Sheep and Grape islands. Butrick is a member of the Eldora club who are occupying a cottage on Crosby street, at Houghs Neck.

Sunday afternoon Butrick and a party of young men, who were guests of the club, went out in a boat for a row about the bay. In the party were Bruce Stewart, George McDonald, Frank Steel and another young man whose name was not learned.

During the heavy squall, in endeavoring to keep the boat head to the wind, one of the oars broke and the boat became unmanageable. Capt. Albert Pierson who was in the yacht Vellela saw their plight and hastened to their aid. He ran his yacht along- side and so close that some of the party were able to jump to the deck of the yacht.

Butrick and Stewart in jumping missed their footing and fell into the water. Butrick could not swim and Stewart held him up while waiting for the yacht to come to their rescue. Before it reached them Stewart became weakened and to save himself let go of Butrick. Stewart was later rescued by a launch, but Butrick's body sank.

Butrick was born in Boston, Jan. 25, 1879, and for several years has been identified with Reeds agency on Devonshire street. He was at one time a candidate for the Common Council of Boston but failed to be elected.

Margaret C. Riddell.

At the funeral of Margaret C. Riddell of Nightingale avenue there were many beautiful floral tributes. The Loyal Ladies attended in a body and performed their service. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston. Among the flowers were:

Loyal Ladies of Clan McGregor, a pillow.

Miss Wilbur's Room Tubular Rivet Co., standing wreath and pillow.

Celluoid room, Tubular Rivet Co., standing wreath.

Mr. and Mrs. Birnir, wreath.

Bratton family, wreath.

Mr. John Marshall, wreath.

Bouquets from Mr. and Mrs. Philip Savard, Miss Bessie Robie and friend, Miss Jessie Gould, Mrs. Dackers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Fay, Mr. and Mrs. F. Steinhenner, Mrs. John Gorman, Mrs. David Gordon, Miss Mabel Leighton, Miss M. Leighton and Lexie McDonald, Mrs. W. Thomson's family and W. Matthews.

Railroad Whistling Hearing.

Quincy was well represented at the hearing before the Railroad Commissioners to abate the whistling nuisance on the lines of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad.

The Railroad Commissioners were apparently thoroughly conversant with the situation for it was not necessary for any of those present to say anything about the nuisance.

The Commissioners said that warning was necessary in some cases but that they would recommend to the railroad that whistling be discontinued at such grade crossings which were protected by gates, flagmen or bells, as far as consistant with safety, at such places as had requested the whistling discontinued.

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"The Jungle."

Packingtown is the latest place to get squarely under the searchlight of public opinion. Packingtown is the headquarters of the meat trust, the district of Chicago where the vast operations of the big meat manufactories of that city are carried on. To Packingtown come every day thousands of head of cattle, sheep and hogs. The proportions of the packing industry are such that the importance of its being conducted on lines consistent with public health is obvious. Suspicion that this was not the case was caused by the publication of the now famous novel "The Jungle." In this book the author, Upton Sinclair, sought to show that the struggle for existence among the workers of Packingtown is akin to the struggle for life among the wild beasts of the jungle. According to the novel, the grossest abuses prevailed in Packingtown under a reign of graft and greed. The story closes with the conversion of the hero to socialism, as a remedy for the conditions described.

Mr. Sinclair was born in 1878 and educated at the College of the City of



KILLING A THOUSAND HOGS PER HOUR AT THE CHICAGO STOCKYARDS.

New York and Columbia university. By the time he was seventeen he had produced a literary output remarkable in point of quantity at least, for he had then written several stories, one a romance of 80,000 words. He lived for four years in shanties and tents in Canada, often subsisting on game, and in this way wrote "King Midas." His next story, "Prince Hagen," was at first rejected by all the publishers, and the winter following its completion he nearly starved in New York. It was then that he wrote "The Journal of Arthur Stirling," which embodied his experiences. "The Jungle" came as the result of his socialistic investigations and his life in Packingtown. He married in 1900 and now lives in Princeton, N. J.

When "The Jungle" got into the hands of President Roosevelt an interesting train of events was started. The president determined to learn if there was a measureable degree of truth in the descriptions of the book, and he first ordered an investigation by experts of the government bureau of animal industry as to the conduct of the government inspectors in the packing section of Chicago. They are said to have reported that the book told the truth only in patches. Not satisfied with this report, Mr. Roosevelt next put on the trail of the meat trust two recognized authorities on the subject



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of labor and sociology, Charles P. Neill, United States commissioner of labor, and James Bronson Reynolds of New York, the settlement worker. The report of these gentlemen confirmed in the main the statements of Mr. Sinclair. Then the Beveridge meat inspection bill was introduced and passed in the senate.

James B. Reynolds has given a great deal of study to sociological matters, is a lawyer of forty-five, is a Yale graduate and was a fellow of sociology at Columbia. He has been head of the University settlement in New York for over a dozen years, was a member of the state tenement house commission and was secretary to former Mayor Seth Low of New York. He is a man of means and paid his own expenses in the Chicago investigation.

Mr. Neill succeeded Carroll D. Wright as labor commissioner. He is forty-one years old and is a native of Illinois. He left school at an early age to earn his living, but at twenty-five forsook his trade to take a college course. He was connected with the anthracite coal strike commission and was a professor in the Catholic university.

Wollaston Yacht Club.

A good sailing breeze greeted the Wollaston Yacht club Saturday afternoon at its first championship club race of the season. The breeze was from the south west and just strong enough for the boats to go out under whole sail. There was a good fleet out and an interesting race was sailed.

There were two classes to participate. Class A had seven starters and Class C. three. Vice Commodore George F. Sawyer, Jr., was out in the Eleanor purchased by him this season and she made a good showing. She led her class over the course and finished with a lead of over twelve minutes actual time and nearly nine minutes corrected time.

The I. X. L. gave a good account of herself and was a close second to the Eleanor when she broke her jib stays. This was a bad handicap for her, but she stuck to it and finished the race.

The three boats in the small class carried one man on the lee rail when sailing to windward. The Swastika won the race with a lead of 2 minutes and 47 seconds corrected time.

The judges were A. L. Baker, C. G. Jones, W. F. Reynolds. The summary:

CLASS A.

Name and owner.	Actual Time. h. m. s.	Corrected Time. h. m. s.
Eleanor, G. F. Sawyer, Jr.	1 09 20	0 49 24
Sheila, L. F. Hewitson	1 21 33	0 58 19
Harolde, A. B. Robbins	1 20 15	0 58 40
Marguerite, F. J. Gross,	1 23 48	1 02 44
Pocohontas, Dr. F. C. Merrill	1 13 12	1 05 22
L. X. L., L. M. Baker	1 33 30	1 10 16
Mildred, W. H. Nichols	1 33 20	not m.

CLASS C.

Swastika, G. H. Murray	2 31 10	1 01 11
West Wind, Wm. M. Chase,	1 35 11	1 03 58
Edith S, J. M. Smith	1 35 58	1 45 09

—A Washington news despatch asserts that a "formidable combination" is forming in Congress to oppose the President because of his action on the meat question. Let them do it. They will find the people of the country are solidly with Roosevelt, despite the puny and partisan stand against him.

I. O. O. F. Memorial Service.

The memorial service of Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., and George L. Gill Rebekah lodge, was held Sunday afternoon at Christ church. The lodges with its united bodies which included delegates from Manet and Wompatuck Encampment, John Hancock, Neponset and Cresent lodges, and George L. Gill, Reliance and Steadfast Rebekah lodges occupied the body of the church.

The exercises opened with a processional and service of evening prayer arranged by the rector, Rev. William E. Gardner, for this service.

The necrologic address for Mt. Wollaston lodge was made by Past Grand Charles A. Hobart. He spoke feelingly of those near and dear to the lodge and of the many noble influences they had exerted in life.

Since the reinstitution of Mt. Wollaston lodge March 10, 1884, it had lost by death thirty-seven members which he enumerated. Since the last memorial services the lodge had lost four:- John N. Kelly, John Tutton, John Pierce and John J. Kemp.

John N. Kelly was born in Nova Scotia March 25, 1857. His early life was passed on a farm. Coming to Quincy he at first worked on a farm. He then mastered the granite cutters trade, which he afterwards followed until he died, the last few years of his life being as a manufacturer. He joined Mt. Wollaston lodge March 14, 1893, and died Sept. 30, 1904.

John Tutton was born in Cornwall, England, Oct. 3, 1836. After attending school he worked in the quarries until 25 years ago when he came to America locating in Medford where he resided except for a short time when he lived in Quincy. It was while in Quincy that he joined Mt. Wollaston lodge March 4, 1885, and died August 13, 1905.

John Pierce was born in Quincy Aug. 2, 1838, and always made this city his home. He was a granite cutter, which business he followed until five years previous to his death. He was admitted to Odd Fellowship at the reinstitution of Mt. Wollaston lodge March 10, 1884, and he died August 19, 1905.

John J. Kemp was born in Ireland, Nov. 12, 1823. He left home when a small boy and followed the sea for many years. Returning as a master mariner, he located in Quincy. He joined Mt. Wollaston lodge March 14, 1884, and died Jan. 12, 1906.

Mrs. Addie T. Dewhurst, who gave the necrologic address for George L. Gill Rebekah lodge said the lodge had lost two members since the last Memorial service,—Isaac C. Dean and Mary A. H. Crane.

Isaac C. Dean was born 1843 and came to Quincy in 1898. He joined George L. Gill Rebekah lodge May 22, 1899, and died Jan. 24, 1905.

Mary A. H. Crane was born in Quincy July 26, 1847, and always made Quincy her home. She joined George L. Gill Rebekah lodge Sept. 21, 1900, and died Sept. 14, 1905.

The address of the service was given by Rev. W. E. Gardner who took for his text the first verse of the third chapter of St. John,—"There was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicodemus a ruler of the Jews."

Briefly, the rector discribed the three scenes in Nicodemus life given in the bible. First, the visit to Jesus by night because he was ashamed to come by day. Nicodemus told Jesus that he believed he was of God and therefore he desired to know more of his wonderful message.

Second, the meeting of the Sanhedrin in which Nicodemus instead of rising and boldly declaring that he for one believed in Jesus as a teacher sent from God, sat silent until his consience compelled him to speak a half confession in the words: "Doth our law judge a man except it first hear him?" by which remark he called forth the cry of scorn from the other members: "Are thou also of Galilee?"

The third scene was at the tomb after the Crucifixion when Nicodemus came in deep remorse bringing one hundred weight of myrrh and aloes to anoint the body.

It is the story of a man who did not listen to the voice within himself. He had intelligence, he was educated and he had a conscience, but he lacked the power to stand up and assert what he really believed. God gives this power to a man in the study of Christ and his teachings; had Nicodemus yielded himself to Christ, he would have had this power.

To know Christ in a manner that will enable us to grasp this power we must begin and study him as a figure in history. The tendancy today is to come to Jesus by night. We are a little ashamed to be found on our piazza or in our parlors or on the beach reading the New Testament, and yet it is only in the New Testament that we find the history of Christ. When a man has sincerely studied the historical Christ he will have attained the power which will enable him to obey the voice within him.

This is a message from the life of Nicodemus. No greater remorse can come to a man than that which comes at the end of his life as looking back he realizes that his failures have come because he failed to listen to the voice within. If there is a hell it will not be that of fire and brimstone but a place peopled with men and women bowed down with remorse because they have failed to listen to God's voice within.

If we would prepare ourselves for the highest usefulness here—and now, if we would prepare ourselves to join those whose lives we commemorate today, there is only one way: by maintaining a close connection between our inner life where God reigns and our life in the world with men.

The exercises were interspersed with the singing of anthems and hymns.

Fifty-Sixth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Furnald of Washington street were at home informally Saturday afternoon and evening, in observance of the fifty-sixth anniversary of their marriage. They were married by Rev. W. W. Dean of the Universalist church.

Their children, grandchildren, friends and neighbors dropped in to extend congratulations, some fifty calling during the afternoon and evening.

Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, the only daughter, made every one welcome, and served delicious ice cream and cake. Bouquets of flowers, gifts, and cards of congratulations were received from many absent friends.

Mrs. Furnald, who has not been in good health for a year or more, was feeling particularly well and stood the excitement of receiving her callers wonderfully well. All hope to assist Mr. and Mrs. Furnald in observing their sixtieth anniversary four years hence.

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Children's Sunday.

The annual children's day exercises of the Sunday school of the First church were held Sunday, and were of an interesting nature, and largely attended. The address which was to have been made by Rev. Edward A. Morton was made by the pastor, Rev. Ellery C. Butler, as Mr. Horton was unable to be present on account of illness.

The interior of the church was prettily decorated under the direction of Miss Georgianna C. Lane. On the pulpit were three wreaths in memory of those who had passed away during the year.

The pew of the late Henry H. Faxon was vacant, and a bunch of daisies was tied at the entrance.

The exercises opened with a processional during which the Sunday school marched in from the chapel. The opening verse and song by the school followed.

Four children were baptised by the pastor viz: Majorie Hall, daughter of Mr. and Arthur W. Hall; Lewis Nichols Curtis, Harvey Adams Curtis and William Whitney Curtis children of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Curtis.

The floral service and song by the school was followed by the repeating of "Our faith" by the kindergarten.

Another feature was the necrologic address by Superintendent Charles H. Johnson in memory of Lillian Trask Schenkelberger, Roland Irwin Smith and Henry Hardwick Faxon. Mr. Johnson spoke feelingly of all, especially Henry Hardwick Faxon, who had been connected with the Sunday school for many years and who had done so much for it.

The reports of the officers were very encouraging. Brooks Keyes, the secretary, reported that the school now had 21 officers and teachers, and 200 pupils.

Sydney Carr, the treasurer, spoke of finances and Supt. Johnson for the school.

The penny collection for the year amounted to over $160. Of this sum $100 had been divided between the Floating Hospital, Day Nursery, Children's Mission and Peabody Home. The balance had been distributed among other charities. The letters accompaning the donations to the four charities mentioned above were read.

The Superintendent announced that the annual picnic would be held at Randolph grove on July 2.

Rev. E. C. Butler, the pastor, spoke interestingly.

Diplomas were presented to thirteen for promptness in attendance. Eight of these also received bibles for not being absent for two years, viz: Ralph Merritt, Elliot C. Johnson, William Edwards, Dorothy Edwards, Hazel Dewhurst, Herbert Dewhurst, Alice Arnold and Harold Mitchell. Of the above number Ralph Merritt has not missed a Sunday for seven consecutive years.

Bibles were also presented to Donald Crane, Alton Chase and Marcus Stoddard for bringing in the largest number of new pupils.

After the exercises the class work was shown in the chapel.

BETHANY CHURCH.

The Children's day service at Bethany Congregational church was held at 10.30 A. M., and there was a very large congregation. A pleasing feature was the processional. The exercises by the Sunday school included singing and recitations.

The following children were christened:—Maxine Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan S. Swingle; Theodore Emerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar H. Field; William Charles, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ross; Thomas Henry Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Parsons.

There was a brief address by the pastor, Rev. E. N. Hardy.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Children's day exercises were held Sunday afternoon by the Sunday school of the Universalist church. There was an appropriate musical program by the children of the Sunday school and an address to the children by the pastor, Rev. W. S. Perkins, D.D. Two children were baptised, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Harmenter, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stoddard.

Point Church.

Children's day at the Point church was observed both morning and evening on Sunday with appropriate exercises. In the morning the primary and kindergarten departments gave an interesting concert, the program including hymns and songs, recitations and exercises. The pastor was assisted in christening the children by Deacon Sherburne. The pastor also made a short address.

In the evening, the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of forty members, seated upon the platform, rendered the following program:—

Praise service, led by orchestra from Society.

Minutes, by Secretary Lulu Moody.

"Fling out our banner," by Vice President Clara Bushnell.

Roll call, by the secretary.

Song, "When the roll is called up yonder."

Scripture and prayer, President Roy Sidelinger.

Song, "An Evening Blessing," by the society.

Address, "Qualities in children, parents admire," Rev. A. R. Atwood.

Hymn, "Jesus is calling thee home," Congregation.

Benediction, Pastor.

Sabbath Breakers.

Officer Goodhue rudely interrupted a card game at the Hancock house early Sunday morning. The officer met three men coming from the front entrance about 2.30 o'clock Sunday morning. Upon being held up they at first denied having been in the hotel, but later acknowledged that they had. Then they said that they had been talking with the clerk.

Officer Goodhue took the men back into the hotel and went to a large room on the rear third floor. In this room were forty-five men. The officer tried to lock the door but the key was gone. Then there came a hustle to escape. Although up three stories, some of the men jumped out of the window, running the risk of breaking their necks by striking the wire clothes line strung about the back yard.

Others made their escape by the fire escape. Officer Goodhue, however, was able to get the names of twenty-five of the men in the party who will probably be summoned into court at an early date for gaming on the Lord's day. In the room was some of the paraphernalia used in playing the game.

Granite Shipments.

Returns from the two shipping terminals for the month of May show that the total shipments of granite for that month amounted to 15,759,921 pounds. This was an increase of over three million pounds over the month of April. South Quincy forwarded 7,319,300 pounds, and West Quincy 8,440,621 pounds. The larger part of the granite shipped was finished monuments. There were a few car loads of granite for building purposes, some of which was all polished.

Base Ball.

The South Quincys and Merrymounts played on Saturday, at Merrymount park in the local championship series, and the former won in a closely contested game 3 to 2.

Makaria defeated the Galahad Brotherhood 10—4 on the Ward Three playground on Saturday. Although Thompson was hit quite freely he was given fine support. Tupper did not allow a man to steal second.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Makaria,	2	0	0	5	0	1	1	1		—10
Galahad,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	—4

Two-base hits,—Tupper, Keene. Struck out—By Thompson, 10; by B. Miler, 8; by F. Miller, 1. Bases on balls—By Thompson, 5; by F. Miller 1. Passed balls—By McGregor, 3; by Bean, 3. Hit by pitched ball,—Williams. Umpire Litchfield. Time 1 hours 50 minutes.

A closely contested game was played on Saturday by the Bigelows and the Crescents. The Cresents set the pace but each inning the Bigerows squared accounts and won 8 to 7. Saunders kept the Crescents down to 5 safe hits and struck out 13 while Kilroy struck out only 3.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	7	9	
Bigelows,	1	1	3	2	0	0	0	1	x	—8
Crescents,	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	—7

Two-base hits,—Rogers, Oliver, Leban, Kilroy. Double plays,—Saunders to Larkin to Rogers. Struck out—By Saunders 13, by Kilroy 3. Bases on balls—By Saunders 3, Kilroy 3. Hit by pitched ball—Saunders 1, McDonald 1, Mahoney. Umpires—Devaney and Dole. Time—1 h., 50 m.

At West Quincy the Bankers' and Brokers' team from Boston was taken into camp by the Copelands to the tune of 12 to 5.

The score by innings:

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Copeland,	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	7	0	—12
B. & B.,	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	—5

The Fore River team defeated the fast East Boston club at Quincy Point on Saturday by the score of 4 to 3 in the most interesting game of the season. Several new faces were seen in the home team line up, and everybody expressed themselves as highly pleased with the work of the new men.

Van Amringe who played third made several hair raising stops, and hit the ball for keeps. Gumm by a marvelous catch at the extreme end of the field robbed him of a sure home run with the bases full.

Bjorkland came in for a world of praise by his steady work and fine stick work, his hit in the ninth winning the game for the Fore River.

Maloney at short played a great game and hit the ball like a La Joie.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Fore River	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	—4
E. Boston	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Two Base Hits—Moran, Birnie, Bjorkland. Sacrifice Hits,—Dunn, Gumm, Clark, Canty. Stolen Bases,—VanAmrings, 2; Maloney, 2; Birnie, Sheehan. First base on calls,—off Bjorkland, 2; off McAnarney, 1. Struck out,—By Bjorkland, 14; by McAnarney, 7. Double plays,—VanAmringe to Dunn to Birnie. Passed balls,—Drake. Hit by pitched ball,—Moran. Time 1 hour, 47 minutes. Umpire Regan. Attendance 500.

The Y. M. C. A. Junior base ball team is still undefeated, and the game Saturday, at Merrymount Park against the South Boston Y. M. C. A. Juniors showed that the Quincy boys understand base ball. The Juniors once before met the South Boston boys the first of the season, and did them up by a score of 24 to 5, but Saturday, the South Boston boys showed a big improvement, and had it not been for a wild throw by the South Boston pitcher in the first inning, which scored three runs for Quincy, the game would have been a close one. Six errors for South Boston, against 2 for Quincy helped. The score was 9 to 3, in favor of the Quincy Juniors.

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Quincys	4	0	1	0	0	2	1	1	0—9
South Bostons	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2—3

Runs—by Quincy, Bates 2, Prout 2, Erickson, Marsh, Artis. By South Boston, Todd, Foss, Barbour. Three-base hits—Capt. Bates of Quincy. First base on balls—off Erickson, 4; off Brooks, 4; off Bates, 4; off Kamerer, 8. Struck out—by Erickson, 4; by Brooks, 4; by Bates, 1; by Kamerer, 5. Wild throws—by Kamerer, Tinglof. Sacrifice hit—Erickson. Double play—Erickson to Artis. Errors—So. Boston, 8; Quincy, 2. Umpires—Porch, Curtis, Galvin. Time—2 hours, 20 minutes.

New Timetable.

The new railroad timetable which went into effect Saturday at midnight contains a number of important changes in the Quincy train service. Several new trains have been added including a late inward and outward Sunday train.

Of the inward week day trains, the trains now leaving at 10.13 A. M. and 6.13 A. M. will leave two minutes later or at 10.15 and 6.15.

On Sunday there is a new inward train at 10.37 A. M. The 3 P. M. train now leaves at 3.10, and the 6.16 P. M. train at 6.03. A new train will leave at 11 P. M.

On the outward service there are also several important changes. The train now leaving Boston for Quincy at 6.57 A. M., will leave at 6.52.

A new train will leave at 7.55 running express to Wollaston and arriving at Quincy at 8.11.

The 12.57 and 1.57 P. M. train will leave five minutes earlier or at 12.52 and 1.52. The 2.54 express will leave at 2.45, and the 8.24 P. M. train will leave at 8.13.

On Sundays the only changes are three new trains leaving Boston at 1.45, 2.45, and 10.43 P. M.

Mason Honored.

George Washington Webb Saville, a former Quincy boy, and uncle of the late John S. Gay, was the centre piece at an unusual Masonic gathering at Mt. Herman lodge at Medford, last Thursday evening.

The gathering was in honor of the passing of Mr. Saville's fiftieth year as a mason.

Mr. Saville was born in Quincy in February 1833 and resided here until 1854 when he removed to Medford.

He was born on Hancock street in what is known as the Savil house, the house now occupied by Dr. C. W. Garey. It is interesting to note at this time that it was in this same house that Rural lodge, A. F. and A. M. held its early meetings.

Mr. Saville held many offices in his lodge, and for many years has been its marshal. He has served Medford in its fire and police departments, and was chief of the latter department for five years. He was then appointed a deputy sheriff of Middlesex county, and now resides in Malden.

Fire at Houghs Neck.

The alarm from Box 14 at 5.20 Sunday gave Capt. Ross and his company attached to Combination 3 an opportunity to show what work they could do. The fire was in a small building attached to the Birkshire cottage on Bay View Aveuue, owned by Mrs. Turner and occupied by Mr. King.

The fire started in a lounge, probably by some careless smoker. The combination company was early on hand and a well directed stream from its chemical did the business. The loss will be but a few dollars. The recall was promptly sounded.

Household Receipts.

Maple Parfait. Beat the yolks of eight eggs until light, and add slowly one cup of hot maple syrup. Cook over the fire in a double boiler, until a coating is formed upon the spoon. Cool and add one pint of thick cream beaten stiff. Turn the mixture into a mould, filling it to overflowing. Press the cover down over a piece of wrapping-paper a little larger than the cover. Pack in ice and salt, using two measures of ice and two of salt. Serve after standing four hours.

Cream Puffs. One half cup of butter melted in one cup of hot water: put in a small tin pan on the stove to boil: while boiling stir in one cup of flour; take off and let cool; when cold stir in three eggs, one after the other, without beating. Drop on buttered tins and bake in a hot oven twenty to thirty minutes.

Filling: One cup of milk, one egg, one-half cup of sugar; thicken with cornstarch, and flavor with vanilla.

Spinach Souffie. Take a cupful of spinach which has been left over from a meal and mix it with the beaten yolk of an egg. Stir it over the fire until the egg is set, then cool it. When ready to serve, stir into it lightly the well-beaten whites of three eggs. Fill individual china cups half full and place them in a hot oven for ten or fifteen minutes. Serve at once as it will fall if kept back for any length of time.

Canned-Corn Patties. Take one can of best sweet corn and chop fine in a chopping-tray. Add two beaten eggs, to which has been added two tablespoonfuls of milk, a tablespoonful of salt, a half tablespoonful of pepper and two even tablespoonfuls of flour. Beat well and fry on a griddle in a tablespoonful of mixed lard and butter, dropping one spoonful for each patty. Fry brown on both sides and serve hot.

Anecdotes.

Jimmie—Have we got a standing army pa?

Pa—Yes, my son.

Jimmie—And have we got a seat of war, too?

Pa—Not just at present, Jimmie.

Jimmie—Oh! Then that's why the army has to stand, I suppose, ain't it, pa?

A mother was trying to impress on her four-year-old son the importance of going to bed early.

"You know," she began, "the little chickens always go to bed with the sun."

"Yes, mama, but the big hen always goes along, too."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Husband—"Confound it! I don't know what's the matter with this razor. It's awful dull."

Wife—"Dull! Why, when I opened that can of sardines with it this morning it was so sharp that I nearly cut my finger off."—New York American.

Husband: "What did you think when you heard the chandelier fall in the night?"

Wife: "Why, I thought that you had been detained on business again and were getting up stairs as quietly as you could."

Young Rural (on his wedding tour)—Mr. Hotel Man, what sort of accommodations have you got here?

Hotel Clerk—Do you want a suite?

Young Rural—A sweet? Say! I'm gettin' that habit nothin' sweeter than the one I've fetched along with me.

SUMMER AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

Success of no mean order has crowned the efforts of Harry Bulger in Henry W. Savage's production of the new musical fantasy, "The Man From Now," at the Tremont, which is enjoying an unusual vogue for this time of the year. But the heat is not worrying the playgoers, for the Tremont is one of the coolest theatres in America, as it is assuredly the coolest theatre in Boston. The play is just the proper vehicle for the exploitation of Mr. Bulger's peculiar capabilities; his supporting cast is one of unusual excellence, and the chorus is without a doubt the best ever sent to Boston with any musical attraction. The story of "The Man From Now" is brief and simple, though at the same time it is absolutely original and extremely unique. It concerns the adventures of a college professor who seeks to peer into the future. He invents a machine which propels himself and three associates into the year 2906, and the adventures the trio go through are enough to take all the wrinkles from the brow of tired man. Mr. Bulger is happily fitted, and he will unquestionably remain at the Tremont throughout the entire summer. Matinees are given Wednesday and Saturday.

Wonderland's Big Shows.

No one who has been fired by Remington's drawing, "The Fight for the Water Hole," should miss seeing "Wild Bill" Kennedy's Wild West show and Indian congress at Wonderland, Revere beach. When he sees it he will want to mount a pony and go careering across the plains, care free and soul untrammeled. This show is the real thing without doubt. It occupies about five acres near the

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SURPLUS over Re-Insurance, $475,000.00
LOSSES paid the past year, $50,000.00
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year, $65,000.00
AND EVERY LOSS PAID IN FULL.
AMOUNT AT RISK, $33,200,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES, $250,000.00
Dividends Paid on Every Expiring Policy; 60 per cent. on 5 years, 40 per cent. on 3 years and 20 per cent. on all others.
Quincy, Mass., May 10, 1906.

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DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1906.

Amount at Risk,	$24,899,128.39
Cash Assets,	668,915.43
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	188,758.01
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$480,329.42
Contingent Assets,	356,144.37
Total Available Assets,	1,025,039.80
Gain in Surplus,	4,785.27

Dividends are now being paid on five-year policies, 70 per cent.; on three-year policies, 50 per cent.; on one and two-year policies, 25 per cent.
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DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1906:

Amount at Risk,	$7,474,575.01
Cash Assets,	171,112.20
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	61,242.47
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$109,869.73
Contingent Assets,	114,617.7
Total Available Assets,	285,629.77
Gain in Surplus,	3,215.44

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Boston, Mass.
INCORPORATED 1855.
FIFTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT
JANUARY 1, 1905.

Amount at Risk	$5,869,900.00
Cash Assets	597,409.06
Deposit Notes	67,581.17
Available Assets	1,134,960.24
Total Liabilities	338,843.29
Cash Surplus	168,86 5.78
Gain in Surplus in 1904	7,468.47
Gain in Assets in 1904	37,012.36
Losses paid in 1904	163,055.43
Dividends paid in 1904	67,254.25
Receipts in 1904	244,429.85
Disbursements in 1904	225,975.38

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Cash Capital,	$4,000,000.00
Reserve for Re-insurance (Fire)	4,506,536.04
Reserve for Unpaid Losses (Fire)	564,542 63
Reserve for Other Claims,	295,725.22
Net Surplus,	6,446 851.09
Total Assets,	15,814,054.98

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Poetry.

The Common Things.

The sunshine and the gentle rain,
The clear bird song that hails the morn,
The meadow land which flower stain,
The swaying banners of the corn,
The grass that whispers to the breeze—
What common, common things are these!

The broad, blue mirror of the lake
That smiles back at the sleeping sky:
The billows, too, that leap and break
And fling their foamy jewels high;
The silver clouds that one by one
Toss back the lances of the sun.

The stars that blaze as jewels blaze,
And make the world old mystery,
While they on their appointed ways,
Go speeding through eternity
Across unfathomed seas of space
On paths that we but dimly trace—

All these are common—brook and bird,
And rose of red and meadow green;
So common that they seem unheard,
So common that they seem unseen,
And yet there is no day or night
But borrows all of their delight.

No common thing is held apart
From us, or pent with lock and key,
But in the goodness of his heart
They are all made for you and me.
It always seems God loves the best
Things He makes the commonest.
—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Miscellany.

HIS WIFE'S STRATEGY

By DONALD ALLEN

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"Martha, are you there?" called Farmer Milton from the back door step.

"What is it, pa?" asked his wife as she appeared with a dish in her hand.

"There's Jim Thomas coming down the road."

"Well, what of it?"

"He looks all dressed up."

"He's probably going to a dance somewhere."

"He's probably coming right here to see our Minnie."

"Then he'll have greased his boots for nothing. Minnie ain't wasting her time on no such fellows as Jim Thomas."

The farmer had more to say, but before he could say it Jim Thomas had arrived. He was a young man of twenty-five who had no particular occupation, but traded horses, helped to put up windmills and now and then acted as a piano agent.

He sat down beside the farmer, reached for his jackknife and a stick and proceeded to whittle and talk. Mrs. Milton came to the door to shake the tablecloth and gave him a nod, but during the two hours he remained he saw nothing of Minnie. He seemed much disappointed.

When he had departed the farmer entered the sitting room and said to the wife:

"Look a-here, Martha, what's the use in hurting a fellow's feelings?"

"What fellow?"

"Jim Thomas, of course. You didn't say three words to him, and Minnie didn't appear at all. It was a reg'lar snub, and I felt sorry for him."

"Then your sympathies are wasted. I want to tell you that Jim Thomas is a sneak, and if Minnie ever speaks to him again I'll box her ears, though she is going on nineteen years old."

The farmer sat down and pulled off his boots.

"Martha," he began, "I've known for two weeks that there was something up and that Minnie and you were keeping it from me. Now, then, I want to know all about it. Jim Thomas was down in the lot where I was at work today, and he had just begun to tell me that Minnie and Burt Anderson were mad at each other when Elder Davis came along and hung around so long that Jim had to go before finishing his story. You might as well tell me the whole story."

"I told you Jim was a sneak," answered the wife. "If he hadn't been there wouldn't have been any fuss between Minnie and Burt, and if he hadn't been he wouldn't have shown his face here tonight."

"This seems to be a 'tarnal nice howdydo—two folks engaged to be married and fighting like cats and dogs. What's the row about?"

"Nothing but Burt's jealousy. Minnie wrote her name in an autograph album, and Burt found it out through Jim Thomas and gave her a blowing up about it. She sassed back, and he got mad, and that's the reason he hasn't been here for the last two weeks."

"What in thunder is an aw-to-graff album?" asked the husband after thinking for a minute or two.

"It's a book that folks write their names in, and you needn't swear about it. It belonged to a summer boarder down at Scott's."

"And all she did was to write her name in it?"

"That's all, though Jim made Burt believe the fellow was struck on Minnie and said she had eyes like a sloe."

"What sort of a critter is a sloe?"

"I don't know, and I don't care, and I want to tell you that you are not to mix into this business."

"But ain't I her father, and ain't it my business to go to Burt Anderson and tell him that Minnie is a hundred times too good for him."

"No sir, it ain't! Abijah Milton, you are a thick headed man, and you are so nearsighted that you run against fences. If you had your way you'd spoil your only daughter's happiness forever. You are not going to have your way. You are going to fold your arms and keep still and let me work this thing out myself.

"By thunder, Martha, but"—

"Swearing some more! No wonder you have become afraid of lightning! Swearing won't help you, however. You have got to do as I say. If Jim Thomas comes around again you can talk about windmills all you want to, but don't talk about Minnie. If you see Burt Anderson use him just as you always have. The rest can be left to me."

"And what'll you do?" asked the husband and father.

"You wait and see. If you don't see Burt Anderson around here in less than two weeks then my name wasn't Martha Tompkins before I married you, and I didn't take a prize spelling the whole school down."

"I don't see how"— But she interrupted by saying it was time to wind the clock and go to bed, and during the next ten days she resolutely refused to answer a word whenever he approached the subject. Then one evening she queried of him:

"Pa, what's Burt Anderson working at now?"

"Hoeing corn in the field alongside the road," was the answer.

"Do you think he'll be there tomorrow?"

"Likely to be. Why?"

"Never mind why. Did our old horse Charlie ever run away?"

"Lord, no!"

"Could he run away if he wanted to?"

"He might get up a sort of hen canter."

"Suppose," continued the wife, "that the lines were to get under his heels and some one was to hit him five or six cuts with the whip, would he break into a canter?"

"I guess he would. Yes, he'd be so astonished that he would probably dust along for a few rods."

"And would he keep to the road?"

"I guess he would. What are you asking all these questions for?"

"Perhaps I'll tell you this evening. Don't bother me now, as I've got three pans of milk to skim."

Farmer Milton had no sooner left the house for the fields next morning than his wife began fixing up a crock of butter for the village grocer, while Minnie harnessed the old horse to the democrat wagon and got ready to drive to town.

"Now, then, remember what I've told you. When you come along to the cornfield keep your eyes straight in front of you and don't look around even if Burt calls to you. Just make out that you don't hear. On your way back when you get to the schoolhouse"—

"I understand," nodded the daughter.

"Don't forget the screaming part."

"No, but do you suppose"—

"There is no supposing about it. I am your mother, and I am no spring chicken. Now go on with you."

Burt Anderson was working in the cornfield that morning within two rods of the highway when he caught the pounding of hoofs and the rattle of wheels and looked up to see Minnie Milton driving by. He dropped his hoe and opened his mouth to call, but she struck the horse with the whip as if to hurry on. He couldn't say that she saw him, but he thought she did, and the thought hardened his heart. He had forgiven her "sass" days and days ago and was ready to "make up," but this action on her part showed that she was punishing him. From then until 3 o'clock in the afternoon the young man managed to hoe about twelve hills of corn. The rest of the time was spent in sulking or sitting on the fence and looking down the village road. His waiting and sulking was rewarded at last. A mile away arose a cloud of dust kicked up by old Charlie's feet, and as it drew nearer and nearer the young man prepared to drop off the fence and hide. Minnie should not have the pleasure of flouting him again. He was on the ground when he heard a woman's screams for help. He heard the hoof beats of a horse on the gallop. He heard the clatter of a rickety old one horse wagon.

It was a runaway. Burt Anderson saw that it was the instant he got his head above the fence. It was Minnie returning home. The lines had fallen under the horse's feet, and she was standing up and swaying from side to side and screaming. There was a hero and a rescue. There were explanations. There was no apology to old Charlie, though he certainly deserved one.

"No, I'm no spring chicken!" observed farmer Milton's wife to herself as she stood at her gate and saw that Burt Anderson was driving Minnie home and that Minnie's red cheeks had come back to her.

"Say, now, but how did you manage it?" whispered the husband to the wife that evening as the two lovers had the piazza to themselves.

"Manage what?" was the reply in a puzzled voice. "Abijah Milton, you are the most thick headed man I ever saw. How did I manage it! Just as if I'd been managing something—conspiring and plotting and all that sort of thing! There are certainly times when you make a body tired!"

A Surprise For Horace Greeley.

In the early days of the suffragist movement Miss Susan B. Anthony had no more bitter opponent than Horace Greeley, says a writer in the Boston Transcript. It was for a long time his custom to wind up all debates with the conclusive remark, "The best women I know do not want to vote."

When the New York constitution was being altered in 1867 Miss Anthony laid a train for him. She wrote to Mrs. Greeley and persuaded the editor's wife not only to sign a petition for woman's suffrage herself, but to circulate the paper and get 300 signatures among her acquaintances. In the committee Mr. Greeley, who was chairman, had listened to the debate and prepared to introduce to the convention an adverse report. He was just about to utter his usual "settler" when George William Curtis rose.

"Mr. Chairman," said he, "I hold in my hand a petition for suffrage signed by 300 women of Westchester, headed by Mrs. Horace Greeley."

The chairman's embarrassment could hardly be controlled. He had found at least one of "the best women I know" wanted to vote, but he revenged himself later upon the leaders by scathing editorials.

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New York Fashions.

Peacock plumage in colors that no peacock would recognize nod from half the headgear one sees on the streets here, and one woman in every five is wearing a sun-pleated skirt usually of black and white check or plaid. Silks are especially popular in this form but no material escapes the pleating machines, which turn out skirts warranted to stay put in this form whether the material is mohair or voil.

BODICES AND COATS

The uppers of such toilets may be simply waists cut out in the neck, with half long sleeves, to display pretty gamps and gauntlet cuffs of lace or lingerie. The latter come in sets at all the good shops from $1.25 up to $50 if the material is real lace. In Paris coats of ecru with darker skirts of various sorts are the reigning mode, which will be due here before long no doubt, but it is not seen yet, to any extent.



WEDDING GOWNS.

Wedding gowns have been much more in evidence than is usual during May, and the greatest variety of materials and makes are selected by fashionable brides. Heavy "stand alone" satins was the material at a recent smart wedding, while at another the Princess slip was of the softest most pliable satin, and the gown itself was a loose Princess affair of lace. A beauty and a belle of distinguished family wore not long since a gown that suggested classic Greece in its lines and draperies. The material being silk crepe with a glossy satin finish.

BRIDESMAIDS' ATTIRE.

Bridesmaids wear frocks of any material from tulle to satin, made more often than not with full gathers at the waist, or even princess with a wide girdle formed of shirring to define the waist. Gowns of mull in simple tucked styles are modish as those of more expensive material, and hats are often chosen to accord. Lingerie hats are especially pretty with simple lingerie frocks. At a recent wedding the mull frocks topped underslips of pink silk, and the lingerie hats of mull ruffles edged with Valenciennes had long sashes of soft pink satin that circled the crown and were tied in a bow with long ends at the back of the hat.

ILLUSTRATION.

Thanks are due to the McCall Co., makers and designers of Fashion for handsome illustration accompanying this article,

GRADUATION GOWNS.

Graduation gowns should be simple and girlish, which does not mean dowdy and clumsy and lacking in style. The girl's figure should be considered. If she is thin and tall the gown should have cross tucks and frills, and fichu trimmings on the waist to soften and broaden the effect. If she is inclined to be stout and dumpy, a simple tucker type of waist, and skirt in pleats or panels will look best, and long sash ends will be pretty and give height.

WARM WEATHER WRINKLES.

It requires careful thought and intelligent planning to be neat and well dressed and at the same time comfortable in warm weather. Transparent collars and silk gloves are aids, and a thoroughly reliable dress shield like the well known "Omo" insures one from spoiling a gown, and looking repulsive as one does when the cheap shield bought at some sale proves a delusion so far as protection goes.

PUMPS AND TIES.

Pump styles are first favorites in low shoes, and these come in all colors, greens, blues and pinks as well as greys, tans, whites and blacks. A novelty is the shoe laced at the side and tied with a single cravat bow. Lucy Carter.

Bobby's Bargain.

Henry and Bobby, ages eight and ten respectively, were little boys who thought and had tendencies. In consequence of which, at times, they were a source of great embarrassment to their mother. Bobby, in particular, had the moneymaking propensity. He saved his pennies religiously, and his eye was keen for a bargain.

One evening at dinner their father had as a guest a gentleman who was a great horseman. The boys listened attentively to the conversation for awhile, then Bobby opened fire with,—"Say, Mr. Smith, can you buy a horse for a hundred dollars?"

"Yes, Bobby," said Mr. Smith, "you can."

"Can you get one for fifty dollars?"

"Yes."

"For twenty-five dollars?"

"Yes."

"For ten dollars?"

"Yes."

"For seven dollars?"

"Perhaps."

"Seven dollars, really?" said Bobby wonderingly. "Would the horse be awfully fast?"

"Well," said Mr. Smith, smiling, "you would not be likely to get a Lou Dillon or a Dan Patch, but the creature might be able ta pull a plough."

Bobby thought for a moment; then, "But, Mr. Smith, could a horse you paid seven dollars for have a colt?"

"Possibly," said Mr. Smith gravely.

"I have seven dollars in the bank," continued Bobby; "I guess I'll get a horse. For if a seven-dollar horse could have a colt, and that colt have a colt, and that colt have a colt, and that colt have a—"

Bobby's mother and father and Mr. Smith became seriously interested in the salad; the youthful Henry began to fidget; the embryo stock farm continued to grow—"and that colt have a colt, and that colt have a colt, and that colt—"

Henry could stand it no longer. Turning to Bobby, he remarked in a tone of impatience, "Say, as soon as you think you have the worth of your money would you mind passing the bread?"
—Lippincott's.

Uncovering a Mystery.

A young couple who were married not long ago have taken up their abode in an apartment house. The suite is small and their wants are not exacting, and so the young woman does her own work. Naturally she does her own marketing as well, and being of an economical turn of mind tries to buy so that they will have all they need without any waste. More especially is this admirable trait shown when she buys her meats, her steaks being diminutive, but most delicious.

The other night she had a personally selected porterhouse steak for dinner, and it occurred to her to get out one of the wedding presents for the occasion, a huge carving set that had hitherto reposed in its velvet lined case. She laid the broad and shining blade of the knife across the platter and then called her husband.

"Come, Henry," she cried, "and test your uncle John's gift on a juicy steak."

Henry came and stared at the platter.

"Why, where's the steak?" he asked.

"The steak?" echoed the young wife. "Why, it's right there—why, where is it?"

"Are you sure it was there?" cried the bewildered husband.

"Of course I'm sure. It was there a moment ago, and—"

And just then the husband raised the huge carving knife that had been stretched across the platter. And there was the porterhouse steak hiding beneath the broad blade!

Lincoln and the Sentinel.

In an article in the Century entitled "Our Fellow-Citizen of the White House." Mr. C. C. Buel tells the following story of President Lincoln: "There have been no soldiers as guardians under the shadow of the great Ionic columns since the war; and even then, on one fierce winter night, the boy in blue who was on guard was not allowed to maintain professional decorum. Mr. Lincoln emerged from the front door, his lank figure bent over as he drew tightly about his shoulders the shawl which he employed for such protection; for he was on his way to the War Department, at the west corner of the grounds, where in times of battle he was wont to get the midnight despatches from the field. As the blast struck him he thought of the numbness of the pacing sentry, and turning to him, said: 'Young man, you've got a cold job tonight; step inside, and stand guard there.'

"'My orders keep me out here,' the soldier replied.

"'Yes,' said the President, in his argumentative tone; 'but your duty can be performed just as well inside as out here, and you'll oblige me by going in.'

"'I have been stationed outside,' the soldier answered and resumed his beat.

"'Hold on there!' said Mr. Lincoln, as he turned back again; 'it occurs to me that I am commander-in-chief of the army, and I order you to go inside.'"

Sketch Book of Quincy.

The illustrated sketch of Quincy which the Rev. D. M. Wilson has been preparing the past few months, is now offered to the public. Its title is, "Quincy, Old Braintree and Merry-Mount, an Illustrated Sketch." The best things about Quincy and old Braintree are clearly described and beautifully illustrated. Not only are there portraits of the persons who have made Quincy famous, but there is a lavish picturing of the scenes and homes of our city. The fine photographs of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company's plants and products were taken especially for this publication. By good fortune Mr. Wilson was also able to secure a photograph of "Red Cloud," the last clipper-ship built in Quincy. Altogether there are nearly seventy illustrations, making this "sketch" easily the best souvenir issued for any town or city in the state. It is sold at L. A. Chapin's, and is very inexpensive, the price varying according to cover.

The Fearless Coward.

General Henry Kyd Douglas, soldier, jurist, statesman and social lion, added to his long and interesting career of versatility last summer by winning great applause and golden comments at a fashionable cakewalk given at one of the Northern resorts. There is very little that General Douglas cannot do. He was the Chief of Staff under Stonewall Jackson and learned the art of war from that great general. He was called one of the most fearless and dashing riders in the whole Southern Army.

Among the stories he tells of his army experience is that of the breavest man he ever knew. He saw a young fellow start to run, then halt, and go forward marching into what seemed to be the very jaws of death. He expected as a matter of course that he would be killed and gave no more thought to him until after the battle. Riding over the field he recognized the rash youth. He asked him what had impelled him to do such a brave thing. The reply, after some hesitation, was as follows:

"Well, Colonel, it was just this way. I am the worst coward on earth, and I started to run, and I intended to keep on running till I got home, but all of a sudden the face of a little girl rose before me, and when I saw her eyes I knew I just had to fight, and then I waded in and did my best."—Saturday Evening Post.

Sales on Credit.

There is a shoe factory in Lynn where to every man employed is put the question: "Has any 'clothing on credit, or money down' furnishing house got you in their clutches?" says the Lynn Review. If the man owes money to such a house or believes in dealing in this way he is promptly allowed to search elsewhere for work.

The reason is this: The men get behind in their payments and the collectors come to the shop, call the help from their work, delay the office workers (often the officials too), and generally the thing results in an attachment on the man's pay. "This mortgaging a man's life for a suit of clothes," said the principal one day, "and then making me stand the racket of collecting the debts week by week is too much of a good thing for me. I have sufficient backbone to do my own business and I don't intend to have others putting theirs onto me, either.

There are twenty or thirty Lynn and Boston credit houses working actively in Lynn, and they are a fearful menace to many people who buy beyond their capacity, with the result that "the butcher, baker and candle-stick maker, and the landlord, suffer for their just dues."

The credit house as at present conducted is not only a nuisance but its existence results in people of small means abandoning the pay-as-you-go principle and induces them to buy far more than they can afford.—Banker and Tradesman.

A Strenuous Life.

There were two old fishermen in one of Cape Cod's pretty villages, a few years ago, who were accustomed to "go snakes,"—that is, own a boat together, fish together, and if fortunate in their "catch," share the little profits.

Their capital being extremely meagre, the copartnership might well have been termed "Limited," and in consequence of this impecuniosity they were possessed of a most wretched specimen of a craft, whose condition was such that it was commonly understood that they fished one day and calked the boat the next.

Judge R—, a popular member of the legal fraternity, then resident in the village, happened down at the shore one day while the process of calking was in full blast, and made some comment upon the apparent unseaworthiness of the craft, whereupon one of the partners said: "Yes, we calk and calk till we are tired, and then go up yonder and lie on the grass under that tree, and then think, and think, and think; and what do you s'pose, judge, we are thinking about?"

The judge confessed his inability to cope with that conundrum, and the fisherman continued: "Well, judge, we try to think where the darned thing leaked last."

Guilty But Hurt.

"I was governor of my State for two terms," said a well known politician, "and I made up my mind as soon as I was sworn in the first time to right any wrong I might find in the two State prisons. I had somehow got the idea that many innocent men were sent there."

"And did you find it so," was asked.

"I did. There were over a thousand convicts in all, and I investigated 350 cases before I stopped. According to his own story, every one was an innocent man and the victim of injustice. There was one exception. He had been sent to prison for stealing a cow, and he lied to me for a long time. At length, one day, after I had gone over the case with him for the fifth time and showed him that he must be guilty, he said:

"It's no use to try to deceive you, governor. I'll admit that I did the stealing, but what hurts my feelings is the mistake they made. It wasn't a cow at all, but a blamed old jackass, and the jury convicted me because it was sworn that he gave 12 quarts of milk a day."

The Hygienic Value of Sunday.

Sunday is not only a religious but a hygienic institution. It is beneficent in its uses, morally and physically. How workers should best spend the Sunday is still a moot question, but that it should be a time of soul refreshment and recreation, a moment, as Miss Corelli expresses it, "for standing and taking breath on the threshold of another week," a season for thought, for intellectual enjoyment, for the solace of nature and the admiration of its wonders and beauty, no sensible person will be likely to deny. Whether motoring or card playing is the best way to attain these ends must be left to each individual's judgment.—London Graphic.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1906.

Grammar Graduation.

The attendance at the graduating exercises of the grammar schools of the city, held yesterday afternoon at the High school hall, was limited only by the size of the hall.

The music was excellent, and the address of great interest. The program was as follows:

March of graduates.
Pianists { Ernest Leslie Mehaffey, Q. H. S. '08. / John Denni Gourlie, Q. H. S., '08.
Drummer,—Osborne P. Stearns, Q. H. S. '07.
Chorus,—"List! The Trumpet's Thrilling Sound." G. Meyerbeer
Introductory Remarks,—
Frank Edison Parlin, Superintendent of Schools.
Chorus,—"To God in Heaven"
From Oratorio "Moses in Egypt," G. Rossini
Address,—Mr. Meyer Bloomfield,
Director of Civic Service House, Boston.
Chorus,—
a. "John Gilpin's Ride," G. A. Macfarren
b. "Spinning Chorus,"
From "The Flying Dutchman," R. Wagner
Presentation of Diplomas,—
Chairman of Sub-Committees.
Chorus,—
a. "A Lament for the Summer," Old English Melody
b. "The Miller of the Dee," 17th Century English Air
Concluding Remarks,—
Dr. Henry C. Hallowell, Chairman of the School Board.
Chorus,—
a. "The Flower of Liberty." W. H. Neidlinger
b. Salute to the Flag.
c. America.

The number of graduates by buildings is compared below with other years:

	1906.	1905.	1904.	1896.
Adams,	58	56	40	42
Coddington,	40	32	32	35
Cranch,	36	29	37	—
Gridley Bryant,	31	33	29	—
John Hancock,	22	28	42	24
Lincoln,	27	43	36	25
Mass. Fields,	33	43	37	—
Quincy,	42	45	35	32
Washington,	24	28	34	12
Willard,	64	72	45	42
Wollaston,	39	41	31	54
	386	430	398	256

Y. M. C. A. Addition.

The contract was signed yesterday morning for the Boys' Department addition to the Y. M. C. A. building, J. Winthrop Pratt, will do the carpenter work. The total job, furnishings included, will cost in the vicinity of $1500.

The budget for the year as adopted at the last Directors' meeting will be about $10,500, divided as follows: Salaries, $3,641; light, fuel, water, general advertising and office sundries, $1,700; Interest, furniture, repairs dormitories $2,200. Departmental work and miscellaneous, including building addition, $2,990.

The finance committee enter upon the year and the raising of such a budget with considerable trepidation, but have figured that if the friends of the work are as generous in their contributions as they were last year the necessary amount can be raised. Something like $1,000 in new money will be needed, however, which it is hoped may be given from friends who were not able to give last year.

The main items of increase in expenditure over last year are: first, an additional man to the official force; some necessary additions in way of furniture for dormitory, and usual repairs, and the building of addition which makes the difference of some $3,000.

It is expected the volume of work and the increased efficiency will more than satisfy the expenditure.

R. D. Chase, president of the Young Men's Christian Association, has appointed the following committees for the year just entered upon.

Executive,—R. D. Chase G. H. Brown and F. W. Crane.

Educational Department,—George H. Brown, chairman; R. H. Allen, R. C. Drinker, Forbes Craig, Alex. Falconer, J. L. Miller, H. M. Willard.

Boys' Department,—W. H. Bentley, chairman; D. King and Claude Patch.

Finance Committee,—A. D. Albee, chairman; H. B. Bailey, Alex Falconer, D. King, N. G. Nickerson and J. A. Sedgwick.

House Committee,—F. W. Crane, chairman; W. F. Cummings and Geo. E. Thomas.

Physical Department,—Dr. E. R. Johnson, chairman; Dr. W. L. Sargent, E. S. Bell, J. G. Miller, George Tupper, L. J. Lincoln, W. Stoddard Hardwick, W. H. Mitchell and Richard Jones.

Social Department,— E. D. Gourd chairman, E. V. Fitts, V. E. Miller.

Religious Work,— L. F. Crowell, A. L. Hayden, C. T. Sherman, J. A. Sedgwick, J. L. Rand and Alex Clark.

Closing Service.

At the Universalist church on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 will be held the closing service of the season. It is expected that a large congregation will be present, as a special and attractive programme has been arranged for the occasion.

The address will be given by the regular pastor Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., who has won many friends and admirers by his able and scholarly discourses the past winter. Miss Celina Bellaveau will sing Dudley Buck's beautiful "Fear not Ye, O Israel." Mrs. Blanche Richardson will sing "God's Promise," the words of which were written by Mrs. Kate Douglas Wiggins, and Mrs. Richardson and Miss Bellivean will sing a duet. The regular choir will be in attendance.

Holbrook Assault Case.

The case of Charles Theobald, janitor of the Sumner High school at Holbrook, who made a murderous assault with a billhook on Zenas A. French of the school board, will come up for hearing in the Quincy court this morning.

There is no marked change in the condition of Mr. French and his recovery is still a matter of doubt. As he will be unable to appear in court the case will probably be further continued.

Theobald who is still confined in jail has procured counsel to fight the case for him.

Miss Linda French, daughter of Mr. French, who has been a teacher in a private school at San Antonio, Texas, has arrived home in response to a telegram sent her at Milwaukee.

The office of town clerk to which Mr. French had been appointed to fill pro tem has been given to Tax Collector J. T. Southworth.

Tufts College Endowed.

Albert Crane, who has very generously remembered our city in connection with the Thomas Crane memorial hall and Public Library, made Tufts College happy this week.

Announcement was made Wednesday, says the Journal, by President Frederick W. Hamilton of Tufts College of a gift of $100,000, an endowment to the Divinity School, by Albert Crane of the class of 1863, a prominent lawyer of New York city residing in Stamford, Ct.

CITY BRIEFS.

A club race of the Quincy Yacht club is scheduled for today.

Julius Johnson left Tuesday night for a two weeks rest, at New Sweden, Maine.

Rev. A. A. Ellsworth preaches at Union church, Weymouth, tomorrow, at 10.30. A. M.

It becomes more and more evident every day that the widening of Cottage avenue will be a marked improvement.

City Messenger Tirrell will attend the annual outing of the City Messengers' club today at Nahant.

George E. Adams has been officiating as clerk of the district court this week, because of the death of the father of Clerk Churchill.

The game of the Bigelows and the Lowell A. C. on Saturday ended in a dispute at the end of the third inning.

On Thursday afternoon the Brownie whist club met at the home of Mrs. M. E. Powers on Bigelow street.

Because of the failure to rent Glen Echo park, the picnic of the Pine Tree club announced for today has been indefinitely postponed.

Charles French Doble, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doble of South street, was one of the graduates of Philips Exeter Academy on Wednesday.

The branches of the trees in the church yard which obstruct the view of the Town clock from City Square should be trimmed.

The members of the City Council received at their meeting this week copies of the annual report of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage board.

The post office was open all day Monday until 7 o'clock in the evening. The carriers, however, made but one collection and one delivery.

Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, worked the third degrees Wednesday night on 54 candidates. The meeting was held in Braintree Town hall and was followed by a banquet.

The new automobile law goes into effect today. Chief of Police Burrell will post signs in different parts of the city giving the speed automobilists may travel in that section.

Commissioner Burke offers a reward of $10 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons removing burlap from the trees in the public highways.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Langley, who have been renewing old acquaintances in this city the past week, returned to their home at Pawtucket, R. I., Tuesday.

Mrs. Peter Gomez of Edward street has the sympathy of her many friends and acquaintances in the loss of her brother, whose death occurred at Weymouth last week.

William A. Gregory was arrested on Butler road at 4 o'clock Sunday morning for disturbing the peace. He was examined by physicians Monday and later taken to Westboro.

Joel F. and Carl Sheppard returned home Saturday from Cornell college. They were accompanied by one of their college chums, Rogers, the captain of the Cornell track team.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hewson and daughter Marion, H. P. Holmes and Miss Addie Holton, returned on Sunday from two weeks' vacation at Shelburn, N. S. Look out for the fish stories.

Fred McLane of this city was one of the ushers at the wedding in Middleboro, on Monday, of Frederick M. Salles, Jr., of Boston, and Miss Blanche Littlehole of Middleboro.

The Citizens Gas Co. has replaced the street gas lights on Adams street with what is known as the park light. They give a fine light and are a great improvement over the old lights.

The grammar schools of the city have already raised over $100 in five cent contributions toward a new school building in San Francisco, and the High and Woodward will add ten cent contributions.

Theodore Muer, the popular young draftsman of Jones Bros., Boston, left Quincy on Sunday evening to spend his vacation with relatives on Prince Edward Island. His many friends wish him a pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eckert returned on Sunday from their wedding trip, and are the guest of the bride's mother, Mrs. E. C. Hultman of Washington street, for a few days, before going to their new home at Quincy Point.

Rev. George W. Haley of Salem, who has been assigned as assistant pastor of St. John's church in this city, is very popular in Salem, where he was presented by St. James parish with $1000. He was in Salem nearly ten years.

The Junior base ball team of the Y. M. C. A. will play the Cranch Hills at Merrymount Park this morning in the upper field at 10 o'clock. This is the fifth game for the Juniors and they still remain undefeated.

Andrew J. O'Brien of this city was one of the four graduates of Boston College on Wednesday evening to deliver an oration, his subject being "The true end of the State." Seventeen received the degree of bachelor of arts, and one bachelor of science.

John L. Kay of Wollaston was the winner Thursday, of the prize of $10 in gold offered to students of Adams Academy for best oration. The competition took place before a committee of the alumni,—Walter M. Packard, Morton Smith and Dr. Sidney Hardwick. It will be repeated at the gold medal exercises at the Stone Temple this evening.

Charles D. Lanning of the Boston yacht club is the owner of the boat building at Quincy from F. T. Wood's design. She is a flat-moored scow, with blunt bow, and metal bulb-fin keel. Her length on the water line is said to be 22 feet, breadth 5 feet 6 inches and draft 4 feet 6 inches. Mr. Wood has had success with catboats in Narragansett bay says the Globe.

City Solicitor Thomas had a narrow escape from serious injury on Saturday. He was on a train bound for Boston. While passing through South Boston a stone thrown by a boy crashed through the window at which he was sitting, missing hitting him in the head by a narrow margin. The glass was smashed into hundreds of pieces which flew all over his head. Fortunately he escaped being injured.

Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks gave a reception June 15th to the editors and ladies attending the Editorial convention at Indianapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks arrived in the city at noon and were escorted to their home by the editors, Gov. Handy, Gov. Hoch of Kansas and Mayor Bookwalter. In the receiving line were James Whitcomb Riley, George Ade, Meredith Nicholson and Miss Elizabeth Miller, George W. Prescott of the Patriot was among those attending the reception.

It was nasty weather for a holiday, and most everybody was disappointed.

Mr. James Connell of the Central Fire station is enjoying his annual vacation.

Mrs. John O. Hall, Jr., came from Millbury for the Melville-Smith wedding.

Miss A. H. Tedford of Nova Scotia was the guest of friends in this city last week.

Mrs. Mary Grant and family have moved from 68 Washington street to the Jones house on Hancock street.

Miss Sadie Thomas of this city is having a summer house built on Hampton hill at Nantasket.

The through street service between Neponset and Nantasket went into effect Monday.

The part of the Packard foundry building which is located in Cottage avenue, as widened, is being cut off.

H. M. Hodgkinson, of this city is filling the position of office assistant at the Y. M. C. A. for the summer.

The county commissioners have asked for proposals for a loan of $100,000 for one year, probably for the Fore River bridge.

The local members of the Ancients had their flags flying on Thursday because of a visit from Capt. Doane of Cape Cod.

Miss Ethel Keith formerly of Foster street but now of Cambridge is spending the summer in Europe, sailing early in June.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sidelinger and son Karl of Washington street left Tuesday morning for a three weeks' sojourn at Nobleboro, Maine.

Among the graduates Thursday evening from the Faelton pianoforte school of Boston was Miss Lucie F. Newcomb of Gay street, this city.

Miss Beatrice Walker, who has been teaching elocution in the Somerville High school, has accepted a position in Buffalo, N. Y. for next year.

Both Representatives Hultman and Sandberg voted with the majority for the expulsion of Representative Frank J. Gethro of Boston from the Legislature.

The last regular meeting of the Hospital Aid Association before the summer vacation will be held Thursday, June 28, at three o'clock, in the Quincy Women's clubhouse, Goffe street. A large attendance is desired.

Dr. and Mrs. Moses Simmons, formerly of Wollaston who recently moved into the Hall house at the corner of Revere road and Bigelow street, are leaving the first of the week for their summer home at Scituate.

Auctioneer Johnson sold 70,500 square feet of land at execution sale on Thursday, same being all that is left of the late Elizabeth C. Adams estate, corner of South Walnut and Elm street, to E. W. Branch for $1,250.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fredericks Spear and daughter Miss Grace Spear of Hancock street, left this week for their cottage at Rose Cliff, Weymouth. Miss Spear was one of the graduates on Wednesday evening from Woodward Institute.

The twelve inch gas main is now being laid on Hancock street from Beale street. One branch is working toward Quincy and has reached a point near Elm avenue. The branch toward Neponset is now opposite Woodbine street.

The public declamations of Adams Academy will occur this evening, Saturday, June 23, at 7.45 in the Stone Temple. There are no special invitations, but all past members and friends of the Academy, and all citizens of Quincy are very cordially invited.

A committee from the Citizens Association are in conference today with President Sherwin of the N. E. Telephone Co. in the interest of lower surburban telephone rates. It is hoped at least to have the toll rate reduced from 10 cents to 5 cents between Boston and Quincy.

The James H. Stetsons are settled for the summer at their beautiful cottage at West Harwich on the Cape. On June Seventeenth they kept open house day and evening and entertained guests most hospitably. The Harwich Independent says the season never properly begins until the Stetsons arrive and their coming is always looked forward to by many friends on the Cape.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Howland Mrs. James H. Slade and Mrs. Edward Russell are sailing for England on July fifth. Mr. and Mrs. Howland are to visit their daughter, Mrs. Lister; Mrs. Slade is to travel in England and later join her brother, Mr. John Adams Thayer, who with his wife are traveling on the continent, and Mrs. Russell will go to Paris to visit her daughter, Mrs. Walter B. Holden.

Chester Wesley Hunt.

LINES BY A FRIEND.

Gone from this earthly life,
When life was but begun;
Free from all care and strife—
Chester, our only son.

While our hearts are aching,
We're glad to know that he,
In future life awaking,
From sin and pain is free.

The fond hopes we cherished,
That of us seemed a part,
All, all have perished
And left a saddened heart.

Like the lily, pure and white,
That blooms on Easter morn,
He went forth from our sight
An angel newly born.

Junior Y. M. C. Picnic.

The first annual picnic of the Junior Department of the Quincy Young Men's Christian Association which was to take place on Monday and was postponed on account of the rain will be held Thursday, June 28, at Houghton's Pond, Milton.

The party will leave Quincy Square on the East Milton car at 9:35 A. M. The round trip fare is twenty cents. Each fellow should carry a bountiful lunch. Swimming sports will be held so each fellow should bring his tights. Only experienced fellows will be expected to enter water sports. Five leaders will accompany the party and no one will be expected to either go in swimming or hire a boat without notifying one of the leaders.

Reserve Police Force.

Mayor Thompson has appointed the following officers as members of the Reserve Police force:—Ernest H. Bishop Charles Olson, Henry W. Thorne, Daniel H. Doran, Henry F. Reiley, Jeremiah Dinneen and George F. Phillips.

Under the civil service rules, the reserve police force consists of one member for every three permanent policemen, and appointments to the reserve force are made from the civil service list.

Future appointments to the permanent force must be made from the reserved list. The members of the reserve force are also exempt from taking any further examinations.

ATLANTIC.

An Atlantic man who has always thought well of himself sort to discuss the problem of firing a gun with a child of five. During the talk the little boy aimed his new toy at the respected citizen. The man looked solemn. "If you should shoot me with your gun," "the man asked," where would I go? "The child answered without a moments hesitation. "O, you'd go up in the sky with the rest of the dead ones!"

Mr. F. C. Tarr has moved into the house on Squantum street near thes residence of Dr. D. A. Bruce.

Miss Laura and Mr. Louis Cole of Faxon road have returned from Topsfield where they have been spending the week.

There is a steep embankment on the left hand side of Atlantic street heading toward Hancock, just above the railroad bridge, and the fence along its edge is broken away. A frightened horse or an unruly auto would be dangerous in the extreme in that vicinity and as accidents are likely to happen in such places, the fence ought to be repaired at once. A timely step in the right direction saves many "might have beens."

Councilman Hobbs, who has been absent from the City Council for several meetings on account of illness, was able to be present at Tuesday night's meeting.

The Sacred Hearts of Atlantic defeated the Centrals of East Boston, on Saturday, 9 to 6.

The Sacred Hearts played a fast game with the Warrens of Neponset June 18. In the 7th inning the Warrens quit the field and went home, for the Sacred Hearts got on to their pitcher for five runs. Umpire McLane gave the game to Sacred Hearts, 9 to 0.

On Redman's field on Monday the Eagle Athletic club with Daniel Mullen and James McNorraton as a battery, defeated the Defender juniors, 17 to 3.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Charles Crane is confined to his home on President ave., South Quincy, with a disabled foot.

Arthur Mitchell has sold his pretty home on Franklin street and with his wife has gone to Orleans, on the Cape for the summer.

Mrs. Eliza Knights is confined to the home of her sons on Franklin street, suffering from injuries sustained while alighting from an electric car.

Michael Mohan of Middle street, Braintree, died suddenly on Monday, at 6 P. M., of apoplexy. He had lived in Braintree many years and leaves a widow, daughter Mary, and son Joseph F. Mr. Mohan was a constant attendant at St. Johns church, Quincy.

Alexander Cowe Jr. of Intervale St. will leaave today for New Haven, where he will spend a few days with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Flint. He will take in the Harvard-Yale ball game, and will also attend the commencement exercises at Yale. Mr. Flint is a Yale Graduate.

Dunham—Robbie.

On Wednesday evening, at 82 Goddard street, South Quincy, the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robbie, Miss Bessie Robbie was married to Mr. Lewis Rolla Dunham of Quincy. The Rev. N. J. Sproul, of the First Presbyterian church, Water street, performed the ceremony in the parlor under a festooning of roses, and asparagus vines surrounded by palms.

Miss Eva G. Prario was the maid of honor and during the ceremony had her position at the right of the bride. The groom was attended by Mr. William Robbie as best man.

The bride was elegantly gowned in white Louisiene trimmed with silk applique with bridal veil of duchess net, caught up with a gold pin set with diamonds and pearls, a gift from her uncle of Chico, California, and carried bridal roses. She was escorted to the altar by her father, Mr. John Robbie. Miss Hazel Morey played the wedding march.

After the ceremony the happy couple received the congratulations and best wishes of all present. The company then passed to the banquet hall where supper was served and the newly wed pair joyfully toasted.

At 10.30 o'clock, amid a shower of confetti, old shoes and much jollying from the wedding party, Mr. and Mrs. Dunham left in a carriage, profusely decorated for the occasion, en train for Niagara Falls and Washington, D. C., where they will sojourn until August 1, when they will be at home to receive friends. The bride travelled in a costume of Alice blue panama.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbie entertained the wedding party until an early hour in the morning. The pleasant night and the charm of the many lights and shadows cast by the shrubs and trees which surround the beautiful home, made it possible for the large company to fully enjoy the occasion.

A telegram of congratulations was received from Mr. and Mrs. O. Fischer of New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunham were the receipients of a large assorment of handsome presents.

Sudden Death.

Guy G. Chadbourne, one of Wollastons well known residents, died at his residence on Wayland street yesterday after an illness of a few days. Mr. Chadbourne who was a traveling salesman for C. A. Baldwin of Boston, was in New Hampshire on a business trip when he began to have trouble with an abcess on the inside of his throat. It was not considered serious, however, and he was able to come home alone. He arrived home on Wednesday since which time he has been confined to the house.

Early on Friday the abcess broke and he died a few minutes later.

Mr. Chadbourne was widely known among the business men of Boston and New England He was born in Bath, Me., in 1869, and was a son of Capt. Charles G. Chadbourne. During his early residence in Quincy he had quite a reputation as a ball player and at one time was catcher for the Boston Unions. He also played with the New Bedfords and Merrymounts.

He was 37 years of age and leaves a widow. He was a member of Wollaston lodge of Masons, the Squantum Yacht club, Merrymount club and the Commercial Travellers club. Funeral services will be held from his late residence on Sunday at 3 o'clock.

More Trouble.

John L. Hussey of Rockland, who has figured in papers several days in a strange legal case, being unable to raise money to pay a judgment, yet having too much cash to allow him to take the poor debtors oath, now has more troubles.

He secured his release on Wednesday, but was served with a divorce writ, by Effie E. Hussey of Revere, who claims she married Hussey in Gloucester March 3, 1893, living in South Braintree and Boston.

The present Mrs. Hussey of Rockland says she married Hussey in 1900 and that her maiden name was Mary F. Gardner of Quincy.

WOLLASTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Poole have returned from a several weeks' visit to Milford, N. S.

Avery L. Bennett, of Arlington street leaves Monday for Camp Pasquaney, Bristol, N. H.

The Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 with Mrs. J. A. Jewell, 52 Lincoln avenue. Subject, local reports.

William E. Weston entertained the Garrick club at his summer home at "Fort Weston," Duxbury, on Saturday. The morning was spent in a delightful drive, Louis and Ray Weston handling the reins. At noon a bountiful dinner was served by Mrs. Weston, after which the party gave several original sketches in costume. The club took the evening train for home after giving several rousing cheers for the Westons.

Mr. Stein is visiting Mr. Earle Boyce of Farrington street.

Edwin Bennett, of Berlin street, has just returned from a business trip to New York and New Bedford.

F. E. McLaughlin won the finals on Saturday for the championship of the Wollaston Golf club.

The Wollaston Boys' Brigade postponed their picnic which was to have been held at Houghton's pond Monday.

The Merrymounts go to South Weymouth today to cross bats with the strong Norfolk Club team. The game will be played at Reeds field.

Miss Alma Thurston of Providence is visiting Helen M. Sprague of Park street.

Miss Grace I. Bishop and Francis H. Bishop of Wollaston are visiting relatives in Hartford.

Harris Barbour of Wollaston gave one of the orations at the commencement exercises at Brown university this week.

The teachers of the Wollaston School were most pleasantly entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Crane on Washington street. Mrs. Crane will be remembered as one of the Wollaston teachers, Miss Ida Cameron.

No one was more disappointed because of the rain Monday than the peanut boys who gathered at Merrymount Park at about two o'clock in hopes of doing a big business among the holiday fans.

H. F. Miller, Jr., of Wollaston won the mile run at the field day of the Knights of Columbus in Boston on Saturday, his time being 4m., 41 2-5s.

Councilman and Mrs. W. H. Hull left this week for Yarmouth, N. S., for the summer.

Wollaston fans are looking forward with great anticipation to what promises to be one of the most hotly contested ball game of the seasons. The Wollastons have challenged the Merrymounts, and the teams will meet at Merrymount park on the morning of July Fourth. The Wollaston team consists of a number of well known ball players and the captain and manager is Horace Taylor, formerly captain of the Merrymounts. This is as good as saying that the Wollastons will be a strong team. Manager Baker will also see that a strong nine is on the field

George Thompson and family, of Arlington street have gone to their summer home at Island Creek.

Louis Weston, of Newport, avenue, came up from Island Creek to attend the Harvard Class Day exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, of Arlington street, are spending a few days in the White Mountains.

Miss Lizzie Richards of Water street is at Clark Island for the summer.

The Delta Phi Delta Society held their annual picnic last Monday.

Mr. Sparrow the genial janitor of the Wollaston school, entertained the teachers Thursday noon with ice cream and dainty cakes.

WEST QUINCY.

The Granite Railway company shipped a large tomb to southern parties this week.

The wedding of Miss Hattie L. Bisson and Mr. Stephen S. Wykes will take place at the West Quincy M. E. Church at 7.30 P. M. next Wednesday.

DOWNS AND PARK.

Councilman Sawyer has invited the members of the City Council to a sail in the yacht Eleanor this afternoon.

A house is being built at the corner Muirhead and Davis streets by J. C. Frazer. It will be occupied when completed Frank Field of Beach street.

The lost-child call at 3.45 Wednesday afternoon was for two children of Guy Sargent of Elmwood avenue, Wollaston, a boy and girl. They were found in City Square by Officer Murray who, after treating them to candy, sent them home in a carriage.

In the superior court at Dedham on Tuesday Judge Lawton ordered a verdict for the defendant in the suit of Patrick T. Egan of Quincy against the Old Colony street railroad for $20,000 damages on Hancock street near Billing road.

People are warned against giving funds to a colored woman who is begging for money to bury a child. The woman has been operating in the vicinity of Norfolk Downs. One of the ladies who contributed visited the Boston address given to investigate. She was admitted to the house by the child who was said to be dead and the woman was pronounced a fraud.

Captain Herbert Percival launched the Fish Hawk at Wollaston beach, Monday.

Speed Limits.

The new automobile law goes into effect today, and in order that drivers may not get caught exceeding the speed limit Chief Burrell will put up signs giving the limit of speed that may be run on certain streets. The signs are of wood painted green with white letters.

The speed on the outskirts is 12 miles per hour, and on approaches to City square 8 miles per hour.

The 8 mile limits are as follows:

Adams street, from Rice's hill to Presidents' bridge.

Junction of Hancock and Adams street to City square.

Junction of Washington and Elm streets to City square.

Junction of Elm, School and Hancock street to City square.

City square.

All streets outside of these places the speed limit will be 12 miles per hour.

The tenth anniversary of the Isles of Shoals summer meetings of the Unitarians will be held from July 7th to 15th. The meetings open Sunday morning at ten o'clock with communion service in the Stone Meeting-house. There will be four or five services each day throughout the week with sermons and lectures by well known Unitarians. For further particulars address the Unitarian Association, 25 Beacon street, Boston.

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QUINCY POINT.

In spite of the bad weather on Monday there was a large attendance at the picnic held at New Downer landing.

Supt. Charles Sherburne in reporting the attendance of Children's Day, said "208 in the Sunday School, the largest attendance in the history of the Quincy Point church."

The new song book, the "Northfield Hymnal" is meeting with universal praise at the Quincy Point church. The sum $17.31 has been raised toward paying for 150 copies at 25 cents a copy.

George P. Mead has severed his connection as bookkeeper with C. Patch & Son, Quincy Point, and accepted a position at the Mount Wollaston Bank.

The Fore River foot ball team defeated the Boston Rovers, association rules, on Monday, at the picnic at New Downer landing, by the score of 2 to 0.

John Royal was arrested at Quincy Point on Sunday for drunkenness. Upon being searched at the police station an ivory handled dirk was found in his pockets. He was arraigned in court for drunkenness and for carrying concealed weapons. He was fined $20 for carrying concealed weapon. The case for drunkenness was placed on file.

All the young ladies and gentlemen of the Quincy Point parish, between the ages of seventeen and twenty-five, are invited to the Pilgrim Fraternity "ladies' night," next week Tuesday, June 26, at eight o'clock in the vestry.

The picnic of the Quincy Point church and Sunday school will be held at Sailors Snug Harbor, Germantown, June 30, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. and all S. S. pupils and people in the Point parish are invited. It is a "basket picnic" and a continual good time has been planned for.

The Fore Rivers and Quincys meet on the diamond this afternoon.

On Sunday occurs another in the series of popular Sabbath evening services, at the Quincy Point church under the direction of the young people. The topic is of interest to everybody, especially mothers, "Mother, the heart of the family."

Mr. Charles Sherburne has ordered over a dozen silver plated prizes, for the races and contests of June 30th, the day for the picnic of the Quincy Point Sunday school and parish. He has also provided free transportation by boat from the power station, for all parishioners.

MILTON.

Charles M. S. Churchill, father of John P. S. Churchill, clerk of the district court and one of the best known residents of Milton, died at his home on Churchill's lane, June 17. He was in his 82d year and was formerly in the practice of law.

Considerable interest is being taken by the Thursday Evening club in the weekly tournaments at whist, pool and checkers.

Miss Fannie Johnson, recently bookkeeper at the Ellsworth market, has accepted a position at the Eaton Ice Co. office.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Brown of New York are registered at the Granite house.

The fine condition of Brush Hill road is a great temptation to automobile drivers speed their cars. They should not forget, however that officers with stop watches are on the look out for them.

Officer Wigley, day man at East Milton, has returned from his vacation.

Mrs. Richard McKay, who recently graduated from Tech., have gone to Europe on a few months' trip.

The new combination engine ordered for the East Milton fire station will arrive at an early date. It will be an up to date machine in every way.

Melville—Smith.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. I. Smith on Baxter avenue, Quincy Point, was a blaze of light on Thursday evening and the lawn and piazzas were also hung with Japanese lanterns, making a most attractive scene. The festive appearance was due to two important events, the marriage of the daughter of the house, and the observance of the ninetieth birthday of the grandmother, Mrs. Sarah A. Smith.

Inside the house was also beautiful with light and flowers, the color scheme being white and green, and roses and crepe paper were extensively used.

The ceremony uniting Miss Auwelda Huntress Smith and Mr. James Allen Melville, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Melville of East Howard street, was solemnized at half past six by Rev. A. R. Atwood of the Washington Street Congregational church.

There was a large wedding party including the maid of honor, Miss Hattie M. Bailey of Somerville, the bride's attendants, Miss Cora A. Wakelee of Ansonia, Conn., Miss Edith M. Dockum of Newmarket, N. H., Miss Lillias M. Shaw of Nova Scotia, Miss Mary L. Hayden of Cambridge, Miss Florence F. Newcomb and Miss Evelyn G. Hayden of Quincy. The bridesmaid was Miss Ella May Melville, sister of the groom. There were two little ribbon boys David G. Melville of Quincy and George Rawlins of Medford.

The best man was a brother of the groom, Mr. Frank R. Melville, and the ushers Harry I. Hayden of Danvers, Aubrey N. Peters of Everett, Samuel C. Melville and Fred Hayden Smith of Quincy. For the wedding march and during the reception there was music by Miss Ernestine A. Mulle and Charles A. Keach of Somerville, at piano and violin.

Immediately following the ceremon a reception was held until nine o'clock. The young people were assisted in receiving by their parents and Grandma Smith. It was a beautiful June night, and the guests enjoyed being out of doors, the dainty summer gowns adding to the beauty of the scene.

The wedding presents were displayed in one of the upper rooms, and were both rich and numerous.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville left in an automobile for a wedding trip shortly after nine, after successfully eluding the friends gathered to give them the usual send off.

Their future home will be on Baxter avenue where they will receive friends after September first.

"Grandma" Smith is a native of New Hampshire, being born in Rochester June 21, 1816. She enjoys good health and is remarkably well preserved, being free from wrinkles, eye sight and hearing good, and voice strong.

She was the daughter of Ebenezer and Sarah J. Doe, and in 1841 married Leonard Smith. Newmarket was their home until 1885 when they went to Ansonia to live with their son, H. H. I. Smith where Mr. Smith died. She has since lived with her son at Somerville and Quincy. Mrs. Sarah A. Kelsey, her daughter, also lives with Mr. Smith.

Mrs. Smith was one of the original members of the Free Baptist church at Newmarket, N. H., and now attend services at the Quincy Point church.

—Miss Myra E. Sprague was the only graduate on Wednesday from the Derby academy of Hingham.

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HOUGHS NECK.

The season at Houghs Neck is now in full swing. A large part of the cottages are occupied and new arrivals are coming every day. The fact is, however, nearly everything in the shape of a cottage has been let.

Schools throughout the Commonwealth will close next week and then many more families are expected, so that by the first of July vacant cottages will be few and far between.

Most of the catch penny stores and booths are open, but are not doing much business. The proprietors are waiting for the younger people to arrive, for they are the ones who spend the money.

Mrs. Margaret Walsh and family of Quincy are at their cottage on Island avenue for the season.

The Houghs Neck steamer has gone into commission for the season.

John L. Ayer and family of Winchester are at the Langworthy cottage on Great Hill.

M. L. Hobart of Dorchester with family, have arrived at the Prince Arthur cottage on Charles street..

Edward J. Ryan and family of Roxbury are rusticatiug at the Roslindale cottage on Turner street.

H. J. Harvey of Charlestown have arrived at the Fairmount cottage on Turner street.

Mrs. Mary Carney and family of Brockton are in the Happy Thought cottage on Centre road.

George H. Wilkins, fleet captain of the Quincy Yacht club, and family of Campello, are in their cottage on Great Hill.

A car ride to Houghs Neck at this season is always popular, and it is an added pleasure to visit Brown's dance hall where there is a good floor and good music.

Hill.

C. H. Gould and family of Somerville are in a cottage on Great Hill.

D. Carey Keith of Campello is in his cottage on Great Hill.

Houghs Neck residents would be glad to see that building on Sea street partly destroyed by fire several years ago removed. It certainly is an eye sore as it is now.

The race of the Quincy Yacht club scheduled for Monday was not held, as the boats were all participating in the race at Hull.

Officer James W. Murray has rented a house at Houghs Neck and has moved down with his family for the summer.

Mrs. Mary McLean of Cambridge has rented the Butterwood cottage at Houghs Neck for the summer, and with her family arrived on Saturday last.

The body of Frederick J. Buttrick of 28 West Canton street, Boston, who was drowned off the club house at Houghs Neck, June 10, during the squall, was recovered on Monday. The body came up off the end of Peddocks Island, some distance from where it went down. It was towed over to Hull where it was identified by papers found in the clothing. The remains were placed in charge of an undertaker after being viewed by the medical examiner.

Logie—Ripley.

The West Quincy M. E. church was beautifully decorated Wednesday evening for the wedding of one of the wards most popular young ladies. At the heads of the pews were bunches of daises and ferns and about the altar and choir gallery were banked palms, daisies and roses.

The bride was Miss Mabel Haskell Ripley, the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Ripley and the groom, Dr. A. E. Logie of Millbridge, Maine.

At eight o'clock the bridal party entered the church to the singing of Lohengtin's wedding march by Albert Orcutt of Dorchester. Mr. Orcutt has been the musical instructor of Miss Ripley, and seemed to put his whole soul into the solo, which was beautifully rendered. Mr. Wendell Luce of Quincy, organist at St. Pauls church at Newton, was at the organ.

Miss Olive H. Grant of West Quincy was the maid of honor and there were two bridemaids, Miss Mae Mahern of Dedham and Miss Jennie V. Doble, also a little flower girl Chloe G. Ripley, a sister of the bride.

The groom was attended by George Ripley, brother of the bride, and the ushers were: Russell Badger, Fred Badger, Irving Badger and Harold Badger, her cousins. Rev. A. B. Tyler of the church performed the marriage service, the bride being given in marriage by her father.

In contrast to the bride's and the maid of honor's beautiful white robes were the bridesmaids, Miss Mahern wearing blue silk muslin with lace trimmings and Miss Doble white swiss muslin over pink.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents, where the decorations were of roses and ferns. Dr. and Mrs. Logie were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Ripley, the maid of honor and the best man.

The groom's gift to the bride was a music cabinet, and he gave necklaces to the bride's attendants.

There was a rich display of gifts including silver, cut glass, aluminum goods and handiwork. Ices, cake, frappe were served and each guest received a box of wedding cake.

The wedding trip will include New York and Niagara Falls, and the future home of Dr. and Mrs. Logie will be in Millbridge, Me.

McNiff—Sullivan.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Johns church Wednesday morning when Miss Annie Elizabeth Sullivan, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Sullivan of Main street, became the bride of William Henry McNiff. The ceremony which was at 7.30 o'clock was performed by. Rev. John J. Coan, in the presence of a large number of the friends of the couple.

The bride was attended by Miss Katherine Gertrude Meany and the groom by J. Stephen Hofferty. The bride was gowned in a white crepe de chine over silk with trimmings of real Valenciennes lace. She carried Bride roses and wore a picture hat. The bridesmaid wore a white point d'esprit over silk and carried a bunch of lilies of the valley. She also wore a picture hat.

Following the ceremony here was a reception at the home of the bride at 69 Main street, the bridal couple being assisted in receiving by their parents and Mr. and Mrs. John Rooney. A wedding breakfast was served.

The decoratians of the house were ferns and Bride roses. Guests were present from Marlboro, Hudson, Brookline, Boston and Quincy.

—The annual celebration of the Kearsarge Naval Veterans at Boston was marred this week by the sudden death of Thomas H. Blake, chief boatswain's mate of the organization, who expired immediately after his companion veterans had broken ranks in front of their headquarters at the old Franklin schoolhouse in that city and were about to pass into the building.

—Arlington appropriated $15,000 to fight the gypsy and brown

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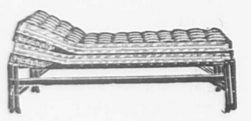
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SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1906.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon sets
Saturday, June 23,	4.08	7.25	12.00	12.15	8.42 P.M
Sunday, "	24, 4.08	7.25	12.30	1.00	9.25 "
Monday, "	25 4.08	7.25	1.15	1.45	10.03 "
Tuesday, "	26, 4.09	7.25	2.00	2.30	10.37 "
Wednesday, "	27 4.09	7.25	2.45	3.15	11.10 "
Thursday, "	28, 4.09	7.25	3.30	4.00	11.41 "
Friday, "	29, 4.10	7.25	4.30	5.00	12.03 A.M

First Quarter, June 29th, 9.19 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898.
Sunday,	61	87	88	76	75
Monday,	58	76	90	79	88
Tuesday,	68	71	56	80	70
Wednesday,	76	74	57	82	86
Thursday,	80	85	61	70	78
Friday,	88	80	74	74	77
Saturday,	—	73	78	76	68

The question has been asked why the burlap on the trees in the public highways is turned up some days and some days turned down. Commissioner Burke who has charge of the moth work says that it is done to keep check on the inspectors who examine the trees every week. For instance, on their visit this week they leave the burlap turned up, and the Commissioner in riding through the different sections can tell at a glance if his inspectors are attending to their duty. On the inspector's visit next week the burlap will be turned down and so on, turning it up one week and down the next.

Quincy will not become the first Norfolk Representative district under the new apportionment. The County Commissioners have decided that this distinction shall remain with the shire town.

Aside from changes in number of districts, there is only one change from the plan first announced by the commissioners, and that is an exchange of places by Westwood and Norfolk, the former going into the 11th district with Dover, Medfield, Medway, Millis and Wellesley, and the latter into the 10th district with Norwood and Walpole.

Wards One Two and Three of the city of Quincy will continue as in the past to be known as the Fifth Norfolk district, and the other three wards will become the Sixth Norfolk district.

Braintree will be in the 8th district with Holbrook and Avon instead of with Weymouth as for the past ten years. Weymouth will go it alone as the 7th district.

State Tax.

Quincy's State tax this year will be $25,270 a reduction from $28,880 last year, caused by a reduction of the total tax from $4,000,000 to $3,500,000.

Our assessment is smaller than 19 of the Massachusetts cities, and Brookline, but larger than the following 13,—Beverly, Chicopee, Everett, Gloucester, Marlboro, Medford, Melrose, Newburyport, North Adams, Northampton, Pittsfield, Waltham and Woburn.

These cities and towns have about the same valuation as is shown by the assessments:

Chelsea,	$26,740
Taunton,	25,515
Quincy,	25,27
Waltham,	24,290
Milton,	24,535

SUNDAY SERVICES.

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented.—Eds.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, Ph. D. pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Consciousness of a Personal Destiny." Sunday School at 12 M. Norwegian service at 3.45 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening praise and preaching service in the chapel at 7.30. Subject: "The Biblical View of Life."

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Habit of Making Excuse." Sunday School at 12 M. Union service 7 P. M. Topic: "John Eliot." Address by the pastor.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Topic: "The Church as an Educator." Sunday School at 12 M. Classes for all. Subject: "Life's Review." Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.30. Subject: "Missions Among the Indians." Social song service with sermon at 7.30. Subject: "Mother, the Heart of the Family." A cordial welcome for all. Our church is the Sabbath home of the people.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street, —Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Rev. Ernest W. Hunt, minister. Service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. All are invited.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor Subject: "The Symbol and the Fact in Baptism." Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Social praise service with short address at 7.00 P. M.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Post Office block,—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "God." Golden Text: "In God is my salvation and my glory; the rock of my strength, and my refuge is in God." Psalm 62:7. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. an experience and testimony meeting. Reading rooms open every week day from 3 to 5, and every Tuesday evening. All are welcome.

OUR HOSPITAL

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The Trustees of the City Hospital of Quincy earnestly appeal for donations and bequests for the Endowment fund. This now amounts to over $60,000, but a fund of at least $100,000 is urgently needed.

Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) will endow a Free Bed to which such name may be given as the Donor may desire, but any sum for this noble institution which stands ready to serve us all in the hour of need, will be most gratefully received.

The Secretary, TIMOTHY REED, Adams St., Quincy, or the Treasurer, RICHARD D. CHASE, Savings Bank Building, Quincy, will be very glad to confer with any one or to answer any inquiries.

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The Directors of the YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION of Quincy, with a firm faith in the great value of the work which is being done for the young men and boys of our city, make their appeal for donations and bequests toward paying the mortgage indebtedness on the new Association Building. When the building is free from debt it will serve as an Endowment, as there is a goodly income from the dormitories.

Should the Donor prefer, such sum as might be given could be used as an Endowment for an educational class or classes, the Boys Department, or as a special fund in other ways, and could be designated with the name of the Donor.

The Treasurer, WILLIAM F. CUMMINGS, 7 Clive Street, Quincy, or the General Secretary, ERNEST D. GAY, will be happy to answer inquiries.

SUMMER AMUSEMENTS.

Globe Theatre

Mr. John Craig, the past season leading man of the Castle Square theatre stock company and for the past few weeks at the Empire theatre, has organized his own stock organization and will make his first appearance as actor and manager at the Globe theatre next Monday, June 25th. Mr. Craig felt that the theatre-goers of Boston and vicinity desired the continuance of the idea. He secured a lease of the Globe theatre for the summer months and during his control of the house a splendid line of high-class plays will be presented. The first of these will be the powerful comedy drama, "The Middleman," which was brought to this country by Mr. E. S. Willard. Mr. Craig will be seen in the character of Cyrus Blenkarn, the old potter, a character he has played a number of times and considered by many to be one of his best roles. In the play he will have the assistance of such well known artists as Mary Young, Mary Sanders, Kate Ryan, J. L. Seeley, William Humphrey. During his engagement at the Globe Mr Craig will give two performances daily at popular prices. Mr Craig is now negotiating with Miss Lillian Lawrence to return to Boston as his leading lady and he is in hopes of announcing her acceptance the first of next week.

Tremont Theatre.

Next Monday night Harry Bulger and his associates will enter into the fourth week of their highly successful engagement at the Tremont Theatre in Henry W. Savage's all-summer production. "The Man From Now," by John Kendrick Bangs, Vincent Bryan and Manuel Klein. With the fourth week was inaugurated the summer price schedule, which has been so long one of the regular features of the summer attraction season at the Tremont. There has been a general reduction in the price of orchestra and balcony, and it will now be possible to secure two seats for what formerly was the cost of one. This reduced price season has always met with the unqualified endorsement of the playgoers of Boston. There will, however, be no change in the attraction; on the contrary, the changes which have been made have made the piece far more enjoyable than it was before, and Mr. Bulger, who is so congenially situated, is nightly making more and more of the manifold opportunities given him in this production and the chorus is quite the most vivacious and attractive ever seen in Boston. Regular matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

—Rev. P. H. Riley, recently appointed priest at Cohasset, was presented a purse of $1,500 by Cambridge friends on Wednesday evening.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, June 20, 1906.

Members of the legislature are beginning to doubt whether they will be prorogued this week. Yet there is very little hard work done. It is impossible to manage business near the end so as to utilize the time and the waste carries the days along rapidly. The best managers have never been able to make everything run with the desired economy of time.

Today it is the bribery report which delays business. After the two-hours' debate of yesterday, resulting, as it should and as the House voted unanimously, in the vote that all of the testimony which the accused members or the investigating committee wanted printed should be printed, they adjourned to today.

Right on top of the bribery scandal comes the news that Mr. Tarr of Rockport has been shown in court to be guilty of forgery and that he has admitted the offense, the plea being made that he has restored the money and done what he could to right the wrong. But he sent his resignation to the House this forenoon and the House accepted it immediately, upon motion of Mr. Lowell of Newton, chairman of the judiciary committee, without a words being said. If the member was a disgrace to the House, why not expel him rather than let him resign? Mr. Lowell says, "To avoid a fuss."

The House is full of interest, not to say excitement, over the matter. It was the plan of the committee on rules, acting under the advice of Attorney General Malone, not to have any of the testimony printed, but to have the substance of it presented to the House by a member,—Mr. Lowell of Newton was selected,—and then to have the House vote without any opportunity to read the testimony for itself. But the protests made by Messrs. Mellen of Worcester and Lomasney of Boston, democrats, backed up by Mr. Phillips of Salem, republican, made the committee weaken, and Speaker Cole himself, who was on the floor to take charge of the report,—Mr. Potter of Worcester being in the chair, moved to postpone the matter and that so much of the report be printed as was desired either by Messrs. Gethro or Swig or by the committee on rules.

Such an incident as the speaker on the floor for regular business has probably not been seen before, for the committee on rules is a modern institution and the speaker is chairman by virtue of his office, and this is the first case of the kind which has occurred since the committee was created.

At the time of writing it seems as if Gethro must be expecting that the House would refuse to expel him, for he has said that an offer has been made to him from the committee on rules that he accept a suspension of a few days, but that he has refused the offer. It must be added that to the average member such an offer must seem preposterous and not to be credited.

Thus far there is no partisanship in the case, though the two speakers in the lead for Gethro have been democrats and he is a democrat. The two democrats on the committee have signed the report and there were no party lines drawn in the contest over the bucket shop bill, which was the basis of the scandal There is prejudice against the secret session and almost any complications are possible before the end is reached.

The House has reversed the record of the Senate strongly in favor of putting all the transportation of the state under one combination by voting by 152 to 41 to refer to the next legislature the merger bill which the Senate passed. This vote of the House doubtless represents the sentiment of the state. The power of the corporations seems not to have been exercised in the House as it was in the Senate and the opinion was free upon the merits of the case.

Senator Kyle of Plymouth has rendered real service to the mill workers by procuring the doing of something which has never been done before. There has been a conference committee report on the labor rider which has been put on the bill to permit truant officers to enter factories to see if truants were working there, a rider whose purpose was to save part of the overtime bill which had been killed in the Senate. It forbade the working of children overtime. This report, one of disagreement, had been accepted and the matter seemed to be dead for the session.

Senator Kyle had the matter brought again before the Senate. He urged the Senate to yield its position for the sake of the minors, and persuaded them to come to his opinion. Then the Senate concurred with the House and the provision thus become part of the law of the state.

It came very hard for some of the members of the House, especially Mr. Mellen of Worchester, to tolerate the bill to exempt State bonds from taxation. He and others fought the bill to the very last. Even on the enactment stage in House and Senate the opposition was continued. But it failed in each branch, and the bill will doubtless become law. State Treasurer Chapin figures out that the state will make a saving of $500,000 in the 39 years that the new bonds of $3,000,000 will have to run, in consequence of the higher price which they will bring because they are exempt from taxation. Thus the exemption will operate to reduce the taxes. This anomaly is what has puzzled the opponents of the bill. But they base their opposition, in part, also upon our theory of taxation, which is that all paper evidences of property are really property. It will be interesting to watch the operation of this law and see how it effects public opinion.

The Senate is against the bill for a $10,000 appropriation for a free home for consumptatives in Boston. One curious consequence of that vote was that some senators who were much interested for the home, when they found that it was really dead and that reconsideration failed, turned around in their attitude toward the Brockton veterans' bounties and voted them down also. Before they had been recorded in favor. Thus men sometimes vote from pique or retaliation, rather than on the merits of the proposition.

This afternoon the House ways and means committee, with the dissent of Messrs. Mellen of Worcester and Toland of Boston, reported against the Schofield veterans' "reward" bill. But it is to be expected that the House will defeat the committee and concur with the Senate, which also defeated the committee on the same proposition.

Rule.

☞We are glad that the National Editorial Association declined an invitation extended by the Chicago packers to a breakfast at the Chicago stock yards, and accepted instead the invitation of the Chicago Press Club. The N. E. A. is not a body of great weight or importance. But its officers have the good sense to see the wisdom of not participating in the many whitewashing schemes the packers are now engineering.—Boston Record.

A Fine Plant.

Although the new power station of Quincy Electric Light & Power Co. has been in operation for some months it was not until within a few days that the plant was fully completed. The completion of the plant was accomplished by the installation of a 1000 horse power direct connecting engine and an 800 Kilowatt generator.

The plant of the company is situated on what is known as Bracketts wharf and is a modern one in every particular. Situated at the water's edge the enormous amount of coal necessary to feed the boilers is landed within a few feet of the furnace doors. Every pound of coal must be weighed before it enters the boilers and the ashes are also weighed so that it is known just how much energy is obtained.

With the installation of the new engine noted above the company can now be said to have one of the most modern and up-to-date electric light plants in existence. There is almost no limit to the amount of current it can supply and there is now no fear of poor lights on account of inability to generate sufficient current.

No expense has been spared in the installation of the plant and nothing has been omitted that would add to its efficiency. Previous to the new installation of the engine above noted the generating machinery consisted of two engines, one of 500 horse power, connecting with a 200 kilowatt generator, and one 240 horse power, connecting with a 150 kilowatt generator. It will therefor be seen that the capacity of the plant has been more than doubled.

In order to control this enormous amount of invisible energy it is necessary to have switchboards and the like, which to the uninitiated are somewhat puzzling. One of the most modern of these switchboards has been erected from which the current supplied for the commecial and municipal lighting systems of the city is easily controlled.

It is possible in the shortest space of time imaginable to shut off the current from any section of the city or to turn it on to any section so that at all times the powerful invisible current is in perfect control of the engineer at the power station, some of whom are on duty every hour of the day and night.

In order that the city officials and members of the city council might see the fully equipped plant in operation, an invitation was extended to them to visit it after the Council meeting Tuesday evening. All of the Councilmen present at the meeting accepted the invitation and in addition a large number of officials including Mayor Thompson.

After the City Council had adjourned carriages were in waiting to take them to the power station. At the station they were welcomed by President Pattee, Treasurer Faxon and the board of directors of the company who divided the party into groups and escorted them through the plant, explaining the uses of the different machines.

Few had any idea of the extensiveness of the plant, and the visit proved an interesting one for all, as well as to show the citizens that the company was now prepared to meet any demands that might be made upon it for current for lighting or mechanical purposes.

A lunch was served in one of the rooms by T. D. Cook & Co. of Boston, including salads and rolls, sherbets and ices, after which carriages took the party back to their several sections of the city.

Citizens' Association Active.

President Kincaide of the Citizens' Association has been in correspondence with the officials of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad relative to the whistling nuisance at Quincy. It appears that while Quincy was not mentioned in the order recently issued in regard to crossing whistling, Water street, South Quincy was included. It appeared under the head of Braintree.

In regard to the complaints about the Saville street crossing, and the whistling at the freight yard at night, the following letter will show that something is being done:

Mr. Henry L. Kincaide, President Citizens' Association, Quincy, Mass.

Dear Sir: Replying to yours of June 16 regarding whistling in Quincy, Saville street was left out of the order, as we found upon investigation, that it was a "private way", although protected by gates, and so does not come under the provisions of the statue which prohibits whistling at crossings of "highways". The company, in its orders to engineers, will treat this crossing the same as others.

Water street, which you say was not included in the order, I think you will find, upon investigation, was named.

We have asked our inspector to look into and report upon some other complaints in connection with whistling at freight station in Quincy.

Very truly yours,
Clinton White, Commissioner.

Pine Tree State Association.

The Pine Tree State Association held their last regular monthly meeting June 14 in Colonial hall. After the business meeting a varied and interesting program was given.

The first number was a piano solo by Miss Rhines who also played for the dancing later in the evening.

Master Joe Beal gave several recitations in a very pleasing manner which drew forth well deserved applause.

The banjo and harmonica solo by Mr. Charles Barron was unique and well rendered.

The contralto solo by Miss Bernice E. Wright of Atlantic was given under difficulties, as Miss Wright had a sore throat. However her voice was clear and powerful and she responded graciously to the enthusiastic recalls of the audience as they insisted upon an encore.

Master Robinson and Miss Annie Brown played their violin duets with much taste and expresion, showing careful study and good teaching.

Mr. Critchley played a cornet solo accompanied by Mrs. Merrill at the piano, which was also given hearty applause.

The last number on the program was a piano solo artistically rendered, by Miss Josephine M. Wright, who was obliged to respond to an encore. After the entertainment home-made candy was sold and dancing enjoyed until a late hour.

Technology Graduates.

Among the graduating class of 1906 of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who received the degree of Bachelor of Science on Commencement Day, were two of our Quincy young men,—Sidney Taylor Carr and Marden Warner Hayward. They are both former graduates of the Coddington school and Mr. Hayward continued in the Quincy schools, graduating from the High school in 1902, while M. Carr fitted for the Institute at Thayer Academy, South Braintree, graduating in the same year, 1902. Mr. Hayward has taken the course at the Institute in mining engineering, and Mr. Carr that of electrical engineering.

Q. H. S. Girls' Field Day.

The annual field meet of the girls of the Quincy High school was held June 16th on the Athletic grounds off Goffe street. There was a large number present to witness the sport and some good scores were made.

Ella Packard of the senior class carried off the honors of the day capturing the silver cup for the largest number of individual points with 15. She also captured three first prizes.

There were nine points for each event. First place counting five, second place three and third place one.

Blue ribbons were given for first prizes, red for second and white for third.

The freshman class carried off the honors of the school with a total of 37 points. Sophomore was second with 32 points, the seniors third with 22 points, and the Juniors fourth with 8 points.

The results of the different events follow:

75-Yard Dash

1st, Nana Fisher, '08.
2nd, Marie Duggan, '06.
3rd, Catherine Gay, '08.
Time, 11 4-5 seconds.

50-Yard Dash

1st, Nana Fisher, '08.
2nd, Marie Duggan, '06.
3rd, Catherine Gay, '08.
Time, 6 3-5 seconds.

High Jump

1st, Ella Packard, '06.
2nd, Jennie Cummings, '08.
3rd, Ninan Lacy, '09.
Distance, 3 feet, 8 inches.

Broad Jump

1st, Alitzhouser, '09.
2nd, Ninan Lacey, '09.
3rd, Gladys Howe, '08.
Distance, 12 feet, 6 inches.

Potato Race

1st, Muriel Badger, '09.
2nd, Anna Granahan, '09.
3rd, Annie Burke, '09.

Obstacle Race

1st, Gladys Howe, '08.
2nd, Annie Burke, '09.
3rd, Helen Elcock, '08.

Base Ball Throwing

1st, Helen Burke, '07.
2nd, Anna Grannahan, '09.
3rd, Harriet Ruggles, '08.
Distance, 136 feet, 4 inches.

Sack Race

1st, Ella Packard, '06.
2nd, Jessie Pratt, '08.
3rd, Nana Fisher, '08.

Three-Legged Race

1st, Packard and Corey, '06.
2nd, Allen and Bean, '07.
3rd, Ruggles and Howe, '08.

Goal Throwing

1st, Eleanor Moriarty, '09.
2nd, Muriel Badger, '09.
3rd, Harriet Ruggles, '08.
Number, 6.

Relay Race

1st, Muriel Badger, '09.
2nd, Catherine Gay, '08.
3rd, Marie Duggan, '06.

In the basket ball competition the results were:

Junior defaulted to Seniors.
Senior defeated Sophomore 6 to 0.
Senior defeated Freshmen 13 to 8.
Freshmen defeated Junior 8 to 4.
Sophomore defeated Freshmen 8 to 4.

The result in the basket ball competition was 5 points for the Seniors, 3 for the Sophomores, and 1 for the Freshman.

With the basket ball points added the class totals are: Freshman, 38, Sophomores, 35, Juniors, 12, Senior, 27.

The following table gives the number of individual points won by each contestant.

Ella Packard, '06	15
Muriel Badger, '09	13
Nana Fisher, '08	11
Gladys Howe, '08	7
Marie Duggan, '06	7
Anna Granahan '09	6
Helen Burke, '07	5
Catherine Gay, '08	5
Miss Alitzhouser, '09	5
Eleanor Moriarty, '09	5
Marion Corey, '06	5
Annie Burke, '09	4
Ninan Lacey, '09	4
Harriet Ruggles, '08	3
Jennie Cummings, '08	3
Helen Elcock, '08	1
Albert Coffin, '06,	3
Lucian Thayer, '06,	2
Rathborn Sprague, '07,	1
Myron Stebbins, '07,	1
Fred Williams, '06,	1

The officials of the events were as follows:—Judges L. T. Gray, C. I. Lewis, C. K. Hogan. Starter. M. T. Holbrook. Scorer, W. R. Parker. Timekeeper, E. R. Hall.

The school records to date are:

100 Yards Dash, 1905, C. W. Gram, 11 s.
220 Yards Dash, 1905, H. F. Miller, 24 4-5 s.
Mile Run, 1906, John Gourlie, '08, 5 m., 15 s.
Broad Jump, 1906, Eugene Sanders, '06, 19 ft.
High Jump, 1904, C. A. Shortle, 5 ft., 1 3-4 in.
Hop, Step and Jump, 1905, W. C. Bennett, 41 ft., 4 in.
Throwing Hammer, 1904, W. C. Bennett, 97 ft., 6 in.
Putting Shot, 1903, H. F. Miller, 31 ft., 11 in.
Throwing Baseball, 1905, G. W. Fallen, 320 ft., 5 in.

Q. H. S. Boys' Field Day

A victory for the class of 1907 and two records broken were the features of the annual field sports of the Quincy High school on Thursday afternoon at the lower field Merrymount park. The pupils of the school turned out in good numbers to cheer their particular class to victory, and there were a good number of entries in each event.

There were nine points in each event, 5 points for first position, 3 for second and one for the third. As a result of the several events the class of '07 scored 44 points, the class of '06 made 34 points and the class of '08 took 11 points.

The two records broken were the mile run and the broad jump. The record for the mile run was held H. F. Miller whose time in 1903 was 5 minutes 15 2-5 seconds. John Gourlie '08, succeeded in doing the mile in 5 minutes and 15 seconds lowering the record 2-5 of a second. The record for the broad jump was 18 feet, 11 and 1-2 inches, and was made by Thomas Fallon in 1902. Eugene Sanders '06, succeeded in making a new record of 19 feet.

The winners in the several events were as follows:

100 yards dash,— won by William Nichols, '07, Frank Murphy '07, second; and Raymond Jordan, '06, third. Time, 11 1-5 seconds.

220 yards dash,— won by William Nichols, '07, Frank Murphy '07, second; Lucian Thayer '06, third. Time, 25 2-5 seconds.

Mile run,—won by John Gourlie '08, Albert Coffin '06, second; Fred Williams, '06, third. Time, 5 minutes and 15 seconds.

Shot put,— won by Stanley Duncan, '07; William Nichols '07, second; John McClure, '06, third. Distance, 29 feet, 2 inches.

Hammer throw—won by Brandt Lupton '07; William Nichols '07, second; Rathborn Sprague '07, third. Distance, 95 feet 2 inches.

Base ball throw,—won by William Nichols '07; John McClure '06, second; Brandt Lupton '07, third. Distance, 284 feet.

High jump,—won by Eugene Sanders, '06; Raymond Jordan '06, second; Myron Stebbins '07, third. Distance, 4 feet 7 1-2 inches.

Broad jump,—won by Eugene Sanders '06; Frank Murphy '07, second; John Gourlie '08 third. Distance, 19 feet.

Hop, step and jump,—won by John Gourlie '08; John McClure '06, second; Lucien Thayer '06 third. Distance, 37 feet 10 inches.

Class relay race,—won by class of '06 with class '07 second; time, 1 minute 25 seconds. The runners were Fred Williams, Albert Coffin, Eugene Sanders and Raymond Jordan for '06: and Myron Stebbins, John Merrill, Frank Murphy, and William Nichols for '07.

The individual scores other than the class relay race were as follows:

William Nichols, '07,	21
John Gourlie, '08,	11
Eugene Sanders, '06,	10
Frank Murphy, '07,	9
John McClure, '06,	7
Brandt Lupton, '07,	6
Stanley Duncan, '07,	5
Raymond Jordan, '06,	4

Woodward Graduation.

The graduation exercises of the class of 1906 of the Woodward Institute were held Wednesday evening. As in other years, music formed a greater part of the program, and was of the usual high order.

Tickets to the exercises were limited to the seating capacity of the hall and while every seat was taken there was no crowding.

The decorations were simple in the extreme, being confined to a few ferns about the platform. Over the platform in a panel was the class motto "Aim High." The motto was in white letters on a red background, the class colors.

The classes entered the hall promptly at 8 o'clock, marching in with a slow measured tread and taking seats directly in front of the platform. The following musical program was then rendered by the school under the direction of Mr. John D. Buckingham:

Chorus—Oh That We Two Were Maying, Gounod
1. Little Sandman, Brahms
2. Absent, Metcalf
Miss Minnie Rideout Hardwick.
Chorus—May Dew, Bennett
The Hills o'Skye, Victor Harris
Miss Helen Teresa Keating.
Chorus—Bridal Chorus, Cowen

Then came the address which was by Rev. Edward Cummings of Boston. He was introduced by Principal Plumner, and took for his subject, "The Art of Living." The address was of a very interesting nature, embracing humor and philosophy.

He was here he said to tell what little he had learned since he took his diploma. Like Emerson he went to his school; his books, his teachers, his business, his church and he found himself. You will go out into the world and you will find yourself. Lots of people are looking for trouble and they generally find it. The reason is they find themselves.

There are more things in the world than you can attend to. Life is like an old fashioned patch work quilt; made up of small pieces of different colors. Some people's lives are like a crazy quilt. It all depends on the choice you make, moment by moment. Some people go about seeking sunshine, and they find it. You can find yourself by asking what kind of a world you are finding.

You can tell the kind of a person you are by the kind of people you find in it. It is what point of view you take rather than being rich or poor.

Mr. Cummings spoke along these lines for three-quarters of an hour summing up by laying down the following rules for a happy life:

First,—Get out of bed on the right side. You can if you try.

Second,—Smile before breakfast. Be true to yourself, and smile before breakfast, if you don't feel like it.

Third,—Pick quick in order to be true to yourself.

Fourth,—Every day do or say the two kindest things to the people who are nearest and dearest to you. Those who you love best and those who love you best.

Rev. Ellery C. Butler, chairman of the Board of Managers, spoke briefly to the graduates, and presented them with diplomas.

The exercises closed with the reading of the class ode by Miss Marguerite Davis, as follows:

The gates of Life's arena swing apart,
Three blasts of brazen trumpets shrilly sound,
And thrice the heavy hammer strikes the mark
To summon us to loss or world renown.

Whate'er the proof, whate'er the foe we meet,
Or be it Man or Beast or Wooden Cross,
Let's on with courage high and strong heart-beat
To win the victory, scorn the thought of loss.

When laurel-crowned Victory's palm is raised
And thunder echoes thunder of applause,
Heed not the World's vain-glorious, flattering praise;
True judgment follows the ensuing breathless pause.

While tier on tier with one accord arise
To catch His words, the Judge of every strife:
"To thee is due, this day, the victor's prize,
The guerdon that shall ever crown thy life."

There were 34 graduates as follows:

Carlena Walker, Marguerite Davis, Lillian Josephine Aulbach, Elsie Marion Badger, Stella Barker, May Olive Berry, Mary Ellen Boyle, Grace Irene Burch, Alice Mildred Colgan, May Florence Clare, Etheldra Elcock, Anna Teresa Flaherty, Florence Milton Ford, Mary Gertrude Ford, Minnie Rideout Hardwick, Sarah McAloon Harkins, Ethel Gordon Hersey, Helen Krogmann Horton, Helen Teresa Keating, Elizabeth Keefe, Helen King, Josephine Elizabeth Larson, Lauretta Viola Lowe, Renna Berry Mannex, Miriam Nichols Marsh, Emma Rose McDonnell, Sabina Louise McLaughlin, Lillian Agnes Moodie, Mary Gordon Murray, Olga Mary Olson, Annie Sandison, Lela Isabelle Smith, Grace Frederick Spear, Clara Bryant Totman.

The reception of the graduating class of the Woodward Institute at the school building on Thursday evening was very largely attended, the young people predominating.

Early in the evening there was a reception, when the principal of the school, F. W. Plummer, and the following class officers received: President, Miss Helen K. Horton; vice president, Miss Marguerite Davis; secretary, Miss Mary E. Boyle; and treasuer, Miss Elsie M. Badger.

Dancing followed and was continued until after eleven o'clock, to inspiring music by Cuff's orchestra.

In one of the teachers rooms there was on exhibition three cups, one very large one, and two small ones, accompanied by this explanation:

"The class of 1906 present these cups to the Woodward Institute with their best wishes. The basket ball cup shall be given to the team winning the most games in a series of two games with each class. The tennis cup shall be given to the winner of singles in tennis."

In the upper hallway frappe was served during the evening, and in the drawing room was a very creditable exhibition by pupils of the school.

—Rev. W. P. Ray, a prominent Methodist Episcopal clergyman of 22 Lowell street, Cambridge, died suddenly on Tuesday at the Mt. Claire, N. Y., the home building of the Winnona Bible school. Mr. Ray went to New York city several days ago in the interest of pastorless churches in New England.

Squantum Yacht Club.

Those who are not members of the Squantum Yacht club must envy the yachtsmen their frequent good times. The club opened the summer season on Saturday evening with a banquet and entertainment at the delightfully situated clubhouse, for members and a few guests.

The banquet was at 6.30 and was served in the hall by H. J. Seiler of Boston, and included cold turkey, hot escalloped potato, salmon salad, rolls, coffee, ices and cake.

Shaw's orchestra discoursed popular music during the banquet and the members occasionally joined in the chorus.

Commodore Bryant said the opening would be entirely informal, without speech-making. The House committee had prepared a little entertainment, and he thereupon introduced Benjamin Sargent the chairman, who in turn presented a clever quartet of entertainers.

George Spaulding was a favorite, both as a solo ist and as a story teller, and was encored on each appearance. Ward Whitcher gave recitations and told stories with an ease which caused many to envy him his gift. Percy Pym appeared as a monologist, and also gave a variety of recitations. Fenton Fowler's solos were enjoyed and he was recalled. A member of the orchestra also rendered two beautiful violin solos.

It was after ten o'clock before the festivities came to an end. The House committee is composed of Commodore Bryant, John Hildebrand, Walter Winlock, Leverett Brown and Benjamin Sargent.

Among those present were:

Charles M. Bryant, George F. Sawyer Jr., George V. Rogers, G. D. Spaulding, Percy A. Pym, Ernest M. Tribou, Frank Hendry, Frank C. Potter, S. F. Copeland, F. J. Stewart, N. H. Rogers, Fred P. Loud, Frank E. Hall, Charles N. Brown, W. L. Winlock, F. O. Nelson, J. Hillerbrand, L. H. Brown, W. J. Crocher.

Walter P. Hill, John Dunn, Israel Hey, C. H. Clark, H. F. Elden, W. H. Cobb, John Moir, F. F. Prescott, John A. Duggan, Ralph M. Read, Alfred S. Nelson, Henry Martens, F. A. D. Maxwell, F. C. Fowler, A. S. Fowler, W. S. F. Flander, F. E. Badger.

W. S. Barney, E. C. Sawin, Ed. Cockayne, E. F. Drew, D. H. Marble, Charles E. Gill, James A. Smith, Howard Gannett, Jr., Louis A. Whitehouse, John B. Atkins, Harrison I. Loud, J. F. Cochran, Charles Greenfield, James McCarthy, Charles Johnson, William T. Meek, Archibald H. Briggs, L. Benson, A. F. Adams, C. C. Giardino.

The District Court.

Wilson Ourish was arraigned for violation of the automobile law in Quincy. Case placed on file on payment of costs amounting to $1.75.

William S. Tracy of Braintree was arraigned for violation of the liquor law. Case continued until today.

John Nelson was arraigned for trespass at the Sailors' Snug Harbor. Case continued until today.

John Royal was fined $20 for carrying

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Poetry.

The Mower.

HORACE SEYMOUR KELLER.

I love the swish of the gleaming blade,
The thump of the lusty tread,
Where the timothy stalk is lowly laid
And the daisy bends its head.

There's freedom here in the mighty sweep
Distilling the hay's perfume;
There's freedom here in the hands that reap
And conquer the clover bloom.

Here toil is king; and the beaded brow
Seems never a wink with care;
Here work is play—or it seems somehow
To me it is; but there.

But there where the lusty mower goes
With a strenuous stride along—
Perhaps he'd sing, if he could, who knows,
A different sort of song?

For here I loll in the shade immense
With my old muse on the run;
I loll this side of the zigzag fence—
He broils there in the sun.

Notes and Comments.

—Japan still has plenty of faith in the United States, according to the free-handed way in which that country is placing her orders here for rails and steel material. Japan received its first impetus to "be somebody" from the United States, and Japan isn't going to forget the favor.—Boston Courier.

—There is some common-sense to the argument of Congressman Landis of Indiana, when he says, in referring to the sale of American goods abroad at less price than they are sold in this country. "Not more than 3 per cent of our domestic manufactures is exported, and of even that small part probably not one-tenth goes abroad at cut prices, while some of it is sold at higher than home prices. It is a mighty small matter to make a fuss about, anyhow; but, small as it is, if it helps to gain new outside markets and also keeps American labor employed that would otherwise have to remain idle whenever there was a surplus of production, it is a policy to be commended rather than attacked."

—The heroic element has not passed from humanity. There are seldom now the martyr tests in the form of physical suffering or death, but the tests are here, and it is only after a man has been put to the tests that the best in him comes out. There are sacrifices to be made today which we believe are no less than was the sacrifice of life when life was far cheaper. It requires more courage today for one to be true to his convictions in the face of lax sentiment than ever it did for the crusader of old to gird on his sword for battle. The tests of modern heroism are not on the battle-field and in the arena, but in the study and the shop, in the pulpit and in politics, in commerce, society and the home. But the tests reveal the presence still in human hearts of the heroic element.—Universalist Leader.

—The news that Supt. Kirkland has practically gotten control of the gypsy and brown-tail moth will be hailed with great thankfulness by all lovers of our trees and forests. Only by the most thorough and persistent efforts have these pests been put under control, and it will still need constant watchfulness to entirely stamp them out. The result has been worth the expense, and if every town in the commonwealth will perform its duty each year there will be no fear of the scourge ever assuming such proportions as it did a couple of years since.—Old Colony Memorial.

—If the highway commission exercises as much good judgment and common sense in the supervision of the telephone business as it has in exercising its duties in connection with the licensing and operation of automobiles, the public and the telephone companies will be well served. The commission has thus far acted so as to command the respect and confidence of the public, and its action in connection with telephone supervision is expected to be in line with what has been done in the past.—Banker and Tradesman.

—They attend to the comfort of the public car in Belgium. At Verviere organ grinders are by law compelled to appear every morning before the police superintendent and play their instruments. The organs which chance to be out of tune must be set in order before a license to play on the streets will be granted.

—There is no fun in being the iceman in Ohio. The head of the ice trust in Toledo has been found guilty on charges of conspiracy and extortion and is likely to get a jail sentence in addition to a fine, and in Columbus six members of the trust have been indicted for conspiracy, and public prosecutors all over the state are taking the tip. If Ohio has an enforceable law against the monopoly, some of the other states are likely to follow her cue before long.—Haverhill Gazette.

—The fire companies in their adjustment of losses in San Francisco, are setting as fair an example of earnest and conscientious effort in the matter of settling up as has ever been manifested in the history of insurance. The companies have many difficulties to contend with, and it will take time to untangle all the threads. — Boston Courier.

—The New York Tribune thinks that "this will not be an altogether pleasant summer for Americans in Europe," because of the insurance and tainted beef disclosures. But the Europeans long ago learned the advantage of having American tourists visit their countries and they will be just as active as ever to secure the American dollars. They may exclude our canned meats and refuse to patronize our insurance companies, but they will lose no opportunity to get our money. They know the value of that quite well enough and are experts in extracting it from the pockets of the traveler. They will be as glad this year as ever to see us—and our money.—Banker and Tradesman.

—Highland Park, Brockton, that ever popular breathing spot was formally opened for the season on Monday, when for the special pleasure of the thousands who attended on that gala night there was a fine band concert program by the Milo Burke band, a big and elaborate display of all sorts of fizzing fireworks to say nothing of the stage show and the hundred and one regular attractions.

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Day Nursery Fete.

The rain Saturday afternoon seriously interfered with what promised to be one of the most successful lawn parties ever held. The affair, which was for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery, was to have been held on the lawn at the Quincy Women's club.

The Committee, headed by Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, had worked diligently to make the affair a success, and everything pointed toward that end before it began to rain.

The lawn facing Upland road had been carefully prepared for the occasion. Numerous booths for the sale of articles had been tastefully arranged. These were gaily decorated with bright Japanese lanterns which were to be lighted at night. Numerous stacks of hay had been made ready for the children to play upon, and there was a big pile of sand for them. But the rain spoiled all thoughts of an out-of-door fete.

As preparations had been made it was decided to hold the sale in the club house and the tables and booths were quickly transferred. All of the rooms on the Goffe street floor were in use, and everything looked very attractive. There was a fairly good attendance in the afternoon and a much larger one in the evening so that many of the articles were sold. From a financial point of view, however, it was not as successful as it must have been had the original plans for an out of door affair been carried out.

In the evening there was music by the Finn band and chorus singing by the Swedish church choir.

As stated above the tables were arranged about the several rooms. At the right of the Goffe street entrance were the lemonade and confectionery tables, the former being prettily decorated with roses. These tables were in charge of the following ladies:

Lemonade.—Miss Ada M. Nightingale, Miss Mary L. Gavin, Miss Annie M. Chamberlin, Miss Emily Gassett, Miss Alice E. Townsend, Mrs. Clara Penley and Miss Helen Gavin.

Confectionery,—Mrs. N. G. Nickerson, Mrs. F. S. Patch, Mrs. Henry W. Tirrell, Miss Emily Wild, Miss Corrine Wilde, Miss Laura Hall, Miss Gertrude Waterhouse, Mrs. Mark Reed, Mrs. John Carver, Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur and Mrs. E. E. Davis.

The tables in the north room were in charge of the following:

Japanese,—Mrs. Joseph A. Dasha, Mrs. M. A. Ellis, Miss Elizabeth Brown, Miss Irene Dasha, Miss Marion Johnson, Miss Esther Sidelinger, Miss Helen Lincoln, Miss Helen Sherburne, Miss Esther Dasha. The young ladies at this table were gowned in quaint Japanese costumes.

Fancy articles,—Mrs. F. S. Davis, Mrs. Frank Brewer, Mrs. Charles R. Safford, Mrs. George Badger, Mrs. Arthur Sibly and Mrs. J. M. Sheahan.

Cake,—Mrs. W. E. Simmons, Mrs. G. G. Saville, Mrs. Thomas F. Fenno, Mrs. Milton O. Thompson, Mrs. E. E. Jameson, Mrs. George York, Mrs. W. W. Whitcher and Mrs. A. J. Thompson.

Ice cream.—Mrs. A. H. Gilson, Mrs. George McFarland, Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mrs. Berry, Miss Avah Gilson, Miss Louie Lane, Miss Comie Babcock, Miss Muriel Rogers and Miss Rita Gavin.

Goose Pen.—Mrs. W. E. Blanchard, Mrs. T. King, Mrs. E. W. Sheppard, Mrs. Allen and Mrs. E. G. Pratt.

Aside from these there was the fortune tellers camp where ladies gowned as gypsies told fortunes to all who applied. The ladies who looked into the future were Mrs. F. J. Peirce, Mrs. D. E. Wadsworth and Mrs. W. E. Burke.

Mrs. Herbert Lawton has charge of the children's entertainment that was to have been given in the afternoon.

Delevcare King had charge of the lantern decoration and Carl Sherburne and Alfred Brown were the gate keepers.

Woodward Alumnae.

A meeting of the alumnae of the Woodward Institute was held on Saturday evening, June sixteenth, at which a large representation of the classes was present. After the transaction of certain routine business matters, Miss Catherine Tinker was introduced to the audience, as the speaker for the evening. She delivered a most charming lecture on "Modern Interpreters of Child Life." giving to her listeners rare pleasure, in the very skilful elucidation of her subject, combining most adroitly humor and pathos. Her talk consisted of incidents from child life, illustrated by selections from modern writers. The discourse from the beginning to the end was strong, full of power and artistic beauty. Altogether it proved so entertaining, that the time passed swiftly, and there were many expressions of surprise and regret, when the lecture had closed.

The program was ended with a piano solo by Miss Alice Claflin, who played a Polonaise by Chopin. Her selection was received with much pleasure and enthusiasm by the audience. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the exercises.

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Council Meeting.

An unusually busy session of the City Council was held Tuesday. It was also an interesting meeting. The business included a public hearing on the petition of the Commonwealth Cemetery Corporation for a permit to maintain a cemetery in Quincy.

That Wollaston was strenuously opposed to the location of a cemetery in that section of the city was evident by the large gathering of citizens from that section. They came out in such numbers as to fill every seat and all available standing room. Nearly every one was prepared to speak in opposition, if necessary. It was not, however, and after a few had spoken the sentiment of the opposition was had by a rising vote and the petitioners were promptly given leave to withdraw.

The applause of the speakers in opposition was spontaneous and the President's gavel was powerless to check it.

Councilman Beale, Cannon, Chase, Hunter and Spargo were absent.

HOSPITAL RECEIPTS.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from R. D. Chase, treasurer of the City Hospital, requesting payment of $221.23 received by the City Treasurer from various towns on account of services rendered to patients having no settlement in Quincy. Referred to Committee on Finance.

NEW CONSTABLES.

The Mayor forwarded the appointment of S. Lee Durkee as constable to serve on the grounds of the Fore River Co., and David Brown to serve at Manzanalla hall, Houghs Neck. Confirmed.

NO LUNCH CAR.

The Mayor returned without his approval the order granting a license to M. A. Dill to run a lunch car in City Square. His reasons were that it would be establishing a bad precedent, that there were plenty of restaurants and lunch counters in this locality, and that with the small police force for the maintaining of order in City Square they should not have their dyties added to. The Council refused to pass the order over the veto.

CROSSWALKS.

The Mayor returned the orders referred to the Executive department for crosswalks at Atlantic, and at the junction of Union and South Walnut streets and Washington and Chubbuck streets. His reasons were that the orders called for the expenditure of $350 for which no appropriation has been made, and there was no balance from any former appropriation for crosswalks.

The Mayor also said that his communication was made in order to remove any erroneous impressions that may have been formed in the minds of the Councilmen as to the power of the Executive to expend money. All moneys are appropriated for specified purposes and if by good fortune any part remains unexpended it can only be re-appropriated for another purpose except by vote of the Council.

In closing the Mayor says "It is the Executive's duty to thus inform you, as his silence would imply the work would be performed, while it cannot be in the absence of an appropriation." Referred to Committee on Streets.

A communication was received from the Mayor appointing Walter L. Jackson and William C. Hart as weighers. Confirmed.

HOSE HOUSE.

The Mayor sent a communication requesting authority to sell the old hose house at Houghs Neck. Laid on table until later, when Councilman Sawyer offered the necessary order.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Board of Health requesting an appropriation of $700 for contagious diseases, and $300 for the purchase of a horse for collection of garbage. Laid on the table until later, when Councilman Polk offered the necessary orders.

PETITIONS.

The New England Telephone Company petitioned for a location for poles on Bennington street, and for attachment of its fixtures and wires to poles on Bennington street.

Joss Bros. Co. petitioned for permission to run a compressed air pipe across Garfield street. Referred to the Executive department.

The Q. E. L. & P. Co. petitioned for a location for poles on Goddard street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

EXPRESS PETITIONS

These additional petitions were received for permits to transport liquors: David J. Evans, Nazzareno Di Panfilo, John J. Mahoney, John Cislaghi, Boston & Houghs Neck Steamboat Co., Tony Patt, Patrick Cain, W. B. Gerry.

Several petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

PUBLIC HEARINGS.

A public hearing was held on the petition of the Telephone Co., for attachments. No one appeared for or against and the hearing closed and the order was recommitted.

A public hearing was held on the petition of the Electric Light Co., for a location for three poles an Bigelow street. No one appeared for or against. The hearing closed and the order was recommitted.

CEMETERY HEARING.

A public hearing was held on the petition of the Commonwealth Cemetery Corporation for permission to locate a cemetery in Quincy.

Christopher P. McCaffrey, president of the corporation, spoke in favor. He said it was proposed to take land situated off Squantum street. The land was not being used for any purpose. It was a beautiful spot but isolated. His company intended to make it one of the most beautiful spots in the city. While some think a cemetery detrimental to a residential section the facts do not bear it out. Some of the large cemeteries are surrounded by beautiful residences.

Mr. McCaffrey was asked a number of questions in reply to which he said the company expected to obtain about sixty acres. It was the most available place to be obtained. It would not be an unhealthy spot. It was not wholly for Boston people but for Quincy people. The stock of the company could be purchased by Quincy people. He would be glad to have it all purchased here. No stock had been sold as yet. The company had bonded about sixty acres and may have one hundred acres. He could not tell the price of lots as yet.

He had no difficulty in securing the land. The people understood thoroughly what it was to be used for. Administration buildings would be erected and a large and handsome gateway.

No one else appeared in favor.

REMONSTRANTS.

Councilman Moir moved that not over six remonstrants be heard.

Councilman Nichols objected as this was a duly advertised public hearing.

Motion lost by emphatic vote.

Ex-Councilman Walter S. Pinkham opposed at length. He said he represented the Wollaston Land Company, the Ten Associates, and the Wollaston Golf Company, which together paid taxes on $100,000 to $150,000 worth of property. All are absolutely opposed to petition for a cemetery.

The land to be taken has a value. The city would lose in taxable property as the cemetery would not be taxable. Cemetery would not benefit Quincy, but would depreciate neighboring land, and prevent development. A great many are here this evening in opposition. It was a land scheme and a stock scheme. Cemetery was not wanted.

Councilman Moir asked about the location of land which he represented. Mr. Pinkham said it adjoined. The property of the Wollaston Land Co. was assessed at $80,000 to $90,000, and there were good house lots at Bellevue and on the estate owned by the Ten Associates. Were no other large owners.

Ex-Councilman J. E. Poland said he should lose heart if cemetery was allowed to locate nearby. The proposed location was the most beautiful spot in the neighborhood and naturally would be built up some day. Hoped growth of neighborhood would not be retarded by cemetery. I have during the last 15 years built about 50 houses. It was not a fact that cemeteries caused attractive neighborhoods to grow, and cited Forest Hill, Mt. Hope and Calvary cemeteries. [Applause.

Ex-Councilman N. G. Nickerson said he had built 70 houses in Wollaston and was largely interested in Montclair, where he had sold 300 lots. He opposed cemetery. [Applause.

Ex-Councilman Charles R. Sherman thought Boston had imposed on Quincy too much now with sewer outlets, without bringing their dead here. He represented considerable property at Wollaston and was opposed to the cemetery. It would be many years before it would be a thing of beauty. Could get signatures of 900 voters in Ward Five in opposition. [Applause.

Felix Favorite said he had built 12 houses in the neighborhood which paid the city $500 per year in taxes. He was opposed to a cemetery. It was a beautiful spot, and should be reserved for houses.

Councilman Nichols moved that if any specially desired to speak that they be heard, as it did not seem necessary for all to speak. He hoped then that all present in opposition would be asked to stand.

Henry L. Kincaide president of the Citizens Association, said the directors had voted unanimously against petition. He opposed it vigorously. There was no special call for it in Quincy. Petition came from outside. The city grants too many privileges without any return.

President Piper then asked those in opposition to the petition to stand, and practically all of the 200 to 300 present stood.

Councilman Nichols said these were only a few of the remonstrants. He moved that hearing be closed and petitioners be given leave to withdraw.

Councilman Moir objected to hasty action.

Councilman Stone and Councilman Hull favored the motion, which prevailed by an emphatic vote.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets reported an order for $500 for catch basins on Highland avenue, between Brook street and Elmwood avenue. To Finance Committee.

The Committee on Streets reported an order granting the Electric Light Co. a location for five poles on Edison park. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Licenses reported an order granting a number of minor licenses. Adopted.

The Committee on Licenses reported leave to withdraw on a number of applications for minor licenses. Accepted.

EXPRESS LICENSES.

The Committee on Licenses reported on order granting permits to transport liquor to the following parties:—Austin & Winslow, Gallagher Ex. Co., Nicholas T. Murphy, Abbott & Miller Ex. Co., New York & Boston Dispatch Ex. Co., Boynton & Russell Ex. Co., Robert Swanson, Louis Bizzozero, Bruce & Myatt Ex. Co., Carlo Monti, Luigi Romeri, Gerdman & LMja and H. H. Low. Adopted.

The Committee on Finance reported an amendment to the order for $2,500 for plumbing the Massachusetts Fields school, striking out the borrowing clause, and as so amended the order ought to pass. To Ordinance Committee.

The Committee on Finance reported ought to pass on the order for $275 for a fire alarm whistle and attachment at Quincy Point. To Ordinance Committee.

The Committee on Finance reported ought to pass on the order for $225 for paved gutters on Grand View avenue. To Ordinance Committee.

The Committee on Finance reported no legislation necessary on the order for the Mayor to petition the Legislature to revoke the charter of the Citizens Gas Light Co. Adopted.

The Committee on Streets reported leave to withdraw on the petition to accept Hill street. Accepted.

The Committee on Streets reported leave to withdraw on the petition to accept Everett street. Accepted.

The Committee on Streets reported leave to withdraw on the petition to extend Sea street to low water mark. Accepted.

The Committee on Streets reported ought to pass on the order appropriating $400, for a pipe drain and catch basin on Highland avenue. Referred to Finance Committee.

The Committee on Finance reported ought to pass on the order for $300 for bulkhead and sink at the Gridley Bryant school. To Ordinance Committee.

The Commiteee on Streets reported leave to withdraw on the petition for a concrete walk on Elm avenue. Accepted

The Committee on Finance reported a loan order for $4,300 to cover orders for Assessors' plans for Ward Four, plumbing Massachusetts Fields school, paved gutters on Grand View avenue, bulkhead at Gridley Bryant school, and automatic whistle at Quincy Point. Ordered to a second reading.

NEW SCHOOLHOUSE.

The Committee on Public Buildings reported an amended order for $63,400 for a school building at Atlantic. To Finance Committee.

EXPRESS COMMITTEE.

Councilman Ferguson moved a committee of five be appointed by the President to act with the Committee on Licenses to consider all applications for permits to transport liquors into the City of Quincy. The president appointed Councilmen Flaherty, Donovan, Hunter, Gilson and Beale.

Councilman Stone offered an order for an arc light at the City bath house. Referred to the Committee on Streets.

Councilman Hull offered an order for $700 for a gravel sidewalk on Elm avenue. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Upon motion of Councilman Moir the order relative to acceptance of Broadway, Ward Six, was taken from the table.

He then moved the order be recommitted. Lost. Vote donbted. Motion lost on verification, six voting in favor and seven against.

Councilman Moir moved reconsideration, and spoke at length. Lost.

The report of the Committee on Streets on the order, which was leave to withdraw, was accepted.

Councilman Polk offered an order for the state railway excise tax of 1905 amounting to $5,412.90 to be expended by the Commissioner for the purposes designated. To Finance Committee.

Councilman McGilvary offered an order for $200 to lower the outlet of Pickerts pond. To Finance Committee.

Councilman Ferguson offered an order granting licenses to keep and sell fireworks. Adopted.

Adjourned at 9.33 until July 2.

Returned from New York.

Lieut. McKay arrived back from New York Saturday evening having in custody Mrs. Mary A. Drake and Karl W. Sidelinger, who had been apprehended in New York at the request of the Quincy police, the former for kidnapping the latter.

There was a pathetic scene when the New York police separated them on Friday. The boy was sent to a children's institution and Mrs. Drake taken to the tombs. It was while at the tombs early Saturday morning that she had quite an experience caused by a fire in an adjoining building. The smoke from the burning building filled the tombs.

She readily consented to return to Quincy without the formalty of requisition papers. She was very quiet on the homeward trip and had little to say.

Upon arriving in Quincy Mrs. Drake and the boy were taken to the Greenleaf.

Mr. Sidelinger was notified and soon took his son home. The meeting between the two was very pathetic.

Officer Matthews and a trained nurse were placed on guard over Mrs. Drake.

Tuesday Mrs. Drake was examined by physicians after which she was taken to Taunton. The complaint against her for abduction was dismissed at the district court.

Brockton Canal.

Practical Politics does not enthuse much over the Brockton canal. It says in the current issue:

"The action of the house on Thursday in advancing the Brockton ship canal bill is without excuse. After the vote had been taken, it was explained by the men who had supported it that it was done out of compliment to Hancock of Brockton, who, during all the debate, sat smiling in his seat. In other words this is another of the courtesy acts which this strange house is always doing.

"Courtesy acts are well enough at the beginning of a session, albeit they are always a trifle dangerous, but when it comes to carrying them on in the closing days it is a different proposition. This is a bad measure no matter how it is viewed. Admitting that the original estimate of the harbor and land commissioners was conceived in haste, the point is that this bill is a dangerous one because the job which the promoters have taken on is wellnigh impossible, and it does seem as if the anxiety of the promoters was more about the stock and the bonds which they can issue than over the actual digging,

"Gov. Douglas never took this seriously during his term of office, and his business judgment certainly can be relied on in matters of this sort. A state charter means too much to people who do not understand state machinery. If granted, it will be simply an advertisement to the unwary which will be taken to mean that the state somehow or other is interested in this proposition, or that it stands back of it, and that is the bad feature of it all. The unfortunate part of the campaign against it, and this is said in all fairness, is that too many Cape Cod canal men spoke against it. The house thus traced out a relationship which should not weigh in the balance."

Junior Auxiliary Meeting.

The last regular monthly meeting of the Junior Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. was held at the home of Mabel E. Lovejoy, 53 Butler road, Friday afternoon, June 15th.

The devotional exercises were in charge of Miss Maud E. Read, followed with a solo by Miss Minnie R. Hardwick.

The election of officers for next year resulted as follows: President, Miss Mabel E. Lovejoy; vice president, Miss Esther W. Sidelinger; secretary, Miss Miriam A. Rhodes; treasurer, Miss Marion E. Johnson; historian, Miss Irene M. Bradbury; pianist, Miss Helen M. Lincoln and chairman of devotional committee, Miss Lillian W. Pratt.

Plans were made for a fair to be held in November. Mrs. E. W. Sheppard and Mrs. James E. Myers were present and congratulated the auxiliary on the success of the past year and heartily wished that the next year might be more successful.

At the close of the meeting refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served.

G. A. R. Entertained.

Forty-one members of Edward W. Kingsley Post, 103, G. A. R., of Boston were entertained at luncheon on Monday by Col. Edward W. Anderson. It was planned to have the lunch served on the lawn, but rain prevented, and it was served in the house.

The veterans came in a special car attached to the 12.27 outward train from Boston and returned on a special car attached to 3.43 inward train. Major Henry was toastmaster, and speeches were made by commander William H. Ruddick, Col. A. A. Pope, Col. Anderson, Rev. Fr. Bodfish of Canton, and others.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

John H. Dinegan to Edward Billings.
Heirs of Joseph H. Lord to Annie M. Kelley
Charles L. Eaton to Fred H. Roberts.
Fred H. Roberts to Harriet L. Howard.
Lucy A. Mitchell to Annie L. Deehan.
John P. Granahan to Charles E. White.
Ella M. Warden to Frederick Koehler.
Alanson H. Sherman to Orinna F. Hersom.
Orianna F. Hersom to Lizzie B. Nelson.
Arthur A. Tripp to James H. Jenkins.
U. S. Translucent Co. to Wire Fabric Co.
William H. Burnham to Margaret T. Kelleher.
Annie L. P Barry to Helen L. Mallory.
Charles F. Bates Manufacturing Co. to George A. Richards.
Louis M. Clark, et. al., trs. to Alphonsine Saltalamachia.
Harlow H. Rogers to Theophilus King.
Nathan Specter to Gertie Katz
Willard Welsh to Addison C. Burnham.
William H. Pierce to George T. Randall.
Ann Holden, tr., to George T. Randall.
Thomas R. Linton to Edward Goodey.
Joseph B. Mehaffey, by administrator, to Hattie H. Wagner.
John D. or P. Nutting to Arthur L. Thomas.
Arthur L. Thomas to Anna P. Nutting.
Thomas Swithin to Lizzie C. Arnold.

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New Books

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Boissier, Gaston. Cicero and his friends: a study of Roman society in the time of Cæsar.	431.35
Boldrewood, Rolf, *pseud.* Last chance: tale of the golden West.	325.35
Bowne, B. P. Immanence of God.	542.80
Cambridge modern history. Planned by Lord Acton. Edited by A. W. Ward [and others]. Vol. 9.	357.38
Champney, Elizabeth W. Romance of the French abbeys.	123.65
Curtis, W. E. Egypt, Burma, and British Malaysia.	141.39
Eyot, Canning, editor. Story of the Lopez family: a page from the history of the war in the Philippines.	408.12
Forbes, J. T. Socrates. [World's epoch-makers].	552-96
Fraser, W. A. Sa'-zada tales.	287.71
Garland, J. A. Private stable.	468.1
Glasfurd, A. I. R. Rifle and romance in the Indian jungle.	503.127
Hamilton, W. T. My sixty years on the plains: trapping, trading, and Indian fighting.	414 59
Hardy, E. J. What men like in women.	543.91
Herring Frances E. In the pathless West with soldiers, pioneers, miners, and savages.	152.70
Howe, Maud. Two in Italy.	122.60
Institution of naval architects, London. Transactions. [1905.] Vol. 47. Part 1, 2. 2v.	477 70,71
Jordan, D. S. Philosophy of despair.	552.97
King, W. J. Harding. Search for the masked Tawareks Nomad tribes of the Sahara.	111.36
Le Gallienne, Richard. Old love stories retold.	455.60
Long, W. J. Northern trails.	503.107
Maartens, Maarten, *pseud.* Healers.	238.70
Naylor, J. B. Kentuckian: tale of Ohio life in the early sixties.	254.61
Parish, Randall. Sword of the old frontier: tale of Port Chartres and Detroit.	256.110
Pergande, Frank. Manual of examinations for government positions.	80.57
Phillips, D. G. Social secretary.	238.63
Pier, A. S. Ancient grudge.	256.106
Pollok, Colonel, *and* Thom, W. S. Wild sports of Burma and Assam.	503.126
Ringwalt, R. C. Briefs on public questions.	77.51
Roberts, C. G. D. Red Fox.	503.108
Roosevelt, Theodore. Outdoor pastimes of an American hunter.	503.128
Schiller, F. C. S. Riddles of the sphinx: a study in the philosophy of evolution.	552.80
Schillings, C. G. Flashlights in the jungle: hunting adventures and studies in equatorial East Africa	115.8
Seton, E. T. Woodmyth and fable.	100.37
Shaw, Bernard. Man and superman: a comedy and philosophy. Plays, pleasant and unpleasant. Three plays for the puritans	516.60 516.61 516.64
Sinclair, Upton. Jungle.	232.40
Thorpe, F. N. Divining rod: story of the oil regions.	212.43
Twain, Mark, *pseud.*, compiler. Library of humor: women and things.	105.61
Ward, A. B., *pseud.* Sage brush parson.	254.62
Ware, F. M. First-hand bits of stable lore.	466.33
Whitney, C. W. Jungle trails and jungle people.	112.55
Wister, Owen. Lady Baltimore	256.102

Quincy Yacht Club.

Another interesting race of the cat boats of the Quincy Yacht club was held off the club house at Houghs Neck on Saturday afternoon. The wind was light from the southeast at the start, but shifted to the south before the race was over. The usual course was sailed giving the boats two reaches and a run, the change of wind preventing any windward work.

The Arrowack finished first with a lead of two minutes over the Iris, actual time, and the corrected time did not change their relative positions. The judges were G. S. Morse, J. B. Walker, Thomas E. Furnald and John J. Deasy.

The summary:

Name and owner	Elapsed time. H. M. S.	Corrected time. M. S.
Arrowack, H. C. Nickerson,	1 13 50	51 11
Iris, F. F. Crane,	1 16 05	54 19
Marvel, L. M. Whittemore,	1 18 40	55 26
Hustler, H. W. Robbins,	1 19 35	55 48
Josephine, F. H. Smith,	1 19 03	56 12
Moondyne, Shaw Bros.,	1 21 05	not meas'd

Closed With a Victory.

The Quincy High base ball team closed its season June 15th with a victory, defeating the strong Roxbury High boys 12 to 1. The visitors did not score until the last inning and made only four safe hits in the game.

Loud and McClure led at the bat for the Quincys with three singles, while Elcock hit for three bags and Nichols for two bases.

Michaels struck out 8 and allowed no bases on balls. The Quincys also excelled in the field.

The full score:

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Q. H. S.,	1	0	4	2	1	1	0	3	–	12
R. H. S.,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	– 1

Two-base hits—Nichols. Three-base hits—Elcock. Sacrifice hits—Larkin, 1; Conklin, 1. Double plays—Williams to Larkin. Struck out—By Michaels, 8; by McCarthy, 7. Base on balls—By McCarthy, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Elcock, 1. Umpire—Dunn. Time—1 hour, 40 minutes.

Household Receipts.

Biscuit. One pint of flour, two teaspoonfuls baking powder, one-half teaspoonful salt, one tablespoonful shortening, rubbed into the flour, two-thirds cup milk or water, mix as soft as can be handled, roll, cut and bake.

Stuffed Eggs. Take hard-boiled eggs; shell them and cut in half; take out the yolks and mix with bread crumbs soaked in milk, adding chopped capers and minced sardines, a little oil, vinegar, pepper and salt; fill the whites with the mixture.

Frozen Pudding. One quart milk, one heaped tablespoonful arrowroot, two cups sugar, one-half level teaspoonful salt, 3 cups cream, four eggs, whites, one tablespoonful vanilla, one-half pound French fruit, two ounces pistachio nuts. Color and flavor to taste.

Snow Pyramids. Beat to a stiff froth the whites of half a dozen eggs, add a small teacupful of currant jelly, and whip all together again. Fill as many saucers half full of cream as you have guests, dropping in the centre of each saucer a tablespoonful of the beaten eggs and jelly in the shape of a pyramid. A very pretty as well as a very appetizing dish.

Clam Soup. Boil a quart of clams in their own liquor until they are tender, then chop them fine and return them to the broth. Stir together till smooth two tablespoonfuls of butter and a little less than that quantity of flour and use them to thicken the soup. Add very carefully a pint of milk, stirring to avoid curdling, and put in two tablespoonfuls of butter with salt and pepper to taste after the soup has been removed from the fire.

Anecdotes.

"What was the trouble?"

"He couldn't swim."

"What has that to do with his failure?"

"He got into a company where the stock was all water."—Automobile.

"Do you know, Horatio, that every boy hez a chance ter be de president of de United States?"

Horatio—"Well, I'll sell my chance for 10 cents."

"Papa fell over my express wagon this morning," said Willie; "my, it was funny—I laughed till I cried."

"Did you?" said Tommy.

"Yes," replied Willie; "papa caught me laughin'."—Philadelphia Record.

Gritty George—"Lady, I hear dat yer cuckoo-clock is out of order."

The Lady—"What of that?"

Gritty George—"Well, I just want to say dat I'll sit around an' do de cuckoo-in' every hour for me board an' lodgin'. I'm always willing to work.

Casey—"Av all the close fishted ould misers that iver Oi see Dolan's the worst."

Cassidy—"Oh, 'tis the family trait wid him."

Casey—"The family trait? Nonsense! Shure, he'd niver trait wan man, let alone a family."—Philadelphia Press.

SUMMER AMUSEMENTS.

Paragon Park.

Greater Paragon Park is open and notwithstanding the unpleasant weather of its first three days the attendance was very large which is the best evidence of the strong hold of this resort on the public of Greater Boston. Everywhere are heard words of astonishment over the vast improvements that have been made over last season. There are a number of big new attractions this season in addition to the many of last, and a person going to Paragon Park will miss a great deal if he does not see the trained wild animal show as given in the Bostock Arena. "Hades to Paradise" is another of the big attractions of this second season. The Children's Circus with its exhibition of ponies, dogs, roosters, etc., is making a hit with the little folks; Lovers' Lane is a most original exhibition; Pike's Peak the longest and best scenic railway in New England.

Castle Square Theatre.

With "Carmen" as the attraction, the Castle Square Theatre begins on Monday the fourth week of the summer opera season. The return of the singers to their old home has been a success from the very first, and there has scarcely a performance when the theatre has not been crowded to the doors, with no vacant seats, and the standing room completely filled. The singing has been of the best, and no detail has been neglected to make the production of "The Mikado," "Il Trovatore" and "The Chimes of Normandy" as perfect as possible in every way.

The cast will include Miss Albright as Carmen, George Tallman as Don Jose, and Harry Luckstone as Escamillo.

—There is something almost pathetic in the small part which that famous Tucker petition played in the final disposition of that sad case. Gathered from all over the state at an expense of time and money, a matter of hope and inspiration at all times to those who were working for the commutation, it arrived at the state house only to be shunted away unseen. It did not have the slightest influence in the affair. All this is perhaps as it should be, but considering the time and energy devoted to it, it seemed an ignominious ending for something on which so much hope had been pinned.—Practical Politics.



FATHER AND SON

Mother and daughter, old and young often need a good, reliable family tonic remedy. Complaints of stomach, liver and bowels —especially constipation—are common in every home at this time of the year.

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Deposit Notes - - - -	67,581.17
Available Assets - - - -	1,134,960.24
Total Liabilities - - - -	338,543.29
Cash Surplus - - - -	168,86.58
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - - -	7,408.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	163,055.43
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Is Independence Day, sir,
But really I am certain that there must be some mistake;
For people say, "Be quiet!"
And, I won't have such riot!"
At every teeny-weeny noise that I may chance to make.

Why, when my gun exploded,
(I thought it wasn't loaded).
My mother said, "You naughty boy, now stop that fearful noise!"
And then our cannon-crackers
(And my! but they were whackers!)
Made grandma say, "Oh, mercy me! you mustn't do that, boys!"

"You're much too young to handle
A bomb or Roman candle,"
They always say when I get near to where the fireworks are;
And for a little rocket
I put in Bobby's pocket
My father just now set me down inside the "family jar."

The caution and the warning
Begin at early morning:
It's "Don't do this!" and "Don't do that!" and so, unless I may
Choose my own celebration
For the birthday of our nation,
I don't see why I ought to call it Independence Day!

—ST. NICHOLAS.

Miscellany.

Testing Prudence

.....By M. J. PHILLIPS

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Berkeley Marshall leaned luxuriously back in the shady chair, hoisted his feet to the bed and blew a ring of smoke ceilingward from his cigar. "To recapitulate," he began, directing his remarks to the calendar which hung on the wall and from which stared back at him the face of a supposedly beautiful young woman with a fixed and sugary smile, "your left ear is confoundedly out of drawing. I beg your pardon, I'm not an artist. I'm a civil engineer—or will be next June. And that isn't what I started out to remark.

"To recapitulate, I have peddled maps over three states, and the net profits of these adventures are $531.62. I have a steady job during the college year waiting on table at three per and found. Furthermore, I have a dress suit and clothes and ties and things. Further yet, I have an invitation from my cousin, Torrence Marshall, to spend a week with him at Sylvan Cove, the swellest resort on this little old ocean. It is now Saturday night, Sept. 15, and college opens up the 25th.

"The question seems to be shall I go on peddling maps and accumulating more filthy lucre, which I may possibly need; shall I go home, which is 300 miles away; to college, which is 450, or to Sylvan Cove, which is under a hundred and where pretty young women, it is presumed, abound?"

In due parliamentary form the Sylvan Cove question was put and carried unanimously, whereupon the boy—he was little more—bowed gravely to the calendar lady and thanked her for her kindness in voting with him. Then he ran down the stairs of the country hotel to consult the time table, for he was in a hurry to be off.

Marshall found Sylvan Cove in the elaborate simplicity stage of summer resort development. Everything was costly, but very plain, for the Cove was inhabited each season mainly by wealthy people who had become accustomed to their money.

On the first day of his stay Marshall naïvely confided to his cousin that he believed Prudence Fairchild to be the prettiest girl at the Cove, whereupon Torrence grinned and replied, "Stung, are you?" On the second day he learned that she could swim like a seal and golf like a Scot. That evening, by virtue of four dances which she generously gave him at the pavilion party, his stock of knowledge was augmented by the fact that Miss Prudence danced like a fairy.

His approval of the tanned, red lipped and wholesome young woman deepened during a long sail the next morning, when he discovered that her taste in books and tennis rackets was identical with his own. When Torrence informed him later, however, that her father, Rufus Fairchild, was credited with more millions than there were letters to his name the young man experienced a novel and entirely unpleasant sinking of the heart.

His own financial situation did not trouble Marshall—in fact, he found humor in his poverty. Marshall's father had been rich until an industrial flurry had left him broken and penniless. Berkeley himself, a natural engineer and in love with the profession he had chosen, felt the prescient stir of genius within him, vague but real. His teachers predicted great things of him, and with the knowledge of his own powers and his burning desire to achieve, fame and wealth were merely around the next corner.

Yet the fact of Miss Fairchild's wealth depressed him. "I've almost monopolized her since I've been here," he told himself, "and she'll think it's the blooming money. I suppose half this bunch that's hanging around her would marry a Digger Indian for the old man's pile. I wish she were poor!" The latter aggrieved and sincere remark revealed to Marshall that he was dangerously near being in love.

A certain sensitive pride, for he had a morbid fear that his attitude might be misconstrued, kept Marshall out of the girl's presence most of the time thereafter. Maybe she understood, for the possession of much money often brings a woman bitter wisdom; maybe it was a feminine desire to repay him for his aloofness; at any rate, Miss Fairchild contrived to give Marshall a glance at parting, as he held her cool little hand, that thrilled his every pulse. It was like the song of a nightingale or the scent of June roses. And the memory moved him again and again that winter as he built theoretical bridges in the class room or delivered vegetable soup in the hotel dining room.

Now, a look such as that from a girl who is not a flirt dwells in her memory too. Miss Fairchild's cheeks were hot sometimes when she thought of it and of the answering glance of bewildered joy that flashed from Marshall's blue eyes. "He might take advantage of it," she said to herself in brief, delicious panic when the invitation of a chum, Nell Burrows, to come for the January hop of the seniors at Marshall's college reached her. But she went nevertheless.

The assurance with which he consorted five of the dances on her card at the ball showed that Marshall remembered. They sat out two, which was delightful, but dangerous. There was little said, and the silence between them was intimate and significant.

Removed from the glamour of the lights and the music, from the half shielded promise of her eyes and the intoxication of her beauty, Marshall was not satisfied. "If she were only poor!" he repeated to himself. "How can she know that it's she I want and not the money? Suppose that she thinks I'm a fortune hunter? And if the money makes any difference with her, then she doesn't care for me. I wish I knew. If you only could give me a sign, sweetheart, that you had faith in my love"—

It was lunchtime, and Marshall was at his accustomed table in the hotel. His musings were broken by the opening of the door. Miss Fairchild and Miss Burrows came in. They were accompanied by Bronson and Carrick, wealthy frat men of his own class.

Out of the corner of his eye Marshall saw Miss Fairchild start a trifle when she recognized him. When the party had been seated two tables away by young Condon, another student waiter, the girl's back was toward him. He had given her no opportunity for a greeting.

For it had flashed over the young man that the sign, either of favor or of contempt for his poverty and his menial occupation, must be given. The girl would show whether her nature were gold or dross. If she were ashamed of him, if she left the room without a word, he resolved to tear the love he felt from his heart and trample it under foot.

Marshall never knew what he did before the crucial time came, the moment of the party's rising from the table after lunch, but no detail of what followed escaped him. He saw the amused lift of Bronson's eyebrows, the scowl on Carrick's forehead and Miss Burrows' undisguised interest as Prudence Fairchild, eyes softly shining, came back to where he stood.

"If the mountain will not go to Mohammed," she said smilingly, "then of course Mohammed must come to the mountain. And I mean to quarrel with you some time for turning your back when I came in. But I shan't scold now; I'm leaving for home tomorrow, and I wondered if I'll see you again."

"I will call tonight to say goodby," he replied eagerly, "and I have something important to say, if I may see you alone. I think I've been waiting all my life to say it."

Her glance thrilled him as it had that September day at the seashore.

"You may see me alone," she whispered.

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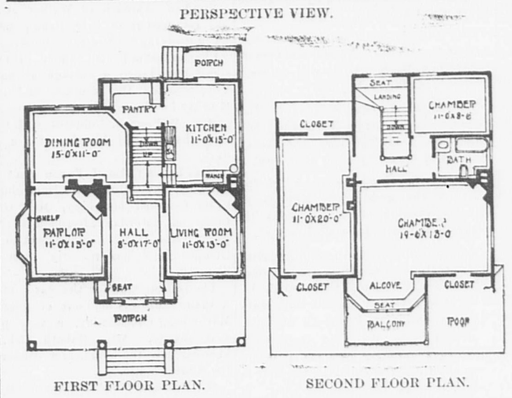
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The apparatus is in the shape of a box. In front of it are several dials, looking very much like the dials of a gas meter, these showing units, tens, hundreds and thousands. Underneath the dials are six push-buttons, each bearing a figure corresponding to the value of the German postage stamps now in use, that is 3, 10, 20, 25 and 50 pfennings. The letters to be stamped are slipped in a long, narrow slot. Upon each letter put in this slot there fall a steel die representing a symbol, such as the arms of Germany, with the inscription, "Deutsche Reichpost," and an unchangeable number, the latter being a number of the machine, and that which, transmitted upon the letter, tells the postal clerk who has sent it out, and on whose account it should go. There is also a stamp giving the date and the hour, controlled by clock-work, which is only accessible to the postal clerk, who comes weekly to inspect the machine.

The six push-buttons control a wheel containing dies for the various values. A letter to be stamped is pushed within the slot, and a pressure of one of the push-buttons marks the envelope with the amount of postage which will be required, at the same time imprinting the symbol and the hour, all with indelible ink. The apparatus is so finely adjusted that letter after letter may be pushed in and rapidly marked at a rate of speed that could not be reached except by a small force of clerks using the ordinary stamp.

Automatically the machine registers the entire amount of postage used by a firm, and the clerk inspecting it once a month can thus readily check off the accounts of the post-office. The system is being looked upon with much interest in Germany, and has meet with much approbation. It is known as the "postage adder," and the postal authorities see in it a great simplification of their duties.—New York World.

Not Her Idea of Rest.

"I need a rest," she said. "I have been working myself to death getting the children ready for the summer, and I must get away from the city for at least two months."

"I know just the spot," he replied, "a quiet place where only a few people go, and there is no excitement. For a real good rest it is—" But at this point she interrupted him.

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The New York city treasury is occasionally enriched to the extent of $25 or $50 from some contributor whose remittance comes under the head of "conscience," but outside of the Sailors' Snug Harbor fund, established many years ago by Capt. Randall for indigent seamen, this metropolis has few available "funds." Boston is more fortunate. It has more than $1,000,000 capital invested in "funds" held in trust by the municipality by public spirited residents of Boston. The chief of these is the Benjamin Franklin fund, left by the patriotic sage to "the inhabitants of the town of Boston in Massachusetts" for loans at 5 per cent. interest, to such young married artificers under the age of twenty-five as have faithfully fulfilled the duties required in their indentures and whose good moral character is vouched for by two respectable citizens." On Feb. 1 the Franklin fund amounted to $112,401. In 1991, a remote date, the fund will be divided "equally between the city of Boston and the State of Massachusetts."

Archibald Babcock left $5,000, the interest on which is to be used in "procuring the services of musicians to play on or near the small common or neck at the corner of Main and Cambridge streets." Jonas Ball left $1,000 "for the purchase of clothing for indigent persons leaving hospitals." Martha Howard Thurston Carter gave $2,000 for the purchase of books. David W. Cheever bequeathed $5,000 for the purchase of pocket cases for surgeons; Silas Durkee, $15,000 for hospital supplies; Daniel Sharpe Ford, $6,000 for a similar purpose, and Elisha Goodnow, $26,000.

Mary Perkins left $7,500 for artificial limbs and surgical appliances for the needy of Boston; Marie Louise Shaw, $2,000 for the purchase of flowers and fruit; Anna White Vose, $100,000 for hospital purposes; Jacob Vose, $2,000 for ringing the bells, firing salutes, music and decorating the streets" on the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill; he also left $2,000 for the purchase of flags; George H. Hyde, $14,000 for a statue to Rufus Choate; John Foster, $30,000 for a monument to the Rev. Wm. E. Channing; Ellen C. Johnson, $28,000 for a drinking fountain. John Boylston left $30,000 for the relief of Bostonians of good character "reduced by the act of Providence, not by indolence, extravagance or other vice." He also left $150,000 for the "nurture and instruction of poor orphans under the age of fourteen." Lucy Bullman left $28,000 for the poor, and Elisha Goodnow, in addition to his other bequest, $8,500 to the poor "without reference to religious faith or belief."

James Holton left $5,000 "for furnishing good and plentiful meals to the Protestant paupers of Boston" on holidays; Moses Hunt, $11,000 for the relief and welfare of "Protestant destitute residents of Boston"; David Jeffries, $8,500 for "the purchase of tea and coffee, chocolate and sugar for the refreshment of those persons who, in the providence of God, seek refuge in the Boston almhouse."

Jonathan Mason left a fund of $9,000 for the poor of Boston, and Benjamin Pemberton, $147,000 for the same purpose. Caleb Pierce left $1,000 for "fuel for indigent widows;" David Sears, $345,000 for the poor; Rachel T. Stevens, $5,000 for the support of "poor worthy Protestant single women of Boston who have arrived at the age of fifty;" William Stoughton, $3,800 for the poor of Boston, and Nathaniel Frederic Thayer, $25,000 for the use of "Protestant widows and single women without distinction of color, preference to be given to those who have seen better days."

These funds, the income only of which is applied to the purpose named by the early Boston benefactors, are administered by the city of Boston. No other city of the country has an assortment of "funds" comparable either in variety of intent or in amount and practical advantage to the beneficiaries. —New York Sun.

Her First Railroad Ride.

An old lady from Beaver County took her first railroad trip last week. She noticed the bell cord overhead, and, turning to a boy, she said: "Sonney, what's that for?" "That, marm," he said, with a mischievous twinkle in his eye, "is to ring the bell when you want something to eat." Shortly afterwards the old lady reached her umbrella up to the cord and gave it a vigorous pull. The whistle sounded, the brakes were pulled on, the train began to slacken its speed, windows were thrown up, questions asked, and confusion reigned among the passengers. The old lady sat calmly through it all, little dreaming that she was the cause of the excitement. Presently the conductor came running through the train and asked: "Who pulled the bell?" "I did," replied the old lady, meekly. "What do you want?" asked the conductor, impatiently. "Well," said the old lady, meditatively, "you may bring me some ham sandwiches and a cup of tea, if you please."—Kansas City Journal.

A Visible Object.

A testy old gentleman forced to lay over an hour in Dull Town was cursing his fate, when a mild-mannered citizen strolled into the station and essayed conversation. Taking the many labels on the visitor's bag as a leader, he said,

"You've travelled about quite a bit?"

"Yes."

"Ever see a' Injun?"

"Many a one."

"Ever seen a Chinee?"

"Thousands of them."

"Ever seen a Jap?"

"Yes."

"Ever seen a Jew?"

"Yes."

"Ever seen a——"

The testy old gentleman could stand it no longer, and rising to his full height, shouted in stentorian tones, "Did you ever see a fool?"

The mild-mannered citizen let his mild blue eyes rest on the irate traveller a moment, then in a sweet, low voice replied,—

"Yes, I hev."—Lippincott's.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, D. C., June 23, 1906.

In the closing days of the session it is hard to tell what will happen. But it is a safe guess to say that the Pure Food Bill will be defeated. The forces opposed to it are made up of food manufacturers all over the country and the owners of patent medicines of various sorts all grouped under the standard of the Proprietary Association. They have all made a dead set at the Pure Food Bill and the chances are that they will succeed in killing it.

But there was a powerful object lesson on the subject offered by Mr. Mann of Illinois in the House this week. Mr. Mann had a table placed near his desk and spread out upon it were the greatest assortment of prepared foods imaginable. They were all furnished by the Agricultural Department, Dr. Wiley, the chief chemist being an ardent champion of the Pure Food Bill and being cordially hated by all the purveyors of adulterated foods and medicines in the country. Mr. Mann's assortment included various drugs and proprietary medicines, notably opium cures containing enough opium to establish the habit in a healthy individual. Beside this there were samples of coffee made of parched wheat and saw dust sold as "Old Government Java" and "Pure Mocha." There were Marischino cherries, picked green and dyed so as to be both firm and the right color. There were pepper corns made of corn meal and lamp black, the finest olive oil made from cotton seed, and short-weight cans and packages of all sorts purporting to be the real thing but all of them several ounces shy of their supposed weight.

The President has expressed a great deal of pleasure over the decision of Congress in favor of the lock level canal. The chances are that it will not make much practical difference whether the canal is at sea level or some other level so long as the question of type is settled. That has been the main thing delaying the work, at least according to the members of the commission and those interested in the War Department.

The question of labor is still unsolved and probably will be experimented with for some years to come. The commission has been trying Spanish laborers from Cuba and while they are paid twice as much as Jamaica negroes, they are more than twice as efficient, so there is economy in their employment. There are now about 20,000 men on the pay roll of whom fully 15,000 are at work, and if the negro laborers are more largely employed than the Spaniards the force at its maximum will reach 30,000. But if the Spaniards are employed, it will probably never get quite that high.

Late this week the Interstate Commerce Commission held what probably will be its last hearing of the season on the investigation of the coal and oil carrying roads under the Tillman-Gillespie resolution. They had before them for the last witness a Mr. James Gardner, consulting coal expert of the Erie railroad. Mr. Gardner has acted in the same capacity to several of the most important railroads of the country so that his remarks were worth listening to. He made a rather strong point for the railroad ownership of coal lands, saying that it was imperative for the roads to own their own coal mines to insure them a steady supply of fuel at the lowest possible cost. He said that the Erie Road owned four such companies, supplying at least half of all the coal they used, that the ownership of the mines was perfectly legitimate and justifiable and he had advised them to buy more mines as their needs increased.

Adams.

The Mysteries of Knowledge.

A Bostonian was praising the other day the astronomical work of Percival Lowell.

"Before the last total eclipse of the sun," he said, smiling, "Mr. Lowell observed to an old colored man whom he liked:

"'George, if you'll watch the chickens out at your place tomorrow morning about eleven o'clock, you'll see them go to roost.'

"'Hi, hi!' George laughed. 'Hi, hi! Dat's a good joke.'

"He thought, you see, that Mr. Lowell was fooling him. But when at about eleven o'clock the next morning the sun darkened and the chickens did go to roost, George was amazed and somewhat horrified. He sought Mr. Lowell out and said;

"'Wot you done tole me wuz true, sah. Mah chickens went to roost, sah, jist laik you said dey would.'

"'Yes, George, I suppose they did," the astronomer returned.

"'How long, sah, did you know 'bout dis?' said George.

"'Oh, a long time.'

"'Did you know dey would go to roost a year ago?'

"'Yes; fully a year ago.'

"'Well, dat beats all,' said George, in an awed voice. 'Dem chickens wuzn't hatched a year ago.'"—N. Y. Tribune.

Not Pretty But Smart.

Two Germantown women were recently calling on a new neighbor, and while awaiting her appearance a little girl came into the room, evidently bent upon the rescue of a doll recently abandoned there. Naturally she was viewed with some curiosity, and one of the callers, secure in the child's obviously tender age, spelled a low voiced comment:

"Not very p-r-e-t-t-y."

To her horror, the small maiden paused on the threshold and, fixing a contemptuous eye upon the culprit, remarked, with lofty composure:

"No, not very p-r-e-t-t-y, but rather s-m-a-r-t!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Butterfly Migration.

One of the most beautiful sights in the world is the annual migration of butterflies across the Isthmus of Panama. Toward the end of June a few scattered specimens are discovered flitting out to sea, and as the days go by the number increases, until about July 14 or 15 the sky is occasionally almost obscured by myriads of these frail insects.—Boys of our empire.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 1906.

Canal Bill Signed.

Gov. Guild signed on Friday the New York, Brockton and Boston canal bill which incorporates a company to operate a canal from tide water at Taunton to tide water in the Fore river in Quincy.

Enlarging Gas Plant.

The Citizens' Gas Light Co. have commenced work erecting a new holder on their property on Brackett street of 500,000 cubic feet capacity. The new holder is being built on the site of the house adjoining the company's property, the house having been moved across the street. The old company had two holders each of which were of 42,000 cubic feet capacity.

It will be seen, therefor, that the new holder, which will be the distributor for the city, will be five times as large as the present holders.

Work laying the new mains is progressing rapidly. Connection has been made with the old company mains at Wollaston. The Boston gas has not been turned on however.

Things are therefore in condition so in case of any accident to the old plant the supply from Boston could be turned on immediately so that there would be no interruptions in the supply to consumers.

These matters give the best of evidence that Quincy has at last got an up-to-date and energetic gas company, who realize what the city needs and intend to give it at the earliest possible minute.

Insurance Advance.

The New England Insurance Exchange has this week defined three "conflagration districts" in Quincy where new insurance will be advanced 20 cents per $100. It does not apply to dwellings in the areas; except where specially rated. The areas are:

Area I.—Beginning at the junction of Goffe and Dimmock streets, southerly on Goffe to Granite, southerly in straight line across railroad track to School opposite Summer, easterly on School to Hancock, northerly on Hancock to Revere, northerly on Revere to Cottage, westerly and northerly on Cottage and Foster to Washington, westerly on Washington to Maple place, thence due north in a straight line to Faxon avenue, westerly on Faxon to Hancock, northerly on Hancock to Dimmock, westerly on Dimmock to Goffe at the point of beginning.

Area II (Wollaston.)—Beginning at the junction of Beale and Newport streets, northerly on Newport to Elmwood, westerly on Elmwood to Fayette, southerly on Fayette to Beale to Newport at the point of beginning.

Area III (Houghs Neck)—All risks at Hough's Neck are specifically rated.

The Exchange is the executive committee of the insurance companies doing business in New England, and since the conflagration in San Francisco has advanced rates in all thickly settled business sections in New England.

An Interesting Turtle.

There is on exhibition at the fish market of H. W. Titus, Wollaston, a turtle recently found by Ernest Mace of Hampton, N. H., which was first found in 1840 by some one who cut the date on its shell. It has since been caught by the following parties who have cut their initials and dates as follows:

J. W. D. (J. Warren Dow.) 1857.
Z. B. (Zacheus Brown.) 1866.
A. T. L. (A. T. Leavitt.) 1881.

It has been seen since by various parties in 1895, 1904, 1905 and again this year, and was sent to A. T. Leavitt, Wollaston, thinking he might be interested to see it as he cut his initials on it when a boy at Hampton, N. H. The turtle is undoubtedly over 100 years old. Mr. Leavitt will have a silver plate engraved with the date and attached and will then return the turtle to its native home.

Asks for Retirement.

Capt. William S. Moore, U. S. N., who has been head of the steam engineering department at Charlestown for more than a year, has received notification that his request for retirement, under the bill permitting retirement upon request after forty years' service, has been favorably acted upon by the retiring board and Secretary Bonaparte.

He has received orders detaching him from duty at Charlestown, June 30th, and directing him to report at his home for a further order, which will be the one placing him on the retired list.

Capt. Moore will make his home in Duxbury, in the house which was occupied by his father, the Rev. Josiah Moore, for over 50 years. He has been in the navy since 1866, entering as a third assistant engineer and in his forty years service has served around the world in many ships of the old navy and ashore at about every station.

In 1893 he became chief engineer and had charge of the steam engineering forces of various ships of the new navy when they were a mere novelty. He was chief engineer of the U. S. S. Columbia at Santiago, and also in the attack on and occupation of Porto Rico. He has been first assistant at the bureau at Washington and an instructor at Annapolis.

Capt. Moore has a brother, John G. Moore of Brookline, formerly of Quincy, two sisters in Quincy, Mrs. Howland wife of Charles A. Howland, president of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and Miss Emily H. Moore who makes her home with Mrs. Howland.

Plans for Nurses Home.

A special meeting of the Hospital trustees was held Monday to hear the report of the committee chosen to consider the building of a nurses home. The members present were Messrs. Adams, Burke, Chase, Dasha, Falconer, Faxon, Gordon, King, Newcomb, Nickerson, Pollard, F. B. Rice, Thompson, Waterhouse, Welch, Willard and Reed.

The committee had invited Mr. Taylor, of Kendall, Taylor & Stevens, architects, to exhibit plans of a plain but handsome brick building to cost about $12,000 and the trustees voted to ratify the action of the committee, and proceed to build according to the plans as soon as the finance committee report a feasible plan of raising the money.

The first annual picnic of the Junior department of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. was attended by some twenty-five boys at Houghton's Pond on Thursday. The party left Quincy Square on the East Milton car at 9.35 and arrived at the pond at 11.30. The party took a dip in the pond which was greatly enjoyed by all. The balance of the day was spent in the water and on shore. Lunch was enjoyed and the party returned home at 5.30 all in fine order.

CITY BRIEFS.

Cherries are ripe.

Miss Lucy M. Jillson is seriously ill at her home on Saville avenue.

Cady Loud of Wibird street, is enjoying his annual ten days' vacation.

The Y. M. C. A., juniors defeated the Cranch school nine on Saturday 5 to 4.

The W. H. Dobles of South street, leave today for their summer retreat on the Cape.

Mrs. A. B. Packard and Mrs. Walter M. Packard left Friday for Poland Springs.

Mrs. Emery L. Crane of Whitney road is at Christmas Cove, Maine, for the month of July.

Dr. and Mrs. Jeffery R. Brackett of Marlborough street, Boston, are at Dark Harbor, Maine, for the summer.

Mrs. F. E. Whitcher of Melville avenue, Dorchester, has gone to Tilton, N. H., for the summer.

The rooms of the School Committee will be closed after next week until the last of August.

Mrs. Woolaver of Granite street is entertaining her cousin from Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Beatrice Porterfield has moved from Granite street to 1522 Hancock street.

Officers Goodhue and Milford held up a number of automobiles on Sunday for exceeding the speed limit.

Ex-Commodore Adams of the Quincy Yacht Club had the challenger Auk out Tuesday for her first trial.

The street railway company is renewing a number of its poles on Hancock street that have become rotten.

Walter E. Loud of Washington street, Braintree, and family left Tuesday for their summer home in Maine.

Mark A. Gordon left last week for Biddeford, Maine, where he will be the guest of his brother for a few weeks.

Mrs. John O. Holden and Miss Ellen Fottler of Adams street, returned last week from an extended trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Johnson of Maple street are receiving congratulations another little daughter being added to the home circle, this week.

Miss Emma Hayden, a teacher in the public schools at West Hartland, Ct., has returned home for the summer vacation.

The total contribution of the Quincy school children to the new school building in San Francisco amounted to $126.20.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Rufus Bates of Weymouth Heights and Miss Edna A. Allen, daughter of Mr. Henry A. Allen of North Stoughton.

Miss Edna Wood has arrived home from Wellesley college and will spend the summer vacation with her parents on Upland Road.

Peter Turner launched his yacht the "Ben Bolt" on June 21st, and as soon as rigged will enjoy a short cruise upon the deep waters.

The residence of Mrs. R. R. Smith on Granite street has been made more attractive since it has been in the hands of the painters.

Miss Masie Hill and Miss Maud Dyer of Upland road have been guests of Grandpa Hill, at Long Island the past few days.

Miss Margery Melcher a student at Radcliffe and a Quincy High graduate, left last week to attend Silver Bay conference of students.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Holden nee Whicher, have been spending a week in Quincy, leaving on Thursday. They were guests at the Holden home and saw many of their friends while here.

Miss Florence Newcomb, who has been spending the past few days at her home on Newcomb street has returned to her school at North Adams which does not close until June 28.

Work has been commenced grading the grounds between Mt. Wollaston cemetery and Sea street. The gravel from the excavation for the gas holder on Brackett street is being used for that purpose.

Several improvements are being made around Christ church, the most conspicious being a granolithic walk from the church door to the sidewalk. This walk is laid by Mr. H. G. Crocker, being his gift to the church.

Mrs. Appleton, 82 years of age, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Pattee for several weeks, returned to her home in Arkansas last week.

A union of rockmen and excavators was organized at Wilson's hall Sunday, by Dominic D'Alessandra with Raffaelle Papielle as president. The new union starts off with 173 members.

During July and August there will be only one service each Sunday in Christ church, that will be morning prayer and sermon at 10.30 Rev. Frederick M. Brooks of Watertown will officiate during July and August.

Mrs. Harry Winslow and son Earle, left last week for Maine. After a ten days' visit Mrs. Winslow will return, leaving Earle with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Ellis for the summer vacation.

Among the Massachusetts patents granted this week reported by C. A. Snow & Co., patent attorneys, Washington D. C. is one Joseph S. Costa of Quincy for cutting or dressing tool for marble, stone, etc.

The Auk built for Charles Francis Adams, 2d, with which he will attempt to return to Quincy the Quincy Yacht club challenge cup, was launched at Lawley's on Saturday. She is 38 feet over all, 20 foot water line, and a draught of 5 feet. There was no formal ceremony at the launching.

F. A. Souther & Co., who are successful merchants at Braintree, will open an up-to-date department store in Quincy today in the Plumer building at 1601 Hancock street. Good goods at moderate prices will be their motto.

Mrs. Ellen S. Dike of Braintree has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Frances E. Dike, to Merton S. Emerson, M. I. T., '04, and instructor at Thayer Academy. Both young people are very well known and are recipients of most cordial congratulations.

Mrs. Herbert Lawton of Presidents hill entertained on Tuesday afternoon from three until six o'clock, in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Dunbar, nee Hobart. The spacious piazzas and lawn were invitingly cool although it was a warm summer afternoon.

There was a lively runaway in City Square on Saturday afternoon. The horse was a new one of John L. Miller, which became frightened near the fountain and started up Hancock street. When near Hancock hall he cleared himself of the buggy and continued on to his stable. The buggy and harness was badly smashed.

Miss Mary Marden is at Exeter, New Hampshire.

Miss Margaret Farrell is the guest of her sister at Portsmouth, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Curtis of Washington, D. C., are at Sagamore, Mass.

Miss Grace E. Drumm has gone to her home in Chathan, New York, for the summer.

The west side of Hancock street between Granite street and Cottage avenue is being resurfaced.

Mrs. Isabelle Davis and family o Spear street are in a cottage at Adams shore for a few weeks.

Several Quincy Knights Templar participated in the parade at Newport, R. I., on Monday.

Washington street in front of the Crane library needs a little attention as it is always muddy there.

S. H. Porter of South Braintree has leased The Greenleaf and will continue to give first class service.

The Assessors are busy working on the tax rate. It will be some weeks yet before the rate is announced.

Everyone is much pleased with Maple street it is a fine job and a great convenience to hundreds of people.

Mrs. E. C. Butler and Miss Harriet Johnson are registered at the New Point Breeze hotel, Nantucket, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Baxter and family of Newton are to spend the summer at Auburn Colony, South Harpswell, Maine.

Ground is staked out on Avon way, Presidents hill for the new house of Mr. George A. Sidelinger, who now resides on South street.

Mr. C. H. Johnson and Dr. A. H. Gilson attended the Grand Lodge of the Ancient Order United Workman at Boston Tuesday.

Mr. Thorpe Babcock left Monday for Kineo, Maine where he is to assist in in the Summer Hooper's camp for boys, as one of the Councilors.

Walter L. Mains circus combined with Cummin's Wild West will appear in Quincy on Monday July 9, at the River street grounds.

Miss Charlotte A. Kendall and Mr. Arthur F. Campbell, former teachers at the Quincy High school, will be married on Tuesday, July 10.

The physical examinations of the civil service applicants for the fire service were held Thursday and Friday evening by City Physician Hallowell.

Charles L. Homer was one of the ushers at the wedding at Melrose on Monday evening of Mr. Charles H. Stebbins and Miss Lilla M. Bradford.

There were four Quincy young ladies to graduate this year from the Bridgewater Normal school, Miss Edith H. Fox, Miss Bessie E. Roberts Miss Mary A. Geary and Miss Elizabeth W. Ross.

Mrs. Lois K. Wales of Coddington street has recently received a pretty souvenir from the Brockton hospital in recognition of her generous gifts. It is a little gold key with an enameled red cross.

W. C. Hopewell, state inspector of almshouses, paid an official visit of inspection to the Quincy Almshouse on Monday. His visit was unexpected but he found everything in apple pie order and was very much pleased at the condition in which he found the home.

The Universalist Sunday school picnic will be held at Revere Beach on Friday, July 6, starting from Quincy at nine A. M. The school will carry a basket lunch and invite their parents and friends to join with them on this trip. If the day is stormy it will be held the following Monday.

Teamsters are quick to see the advantages of the extension of Maple place with its short cut and also the hard smooth road and some pretty heavy teams are noticed going through. It is hoped the street will be kept watered and not allowed to become dusty and cut up by constant use.

The annual picnic of the First church Sunday school will be held next Monday at Randolph grove. Barges for the picnic leave the church at 9 o'clock. There will be basket lunch. Ice cream and cake will be served to the school. A fine program of sports has been arranged with prizes for the winners.

Mrs. J. Winslow Edgerly and children of New York City have been guests this week of Mrs. George W. Prescott, stopping over a few days enroute to New Hampshire, where they are to spend the summer. Mrs. Edgerly was at Wellesley for commencement week attending the tenth anniversary of her class.

Mrs. M. F. Converse of Sterling, Ohio, who was a delegate to the dedication of the new Christian Scientist church, and who has been the guest of her cousins John and Andrew Odom of this city, has returned to her home. It was her first visit east and she was delighted with Boston and Quincy, particularly Houghs Neck.

The entertainment committee of the Granite City club are planning to give the club members a good time "the night before the Fourth." As outlined the program includes a pleasing entertainment, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, and a humorist. Refreshments will be served during the entire evening.

Word comes from California of the marriage at Los Angeles on June 16th, of Mr. Richard W. Mast of Pomona, Cal., to Miss Mabelle S. Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall P. Wright of Adams street, this city. The bride went out to California a few years ago. The congratulations of her Quincy and East Milton friends follow her to her new home.

Andrew J. O'Brien, an Adams Academy graduate, was prominent in the prize list of Boston College last week. In the senior year, class of psychology and natural theology, the gold medal, gift of Coadjutor Archbishop William H. O'Connell, was awarded to him, also in the class of ethics, political economy and history of philosophy, the gold medal.

Among those from Quincy who were present Class Day as guests of Herbert Arnold at the Pi Beta Kappa spread at Harvard were:—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Curtis, Mrs. Annie T. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Beattie, Houghton Schumacher, Mrs. Arthur Curtis and Mrs. John Evans.

The twentieth anniversary of the St. Pauls Swedish Methodist church was celebrated Tuesday evening. There was a large gathering of the church people. Several addresses of a congratulatory nature were made by the pastor, Rev. F. L. Carlander, and visiting clergymen, including Presiding Elder Mr. Edgren. There was singing by the church choir interspersed with the addresses. The parishioners and guests then gathered about tables where a lunch was served and a jollification held.

Fourth of July next Wednesday.

Now work can be rushed on the new High school enlargement.

Abbott & Miller had their new auto express out Thursday for the first time.

The mornings have shortened three minutes, and the afternoons are at their longest.

F. A. Souther & Co. will present flowers to every purchaser on their opening day in Plumer block today.

F. F. Bugbee has recovered from the mumps and was in town Friday previous to his departure for Adams.

Albert H. Bruff left this week for New York, from which point he will start on a trip for the National Biscuit Co.

The Travellers club of Everett will visit the historic places of Quincy today, with Mrs. Whitcher of Atlantic as guide.

About 250 went yesterday on the annual picnic of Christ church to Randolph Grove. There was an interesting series of sports.

Alexander F. McDonald was best man on Wednesday evening at Dorchester at the wedding of his cousin Mr. Roderick J. MacDonald to Miss Minnie A. Powers.

The Junior base ball team of the Y. M. C. A. will play the Wollaston Park's at Merrymount Park today in the upper field at 10 A. M. This is the sixth game for the Juniors and they remain undefeated.

Representatives Hultman and Sandberg both voted on Thursday in favor of substituting the Cole bill for the Committee's bill relative to consolidation of railroads and street railways. The vote was 127 to 59 for substitution with 9 pairs.

Miss Annie H. Leonard, formerly of the City Clerk's office at City Hall, who has been in California with the Redlands Fruit Co., since fall, has arrived home on a visit. She will remain in Quincy this summer returning to California in the fall.

ATLANTIC.

Stephen Aulbach of Walker street, has returned from Erie, Penn., where he is studying for the priesthood.

Charles Safford and family of Clive street have taken a cottage at South Royalston for the summer and open it today for the season.

Mrs. William F. Cummings of Clive street has gone to Winthrop for a few days.

Miss Laura Coles of Faxon road has extended invitations for a linen shower to be tendered her sister, Miss Grace Coles on Saturday afternoon of this week. Miss Grace's engagement to Mr. George Snow has recently been announced.

The last meeting for the season of the Kitnalta club was held out of doors at Marblehead on Saturday, a very pleasant change. Miss Mabeth Fish, as hostess, gave the members a dinner at the Adams house.

Work around the Atlantic station has at last begun and carloads of material for concreting have arrived on the scene. Things are looking up.

Mrs. George Stenzel (Bessie Kellor) Botolph street, has returned from Portsmouth, N. H., where she has been visiting during the graduating exercises of Mr. Stenzel's relatives.

Simpson Bros., the contractors, commenced work Saturday on the improvements about the Atlantic station, which include granolithic walks which have long been wanted.

But One Hurt.

The 11.50 car from City Square for East Weymouth left the iron Thursday night while rounding the curve just east of Edwards street. There were fourteen passengers on the car and all but one escaped with a general shaking up.

The man injured was taken to his home in a carriage and his name was not given out. It is said that he received his injury by jumping from the car.

The car which was in charge of motorman Henry A. Faircloth had stopped at the stop sign at the beginning of the curve.

Receiving the signal to go ahead he started the car. It left the iron and started across the street, headed for a tree. The motorman applied the brake and succeeded in heading the car so that the running board struck the tree and was torn off.

The car then went onto the lawn of the residence of Edwin Beal and came to a stop within a few feet of the house.

A wrecking crew was sent down and the car was placed back on the rail. It was a narrow escape for the passengers.

Firemen Reinstated.

Judge Hammond of the Supreme court allowed the writ of mandamus against Chief Engineer Litchfield of the Quincy Fire Department to issue yesterday. It was brought by Maurice I. Gatcomb and Edmund G. Hayden, firemen whom Mayor Thompson in March last sought to remove from the Fire Department.

The order reinstates the following men: Malcolm A. McDonald, Mark J. Myett and Alexander McDonald at the Central station; John J. Murphy, John J. Curry, Albert A. Belliveau and E. G. Hayden at the West Quincy station, and Maurice I. Gatcomb at Quincy Point.

The following men who were appointed by the Mayor as their successors have, it is understood, been requested to resign: Daniel J. Ford, John Desmond and William T. Moody at the Central station; Charles Forbush, Robert Hayes, John McNeil and Joseph McTiernan at West Quincy station and Edgar F. Hayden, Jr., at Quincy Point station.

The contention of ex-City Solicitor Blackmur, who represented Gatcomb, Hayden, et al, was that the Mayor had no authority to remove the firemen. That under the City Charter and civil service rules they could only be removed by the Chief Engineer for cause, and that then they would be entitled to a hearing.

The men claim that they received no notification whatever that they were dropped but heard of the appointment of others.

Chief Litchfield informs the Daily Ledger that he never dropped the men, and has considered them as call men.

Neglected Spot.

Editors of the Patriot:

The Quincy Woman's club has done such good work at the Quincy railway stations, is it not possible to interest the Civic Committee in the triangle at the junction of School and Franklin streets. There are some of the finest trees in the city there, and some attractive old houses, also houses with finely kept grounds. If the border of this grass plot were trimmed, the grass cut, and the burdocks and weeds dug out, it would be a great improvement. No doubt Mr. Burke our obliging street commissioner would co-operate, as well as the owners of near by property.

F. C. Babcock.

WOLLASTON.

Mrs. E. G. Thayer, Miss Clara Thayer and Miss Elizabeth Thayer have returned from Amherst college where they attended the commencement exercises of the class of 1906 of which Frederick Gilles Thayer was a graduate.

Miss Clara Jones, of Wollaston, was valedictorian of the two year class that graduated from the Framingham State Normal school this week.

Herbert Y. Follett and family, of Park street, have gone to Nantasket for the summer.

The Merrymounts and Quincys will meet at Merrymount park this afternoon at 3.30, and on the morning of the Fourth at 10.30 it will be Merrymounts vs. Wollastons.

Kenneth F. Albee, of Wollaston graduated from Thayer Academy, Saturday.

Miss Ernestine M. Litchfield, of Wollaston is home from York Beach for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Adelaide Armstrong and family of Wollaston, have gone to Wolfboro N. H. for the summer.

Two Quincy High school graduates, Carl Henry Fornell and Lucien Hamilton Thayer received scholarships for 1906-07 at Harvard college from the Price Greenleaf fund.

Rev. and Mrs. George A. Thayer of Cincinnati with their sons Abbott and Gordon were present at the Class day exercises at Thayer Academy and were the guests of Dr. William Gallagher. They came on to attend the graduating exercises of Gordon Thayer at Harvard college.

Mrs. Robert Park of Wollaston is entertaining relatives from the West.

Mrs. James Lewis of Farrington street, Wollaston, has for her guest her brother, Mr. Randall of Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell O. Parker, Miss Ethel Parker and Mrs. George Spaulding of Belmont street have gone to the White Mountains for the month of July. Later in the season Mr. and Mrs. Parker go to North Conway and Miss Ethel and Mrs. Spaulding to New York.

The Misses Rosamond and Gladys Sargent, accompanied by Miss Hazel E. Charnock, have gone to Nova Scotia for the summer.

A lawn party for the benefit of the free kindergarten in Wollaston will be given at the residence of Amos D. Albee, 80 Prospect avenue, on the Fourth of July from 3 in the afternoon through the evening. Ice cream and cake, fruit punch and candy will be on sale. Some entertainment will be provided. Everybody come and have a good time.

Miss Isabel Estabrook returned this week from the west where she has been visiting for the past two months. She reports a very enjoyable visit and brings many curious and interesting souvenirs of her trip.

Samuel D. Thompson one of the submasters at the High school will pass his vacation by attending the Harvard summer school.

Among the many class day spreads at Harvard last week, was that of Morris H. Litchfield, held in Stoughton 10. Many Wollaston and Quincy people came and went between the hours of 8 and 10. A dainty collation of ices, cakes, fruit punch, etc., was served. Mr. Litchfield is a Wollaston young man, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Litchfield, of Lincoln avenue. He graduated from Thayer Academy in 1903, and entered Harvard the same year, completing his course there in three years.

It was a great pleasure to the Wollaston fans who braved the bad weather on Saturday, and attended the Merrymount game to see that Clarence Loud, a High school young man, made good at his first trial on the Merrymount team.

Mrs. Emma Newcomb of Newport avenue entertains the Brownie whist club at home on Wednesday.

Mrs. James H. Broughton of Taylor street, is spending the summer at the New Belvidere hotel, Beachwood, Me.

Mrs. Arthur Brooks Wood, nee Fairbanks, of Portland, Maine, who came on for her sister's wedding, has enjoyed meeting all her Wollaston friends once more.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Mrs. L. L. Wells and son Lew of Chicago have been visiting Mrs. Wells' sister, Mrs. Neil B. McFadyen of Franklin place. They left Boston Tuesday on the S. S. Halifax to visit her former home at Ocean View, P. E. I. On her return in six weeks she intends to join her husband, who is performing at the Olympic Theatre, New Orleans.

Alex Cowe of South Quincy is about to give up granite cutting and go farming. He has not yet made a purchase, not having found just what suits him.

Alexander Clark & Co., general blacksmiths, are putting in a new up-to-date steam hoister for Birnie & Diack, granite manufacturers on Columbia street.

M. Monihan is installing and air compressor at his granite cutting yards on Copeland street.

Lulu Hadden of Intervale street, South Quincy is confined to the house with poisoning of the foot.

John R. Richards of this city has just arrived home from Florida where he has been engaged the last two weeks erecting memorials in memory of former prominent Boston people whose last resting place is under the southern pines.

Mrs. Frank W. Flowers is quite ill at her home on Quincy street with tonsilitis.

Roland Hughes of Goddard street is entertaining his father from the old country.

Miss Ella Manning of this city assisted in receiving on Wednesday evening at the wedding reception at Woburn of her cousin Miss Mary Frances Thorton to Mr. Michael Joseph McDonough of Charlestown.

Burditt—Willey.

The wedding of Mr. Frederic Mac Gregor Burditt and Miss Florence Lovejoy Willey at Seaview, Marshfield, on Wednesday was celebrated in a unique and memorable manner. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. Edgar Eugene Willey of No. 27 Walker street, Atlantic, at the old Carver homestead.

On emerging from that abode leaning upon her father's arm the bride met the groom neath a cherry tree planted by her great-grandfather, and there in the presence of relatives and friends, the nuptial knot was tied by the Rev. Dr. Pierce of Campello, former pastor of the bride. The double ring ceremony was used.

Beautifully gowned in conventional white the young bride received the encomiums of all. A generous banquet was spread and enjoyed, and much appreciation extended in the old barn, decorated with flowers and green. The star spangled banner graced the decorations. The bridal party has Middleton, N. S., for the objective point. Mr. Burditt is a native of that pretty place.

Friday was the hottest day of the season. Not only was the weather hot, but the air was full of moisture which made the day very oppressive. At noon the temperature registered 89 degrees. There have, however, been one or two days when the temperature has registered 88 degrees at noon.

QUINCY POINT.

Miss Bertha Brewer of York, Maine, has been the guest of Mrs. Stetson Pierce of Newcomb square.

A. L. Mead, driver of Hose 4 at Quincy Point, is having his vacation.

A Boston paper reports Mrs. Lucy R. Chute of Quincy Point to have purchased an estate in West Medway.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Addison of Quincy Point will enjoy the summer at Small Point, Maine.

The alarm from Box 171 at 4.06 Monday afternoon was a false alarm, having been pulled in by some boy. The recall sounded five minutes later.

Tuesday evening was "Ladies Night" at the young men's fraternity connected with the Point church. This popular organization was formerly the Quincy Point Athletic Association, consisting of ambitious and athletic young men, who have a base-ball and foot-ball team. They have recently formed themselves into this Pilgrim Fraternity, which has chapters from Maine to Minnesota and is fast becoming "the thing" among church organizations for young men. On Tuesday about 75 young men and ladies enjoyed a social evening in the vestry. Refreshments were served under the able direction of Miss Etta Lapham. Many thanks are due to Samuel Melville and others who contributed to the evenings success.

Two Washington street boys learned this week that honesty is the best policy, and will long remember with regret the pleasures of a few days.

The battleship New Jersey, built at Quincy, which has been at Portland, Maine, left Friday, for Eastport to participate in the celebration of the Fourth of July in that city.

The Fore Rivers and Copelands meet on the diamond at Quincy Point today.

Wednesday evening was a gala occasion for the members of a boys' Sunday school class, known as the Minute Men. Their popular teacher Mrs. James Melville and her husband, invited the Minute Men and their young lady friends, to an enjoyable evening at Baxter avenue. Games of amusement and other attractions of enjoyment, together with refreshments, made the event a red-letter occasion, always to be remembered by those who attended. This class of boys, has been the banner-class of the school for four months; without an absent or tardy mark against them. This speaks well for their teacher.

Bellevue Park and Montclair.

Mr. E. F. Young, the director of the Merrymount Golf club is moving the club house back preparatory to building a handsome residence on the site of the old club house on Eliot avenue.

Mr. J. C. Poole and family have moved from Division street, Montclair, to Pittsfield, where Mr. Poole has accepted a very fine position.

Mr. F. E. Parlee and family have moved into the house recently vacated by J. C. Poole.

Master Eric Feldt of Broadway sailed Thursday with his aunt Miss Anna Anderson from Boston to Sweden on one of the White Star liners. He will remain until the 1st of September.

Mrs. E. F. Young has been entertaining the Misses Porter of East Boston for the past few weeks.

Mrs. F. E. Parlee has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. S. E. Orr, of Brooklyn for the past few weeks.

MILTON.

Children from the Little Wanderers Home enjoyed rides in autos on Tuesday to Hoosick-Whisic pond in Milton, and a picnic at the pond for nearly five hours.

Mr. Varney, master of the Milton High school, has moved to the Hubbard house on Bates road.

The last fire alarm in Milton was May 25.

E. E. Hubbard of Bates road has moved to Rhode Island.

A pleasing entertainment was given at the East Milton Congregational church Tuesday evening.

William Kearney, night officer at East Milton, is having his vacation.

The Babcock estate advertised to be sold at auction last week was not sold, no bids being received.

The Ellsworth market has been opened again this week by J. F. Keefe of Newton.

Schools closed for the summer vacations last week.

A very successful lawn party was held Wednesday evening by the ladies of the Mission church, on the church grounds. Tables for the sale of various articles were arranged on the grounds and there was a pleasing entertainment.

Quincy Day Nursery.

The secretary of the Day Nursery Association, takes pleasure in informing the public that the receipts up to date, from the garden party amount to $393.45. Too much cannot be said in praise of Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, whose energy and untiring zeal helped to make the party such a grand success.

We wish to extend the thanks of the Association to Miss Mary Perkins and Miss Emily C. Wilde for a most successful candy sale given in April at the home of Miss Perkins. The proceeds, amounting to $32.85, are evidence of their work.

We wish also to express our appreciation to Mrs. Isabelle Davis, who presented the Nursery with a utility box or household chest to be kept supplied with extra bed linen and other necessities, the proceeds having been derived from a play "Carroty Nell" given by pupils of Mrs. Davis. An apology is due Mrs., Davis also Miss Perkins and Miss Wilde for the tardy acknowledgement of these two generous gifts.

There will be a regular monthly meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery Association on Tuesday, July 3, at the Women's club house.

Gospel Concerts.

During the month of July, a series of gospel concerts has been arranged for the Sabbath evenings at the Point church, with the following topics:—

July 1, "Fanny Crosby; the singing evangelist."

July 8, "Isaac Watts; the founder of hymnology."

July 15, addresses on congregationalism by Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D., pastor Universalist church.

July 22, "Charles Wesley; the songster of the soul."

July 29, "F. R. Havergal; the portrayer of paradise."

The five following men are to have charge of the music of these gospel concerts: Mr. George A. Sidelinger, Mr. T. B. Pollard, Mr. Claude Patch, Dr. Bushnell and Mr. James Melville.

—Myrtle Reed, the author, says she has not wanted an automobile since she heard of the private insane asylum started for motorists. The doctor in charge was exhibiting the wards with some pride when a visitor asked him where the patients were. He explained that they were all under the beds trying to fix the slats.—The Bushwhacker.

HOUGHS NECK.

The season at Houghs Neck is now in full swing. Practically everything in the line of a cottage has been let and most of them occupied. Those that are not already occupied will be before another week.

The present indications are that this season will be the most successful for years. There is a notable absence of the many clubs which served to give the beach a hard name last season. These cottages this year are occupied by respectable families, their owners having given instructions to real estate agents not to let to clubs this year.

This week there has been an unusual number of transient visitors, the warm afternoons sending down scores of women and children.

The doctors and lawyers of Brockton held their annual outing at the beach on Tuesday. The party came in automobiles and after an exciting game of ball, which resulted in a tie, they had dinner at Nortemans. They left for home in the early evening.

Dr. John H. Ash of West Quincy has arrived at his cottage on Manet avenue for the season.

Martin French is building a large house at Adams shore.

Contractor Bell is building a cottage at Adams shore for Robert Johnson of Quincy.

L. F. McGrath of South Boston, with family, are at the Florence cottage.

W. F. Torrey of Roxbury is summering with his family in the Peek-a-boo cottage.

Mrs. M. A. Brown of Dorchester is in the Newton cottage on Great Hill.

The street railway company are running cars every fifteen minutes, afternoons and evenings, on the Houghs Neck line.

W. F. Ford of Roxbury is in the Johnson cottage at Rock Island.

Capt. James Clare of Boston has bought the Forsyth cottage on Rock Island road, and moved down for the summer.

C. J. Derasier of Brockton is occupying the Doris cottage on Centre road.

Joseph E. Silvia of Brockton is occupying the Marjorie cottage on Charles street for the Fourth of July week.

H. A. Clark of Waltham will occupy the Jones cottage on Turner street the last two weeks in July.

W. F. Peterson will occupy the Campello cottage Fourth of July week.

Alonzo F. Garvin of Brockton is building a cottage on his lot on Rogers street.

Victor the valuable St. Bernard dog belonging to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tilley, died of pneumonia Monday morning at their home on Sea street, Houghs Neck. He was a noble big dog with many friends at the beach, who sympathize with the owners in his death.

W. J. Tilley has started to build another house on Sea street. It will be a modern house suitable for occupancy all the year round.

Bay View chapel, Houghs Neck, will be open for preaching and Sabbath School services, Sunday July 1, at 10.30 A. M. All denominations are cordially invited to unite in the work and organize the services for July and August.

WEST QUINCY.

George Donaher, a well known resident of West Quincy, died quite suddenly Monday night at his home on Common street. Although Mr. Donaher, had been ailing some time the end came suddenly. He has carried on a small store at the corner of Copeland and Common street, for several years.

Miss Mary A. Geary of West Quincy was graduated on Tuesday from the Bridgewater Normal school.

Fred L. Crowell of Crescent street, is visiting his mother at Bangor, Maine, for two weeks.

Point Church Picnic.

The Sunday school and parish picnic for the Point today is of unusual interest. The ball and games commence at 9 A. M. at Snug Harbor, with an interesting contest between the "Minute Men" and Mr. Corprew's class.

At 10, the Winners play the second team, and at 11, the first and second Huscarls play.

At 12, occurs the sack race, at the grove; at 2.15, the three-legged race, and at 12.30, potato race with 16 contestents.

Lunch at the grove, at one o'clock.

At 1.30 the bicycle race for girls occurs; and at 1.45 a bicyle race for boys

In the running races there are a number of entries; a special race has been planned for several young men with fast records, as 100 yards in eleven seconds. There is to be a special race between Mr. Webster Newcomb, Mr. Bonney and others of speed and running ability.

A great feature of the day will be the ball game between the married and single men at 2.30 followed by the rowing races at 3.30.

Ice cream and tonic will be sold from tents; the proceeds go toward church repairs. Other tents will be provided for quiet, ease, and shelter. Each one carries a basket lunch. The prizes for the contests have been on exhibition at H. H. I. Smith's store.

Lawn Fete.

A very successful lawn party was held Thursday evening under the auspices of the A. T. U. S. society of the Universalist church on the church grounds, which were very prettily decorated with Japenese lanterns which threw a soft light over the sale tables that were arranged about the lawn.

These tables were well patronized by the large number of people in attendance. They were presided over as follows:

Cake and candy,—Mrs. George Spooner and Miss Mabel Ross.

Frappe,—Mrs. Smith.

Bundle table,—Miss Harriet Spooner.

Watermelon,—Mrs. Frank Hobart.

Ice cream,—Frank Hobart.

Fortune tellers,—Mrs. Victor Richardson and Mrs. William Stoddard.

A phonograph furnished music during the evening.

Strawberry Festival.

Despite the heat of the evening, the festival and entertainment of the Knights of Malta Thursday evening in Greenleaf hall was largely attended, practically every seat being taken. There were remarks made by the Knight Commander, J. D. Mackay, Esq., and Grand Commander Videtto of Boston, followed by a varied program of readings, solos, and piano playing under direction of H. A. Feltis, chairman of the entertainment committee. During intermission strawberries, cake and ice cream were served. A member of the committee with a view to determining the value of advertising functions of this kind made a quiet canvass of those of the audience who were not connected with the order and learned that nearly all of them had learned, directly or indirectly of the affair through the "ad." which was placed in the Daily Ledger, and the news item.

DOWNS AND PARK.

Asst. Gen. Supt. John Conway of the Old Colony street railway who has been residing at Norfolk Downs, moved to Braintree on Monday.

William A. and Walter G. Field of Wollaston, have purchased from the Commodore of the Wollaston Yacht club the yacht West Wind, and will compete in the open regattas the coming season.

Paul Morse of Elm avenue was seized with cramps while bathing at Wollaston beach on Sunday afternoon and would probably have been drowned but for the timely rescue by two men who put out in a boat.

For those who attempt driving along the new bouvelard, it is well to know that between Norfolk Downs and Wollaston beach there is a gap which hinders continuous progress to the end of the boulevard. This gap is where the dredger is at work and by the looks of things will not soon be in a condition to allow teams to cross it. From this spot to the Wollaston beach, the driving is excellent.

Decided Against City.

The full bench of the Supreme court has affirmed the decree dismissing the bill brought by William H. Teasdale et al., members of the Quincy Board of Health, for an injunction to restrain the Newell & Snowling Construction Company for maintaining a stable for 45 horses upon the unfinished metropolitan boulevard in that city, because they did not have a license from the board of health.

The Newell-Snowling Co. applied for permission to erect a stable at Wollaston beach, which was refused by the Board of Health. The company then erected a stable on land of the Metropolitan Commission. The Board of Health applied for on injunction

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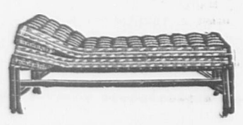
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SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 1906.

WEEKLY ALMANAC,		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon sets
Saturday, June	30,	4.10	7.25	5.30	6.00	12.12 A.M
Sunday, July	1,	4 11	7.25	6.30	7.00	12.45 "
Monday, "	2,	4.11	7.25	7.30	8.00	1.20 "
Tuesday, "	3,	4.11	7.24	8.30	8.45	2.00 "
Wednesday, "	4	4.12	7.24	9.30	9.45	2.43 "
Thursday, "	5,	4.13	7.24	10.15	10.45	6.40 P.M
Friday, "	6,	4.14	7.24	11.15	11.30	7.53 "

Full Moon, July 5th, 11.33 P. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of the month for three years.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1905.	In 1902.	In 1898
Sunday,	65	61	80	76	82
Monday,	77	58	83	80	95
Tuesday,	82	68	82	82	91
Wednesday,	87	76	64	75	86
Thursday,	86	80	76	79	73
Friday,	89	88	86	68	83
Saturday,	—	68	83	73	80

The city of Everett, which is Quincy's most dangerous rival in population, has 1,114 more residents than a year ago, says the assessors, a total of 29,296.

Public Building.

The National house passed on Tuesday the public building bill which includes $80,000 for Federal building on Washington street, Quincy. May the bill be as successful in the Senate.

Several Massachusetts cities and towns are included in the bill, among them being Springfield $90,000; Boston $900,000; North Adams $100,000; Beverly $18,000; Marlboro, $10,000; Plymouth, 12,000; Webster, $10,000 and Woburn $12,000.

Places in Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont and Connecticut are also included in the bill.

As the season is late and the time for adjournment near at hand, it is thought that the bill has a good chance of going through.

Quincy has been very patient in waiting for its federal building, and although its congressmen have done what they could to push the appropriation along, many have come to believe that it would be years before a building would be built on the Washington street site.

Now, however, hopes have been raised at the good prospect of an appropriation being made and a building erected at no great distant date.

Protest Against Speed Law.

Editors of the Patriot:

Why is it that just as the rest of the State allows the automobiles to go faster Quincy makes laws to reduce the speed? Reckless riding should be stopped, but that is no reason why every owner of an automobile should have to go at a snail's pace through our city. The only way that we can keep within the law safely would be to have the city furnish us oxen to tow us beyond the city limits.

There is no doubt but what some people think, that an automobile has no right on the street at all, but they are a very small minority. We are taxed now for our machines twice what they are worth, and Quincy ought to give us some show, and not make us out criminals as soon as we buy a machine.

They try to hold us down to 8 miles an hour from Presidents bridge to the Square and yet nothing is said about the electrics which always run at over 20 miles an hour from Presidents bridge to Hancock street. Why this persecution? Let every man who believes in fair play protest against this unrighteous law in Quincy. J. A. S.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (UNITARIAN)—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, Ph.D. pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Communion service at 11.15 Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening praise and preaching service in the chapel at 7.30. Preaching by the pastor's assistant Mr. E. E. Craig. Subject: "Liberty."

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Ray Atwood, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Reception of members and Communion. Sunday School at 12 M. Subject: "Jesus and the Children." Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.30. Subject: "Humility." A Consecration service. Gospel concert at 7.30. Musical leader, Dr. Bushnell. Address by pastor. Subject: "Fanny Crosby; the singing Evangelist." A cordial welcome to all.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. A. B. Tyler, M. A., pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League service is discontinued during July and August. Praise and preaching service at 7. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Rev. Ernest W. Hunt, minister. Service at 10.45. Subject: "The Peace of the Soul." Sunday School at 12 M. Last service before vacation. All are invited.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "The Christian Memorial." The ordinance of the Lord's Supper at close of service. Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Social prayer and praise service at 7:30 P. M.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Greatest Investment." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service omitted until September.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Post Office block,—Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Life." Golden Text: "As the Father hath life in himself; so hath he given to the Son to have life in himself." John, 5:26. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M. an experience and testimony meeting. Reading rooms open every week day from 3 to 5, and every Tuesday evening. All are welcome.

SUMMER AMUSEMENTS.

Globe Theatre

The success of John Craig's summer engagement at the Globe theatre, Boston, has been phenomenal. During the week the house has been crowded to the doors and the enthusiastic manner in which Mr. Craig and his associates have been received leaves no doubt in the mind of anyone of the strong personal following he has in Greater Boston. Hardly a performance has passed this week that Mr. Craig has not been obliged to come before the curtain and acknowledge his appreciation in words of heartfelt thanks. It is not exaggerating when the declaration is made that Mr. Craig has surrounded himself with one of the strongest acting companies that has ever been seen in Boston. For the coming week "A Night Off," will be the attraction. The cast has been arranged as follows:—Justinian Babbitt, Professor of Ancient History, William H. Evarts; Harry Damask, his son-in-law, Thomas MacLarnie; Jack Mulberry, in pursuit of a fortune under the name of Chumley, John Craig; Lord Mulberry, in pursuit of Jack, James L. Seeley; Marcus Brutus Snap, of the legitimate, William Humphrey; Prowl, usher at the University, Kendrick Hall; Mrs. Zantippe Babbit, Kate Ryan; Nisbe, Mary Young and the three daughters, Mary Sanders, Jennie Kendrick and Eleanor Parker. Matinees are given daily.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, June 27, 1906.

Gethro, the expelled, drops from all consideration of honest men by the mere fact of his alleged confession. As far as the judgment of the legislature and of outside observers has been ascertained, there is agreement that whatever corruption may exist in the legislature, there is no reason to suspect it any more than there was before this preposterous document was put before the public. Without doubt, the House did right in expelling him. No possible plea can be made in his behalf, whatever be the truth regarding other members.

Such is the comment heard. Nobody now would take his word for anything, standing by itself. If any member is adjudged guilty, it must be on other evidence than Gethro's word. It would not surprise some here to learn that there are other guilty members, but this is said on general principles, as it would be strange if there were not more than one black sheep in so large a flock, especially when others come from constituencies which are not over particular about the moral quality of the men whom they send here to represent them.

But there has come to light no evidence which implicates any other member. There has been no disposition, up to this time, to take any notice of Gethro's confession, because it is so completely discredited. People do not believe that he wrote it. There is a feeling that somebody is smirching the good name of the state from unworthy motives, an operation about as mean as anything which Gethro has done and which will react upon the head of the smircher when he is set in the light of publicity. The legislative will leave the case in the hands of District Attorney Moran and take no farther action itself, unless something unexpected occurs before prorogation.

One of the things which did much to discredit Gethro in the eyes of the House was his own speech, just before the vote for expulsion. It did not in any line assert his innocence. It only implied guilt and possibly an expectation that other members were sufficiently of the same sort as himself to lead to a majority against his expulsion. No other circumstance can account for the misjudged appeal that only those of pure and innocent lives should vote against him.

His closing remark, quoting from Scripture, "Let him that is without sin among you cast the first stone" was not only a presumptive confession of guilt, —supposing that he knew the connection of the Scripture from which he quoted,—but also a charge that the other members were as guilty as he.

Of course such a conclusion, when, if he had been innocent, he would have made the hall ring with his proof of honesty, turned members against him. One member goes so far as to say that this was the one thing which made the majority against him.

At any rate, there can be no doubt that it had a most adverse effect upon him. The vote was not upon party lines, though largely so, republicans against Gethro and democrats for him. But no partisanship appeared in the debate, and the two democrats on the committee both signed the report with the majority and voted as they had signed.

The affair has added to the discredit of the legislature in the eyes of the public. Plenty people are ready to believe the insinuations of Lawson, and the observer at the state house accepts it as fact that there is much corruption which never gets unearthed. But Lawson had no facts this time, by his own admission. When he was a witness, a few years ago, in the gas fight with Henry M. Whitney, though he was full of bombast and insinuation, he did not give the committee a solitary fact to prove his insinuations or charges outside of the state house, but was much discredited.

Simon Swig, the Russian Jew who is a representative from Taunton, whom the committee recommended should be censured for conflicting statements, got off with a material mitigation of the sentence. This is due, in part, to the fact that the committee themselves yielded to the pressure from the floor of the House. Mr. Luce of Somerville, particularly, made a special plea for him.

At first sight the governor seemed to have everything on his side in his impulsive anti-merger message to the legislature, calling them, with all the strength that was in him, as he put it, to do something to stop the throttling of competition in the western part of the state and to save the people from the disgrace of having their transportation in the hands of foreigners --meaning by foreigners, the people of other states.

But the appearance of President Mellen of the Consolidated railroad, of his counsel, of Henry M. Whitney and such masters of the transportation and business situation, soon proved that there were two sides to the case and that if it is proposed to prevent people of other states from holding stock of Massachusetts corporations, what is to be said of the policy of forbidding Massachusetts citizens to hold stocks in the corporations of any other state. Considering the hundreds of millions of such stock and bonds now so held by the people of this state, the proposition is at once seen to be a most serious one.

Other arguments showed a radical modification of the case from the way it was first presented. Already the state has control so that the corporations cannot prevent competition,—as was seen when the Boston elevated was unable to prevent the Boston and Worcester from gaining entrance to Boston.

For 25 years the policy of the state has been, and now is, to permit no competition between public service corporations where duplication would mean increased public charge upon the public, but to have a monopoly guaranteed and regulated by the state. Telephone service, public water supplies, gas and the like, come under the principle. There was much interest at the hearing. Corporation counsel were present in force, and the third house was there as strong as if this were its most important session.

At the time of writing it is with the statement by Speaker Cole that prorogation tomorrow is possible. Yet it would not be strange if the situation kept the members here longer, for it is hardly to be expected that such an important measure as an anti-merger bill would be put through both branches without more discussion than it can get if only tomorrow be given.

Brockton members have been looking around today to make sure that a veto was not coming on their canal bill. They heard no intimation that one was coming and felt correspondingly relieved. Rule.

—It is said that fully two-thirds of the 223 graduates of Wellesley college are soon to marry.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

White—Patterson.

Wednesday at the close of a warm June day came a delightful evening, just the kind a bride appreciates, as it seemed full of omens for a happy future.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Patterson, 92 South Central avenue, Wollaston, was united in marriage at half past seven, their daughter, Grace Elizabeth, and Mr. Frank Tisdale White of Holbrook, Rev. Edward Abbott Chase of the Wollaston Congregational church officiating.

The groom was attended by his brother, George E. White, and the maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Mary Webber Patterson. There were also two little flower girls Emily C. Perry of Wollaston and Dorothy G. Winter of New York. Chester Tinney of Wollaston played the wedding march and the bride was given in marriage by her father.

The bride wore a white lace robe over white satin, lace trimmed, and a long tulle veil. Her bouquet was of lilies-of-the-valley. The maid of honor was also in white, wearing white silk. She carried a large bouquet of pink sweet peas.

Following the ceremony a reception was held from eight until ten, the bridal couple being assisted in receiving by their parents. The ushers were: William J. Patterson, brother of the bride, Russell White of Holbrook, Lyman F. Hewitson of Dorchester and Alva T. Southworth of Holbrook.

During the reception Mr. and Mrs. Patterson announced the engagement of their second daughter, Mary Webber Patterson to Mr. Lyman F. Hewitson of Dorchester, which called forth hearty congratulations.

It was a particularly happy and informal reception, The house was prettily decorated with mountain laurel, which is very beautiful just now. A wedding supper was served and there was a pretty display of gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. White are to reside in Holbrook where they will receive their friends after October first.

Rayner---Drew.

Miss Flora Everett, daughter of Mr. Joshua Everett Drew, formerly of Atlantic, was united in marriage at eight o'clock on the evening of the 27th of June to Mr. Fred Irving Rayner of Dorchester, at No. 7 Blackwell street, Dorchester. Rev. C. T. Whittemore, rector of All Saints church, Ashmont, was the officiating clergyman.

The bride was gowned in white point d'esprit over white taffeta; carrying a shower bouquet and was given away by her father. The maid of honor, Miss Florence May Hill of Atlantic, was gowned in pink silk muslin and carried a bouquet of pink roses.

The bridesmaids were Miss Ethel Gertrude Hill, Miss Bertha Miles and the Misses Christine and Jessie Fowler. The best man was Harry Rayner, brother of the groom. The ring-bearer, Herbert Rayner, another brother of the groom, bore the rings on a silver tray. The wedding march being played and the double ring ceremony following. Beneath the marriage bell, at the altar erected, all beautifully covered with flower and floral garniture, the Episcopal marriage service united the destinies of these two much loved and very popular young people.

Dr. M. E. Drew of Atlantic, sister of the bride, and Mr. Eleazer and Mr. Arthur Drew, brothers, were present at the wedding, as were also fully one hundred invited guests from near and far.

Miss Helen Ogler, the flower girl, carried a basket of pink roses. Joseph Hendrie catered and served the glad assemblage in a complete way. The happy couple left for New York city and will circuit about, visiting Pittsfield, Mass., on their return.

Kelley—Nelson.

A quiet wedding was held Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Selma Nelson of 33 Nelson avenue, Quincy, when her daughter Kaspara Elida Nelson of Quincy and James Kelley of Stoneham were united in marriage by Rev. E. N. Hardy. The bride was attended by her cousin Miss Edith Olson of Quincy, and the best man was Mr. Howard Kelley of Stoneham, a cousin of the groom. The bride wore white silk with trimmings of real valenciennes lace and carried pink roses. The bridesmaid wore white net and carried lilies-of-the-valley. The happy couple were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Selma Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Kelley of Stoneham. Friends were present from Providence, Stoneham and Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Kelley left for Stoneham, where they will make their future home.

Dixon—Baker.

There was a very pretty wedding solemnized at the home of Mrs. Emma A. Baker, Roel street, Randolph, Wednesday evening June 27. The contracting parties being Miss Florence Louise Baker, daughter of Mrs. Emma A. Baker, and Mr. George Henry Dixon of Holbrook. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. John L. Sewall of Randolph.

The bridesmaid was Miss Cora A. Baker sister of the bride, and Mr. Arthur Pierce of Campello, was best man. The ushers were Mr. Everett Baker of Randolph brother of the bride, and Mr. Frank Pierce of Campello.

Lohengrins wedding march was played by Mrs. Edward L. Goodridge of Quincy, sister of the bride. The house was very handsomely decorated with cut flowers and ferns.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon received numerous and handsome presents.

Wykes—Bisson.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening at the West Quincy Methodist church by Rev. A. B. Tyler in the presence of a large gathering of friends of the bridal couple, Mr. Stephen S. Wykes and Miss Hattie L., daughter of the late James Bisson.

The church was very prettily decorated with June flowers for the occasion.

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride at 274 Water street.

Rossi---Maggiani.

There was a pretty home wedding at the residence of Mrs. Joseph Maggiani, 83 Columbia street, South Quincy, Thursday when her daughter, Miss Mary F. Maggiani, and Mr. Guido Rossi of this city, were united in the bonds of wedlock, by William M. Marden, Esq.

Mr. Kino J. Maggiani, a brother of the bride, was best man, and Miss Irene Della Lucca was maid of honor.

The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of the friends of the young couple to whom a wedding breakfast was served.

—The Unitarian meetings at Nantucket will open today, June 30, and continue through July 6.

—A class of 223 was graduated Tuesday at Wellesley college.

School Committee Meeting.

A regular meeting, and the last before vacation, was held by the School Committee Tuesday evening. All members of the board were present.

A change in the rules in relation to salaries was adopted. This change provides that the rate of increase of salaries of teachers shall be $50 a year for satisfactory service until the maximum is reached, instead of $25, except masters and sub-masters and assistants at the High school. The increase of these teachers will be $100 a year, instead of $50 until the maximum is reached.

With all the amendments and revisions made this year the rules of the committee relative to salaries read as follows:

1. The salaries to be paid superintendent, teachers and other employees of the committee shall be in accordance with the following schedule:—

	Minimum.	Maximum
Superintendent,	$2,200	$2,500
High School:		
Head Master,	2,100	2,400
Sub-Master,	1,200	1,500
Science teacher,	1,000	1,200
Assistants,	600	800
Masters of Grammar Schools,	1,200	1,500
Masters' Assistants,	500	650
Grade teachers,	450	600
Assistants in room with another teacher,		200
a. If they are normal or college graduates or the equivalent or have had at least two years successful experience,		320

2.—The annual increase, from the minimum, for satisfactory service shall be fifty dollars for grade teachers and for master's assistants until the maximum is reached. Masters, sub-masters and high school assistants shall be increased one hundred dollars annually for satisfactory service until the maximum is reached.

A teacher shall receive the regular increase in salary only when his or her work meets the approval of the Superintendent and such increase is recommended by the standing Committee on Teachers.

The contract for coal was awarded to J. F. Sheppard & Sons. That for wood to Thomas O'Brien & Son, and for supplies to Edward E. Babb & Co., excepting certain kinds of paper which went to W. H. Claflin.

The following resignations were received and accepted:

Coddington school,—Miss Elizabeth B. Beaudry and Miss Alice F. Sampson.

Massachusetts Fields school,—Miss S. Jean Smith.

Quincy school,—Miss Eva M. Demick and Miss Katherine A. Pike.

The following teachers were elected:

Adams school Miss Ethel M. Perkins.

Coddington school, — Miss Eva B. Case.

John Hancock school,—Miss Ethel Cuttle.

Miss Cuttle was a reelection her name having inadvertently been omitted from the list of teachers elected last month.

Massachusetts Fields school,—Miss Josephine H. Oliver.

Quincy school,—Miss Mary A. Keep and Miss Edna E. Flaherty.

Willard school,—Miss Clara M. Shaw.

Miss Flora M. Shackley was elected as teacher of drawing at the High school, to which she will give her whole time.

A request was received from the educational committee of the Quincy Women's Club for the use of two rooms in the Adams building for the girls' vacation club. The request was granted.

A petition was received from the residents in the vicinity of the Cranch school to stop the playing of ball in the school playground.

It appears that the grounds and streets are used nights by grown-up young men as a ball field greatly to the danger of passers and to windows. This is the third complaint received.

The chairman was instructed to interview the Mayor in regard to the matter.

The expenditures of the department to date were as follows:

	Appro.	Expended.	Balance.
Salaries	$94,585.00	$54,153.78	$40,431.22
Janitors	7,651.68	3,695.00	3,596.68
Book, supplies, sundries	9,200.00	3,839.54	5,360.46
Rents	1,260.00	457.50	802.50
Fuel	6,999.32	3,315.15	3,684.17
Transportation	1,100.00	709.20	390.80
Evening school	1,500.00	0.00	1,500.00
Totals,	$122,296.00	$66,170.17	$56,125.82

Hersey—Siders.

A large number of friends were present at the Old Meeting House, Hingham, Wednesday evening, when Miss Gertrude Whitney Siders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Siders, of Wollaston, was united in marriage to Dr. George Murray Hersey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Hersey, of Hingham. The ceremony was performed at 7.45 o'clock, the officiating clergyman being the Rev. Samuel A. Eliot, D. D., of Boston.

The best man was Allan F. Hersey, of Hingham, a brother of the groom, and the maid of honor was Miss Isabel Siders, of Reading, a cousin of the bride. The bride was given away by her father.

The bride was gowned in white net over white silk. Her veil was held in place by a beautiful gold brooch set with pearls, a present from the groom. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley.

The maid of honor was gowned in white net over pink silk.

Dr. and Mrs. Hersey will reside at 20 Claybourne street, Dorchester, and will be at home to their friends the first and third Tuesdays of the month.

Lewis—Fairbanks.

Very quietly, in the presence of only the immediate families, at the home of Hon. and Mrs. Henry O. Fairbanks 77 Beach street, Wollaston, was united in marriage on Tuesday evening their daughter Mollie Ethel, and Mr. Kenneth Burnham Lewis. Rev. Edward A Chase of the Wollaston Congregational church officiated.

The bride was attended by the groom's sister, Miss Marian Lewis. Flowers were in profusion all over the house, being artistically arranged by the girl friends of the bride, under the guidance of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Brooks Wood. The color scheme was pink and white.

There were many beautiful gifts. In keeping with the charming simplicity of the wedding was the bride in a dainty gown of white batiste with trimmings of valenciennes lace.

The groom, who is a son of Mr. James Lewis of Farrington street, since graduating from Harvard, has been engaged in the steel business at Bethlehem, Pa., where he will take his bride to reside.

—"Well, my brother, I congragulate you. Noble men have taken this prize. May your life be a noble one, too," said Rev. Benjamin Gill, D. D., professor in the Pennsylvania State college, at the Wesleyan University commencement, at Middleton, Conn., Monday morning, as he handed the Rich prize to James Augustus Wilson of Calboun, Ala., a negro. The prize was one which Wilson won for having the best commencement essay.

High School Graduation.

Another large class was graduated Wednesday evening by the Quincy High school, a total of 72, of whom 39 were young ladies and 33 young men. There were also 15 who received business certificates.

It was the last graduation exercise in the present High school hall, and it is expected that the enlarged building will be completed long before another graduation, so that a larger number of parents and friends may hereafter attend the exercises. On this occasion every available seat was occupied.

The class motto "Te ipsum cognosce" was conspicuous in letters of gold on a blue background in an arch over the platform.

The following very pleasing program of music, essays and addresses was presented.

(a) Music, March, Rollinson
High School Orchestra.

(b) How Lovely Are the Messengers, Mendelssohn
High School Chorus and Orchestra.

Salutatory, An Original Story, Giving, Dorothy Fay.

A Friend, Mary Alice Reinhalter

Declamation, Peace, Sumner
Eugene Sanders.

Class Will, Rina Clorinda Bizzozero.

Valedictory Essay, Opportunity for the Young Mind, Lucien Hamilton Thayer.

Music, Where the Bees Suck, Arne
High School Chorus and Orchestra.

Address, Education As Equipment, Charles S. Chapin, Principal of Rhode Island State Normal School.

Music, Lo! Summer Comes Again, Stainer
High School Chorus and Orchestra.

Presentation of Diplomas, Hon. Charles H. Porter, Chairman of the High School Committee.

Music, Hallelujah Chorus, Beethoven
High School Chorus and Orchestra.
Director of Music,—Mr. E. Landis Synder.
Accompanist,—Ernest Leslie Mehaffey.

The graduates were greeted with applause as they marched into the hall, and compliments were heard for the music by the High school orchestra. All the musical members by the chorus showed that music is taught with great success in the Quincy schools by Mr. E. Landis Snyder.

Miss Fay, the salutatorian, welcomed all heartily, and with "Giving" as her subject, told an original story of Grandpa and Little Nell. They were companions and when the former sighed because he could not do more for humanity, the latter told by pictures in the coal of many meritorious things he had done in life, and promised to help continue the work. The paper closed with the sentiment, "To give is to live; to deny is to die."

Miss Reinhalter's paper provoked considerable interest and applause, particularly among her schoolmates, as she told in a conversational way of her friends in various walks of life.

Mr. Sanders made an eloquent plea for "Peace." He said wars should be banished, and America should be first in peace. The golden age was before us, and peace was worthy the American aim.

The Class Will by Miss Bizzozero was a formal and interesting document, with bequests from the Class of 1906 to the head master, sub-master, the various instructors, the others classes, the janitor, and others.

Mr. Thayer, the valedictorian, told of opportunities in life. The class has had those of school life; those of colleges, of business, of science and of politics were open for the graduates. We graduates are prepared to act and meet success.

The address of the evening was by Mr. Chapin who said education was an equipment to give one a better knowledge of himself, and the class motto—"Te Ipsum Cognosce," or "Know Yourself," was along that line. Self knowledge, self reverence and self control, were the points he emphasized. Education should bring some knowledge of law. We cannot break the laws of health or of business. Law is universal. Education resists the monotony of life. Education gives interest to the scientific side of life, a love for reading, and an interest in current events. It is entirely with the graduates themselves to make a success of the education they have received. "So still go on, and in going, listen."

Chairman Porter brought best wishes of the School Committee to the graduates, and congratulations upon having completed the High school course. He also congratulated Headmaster Harper, Mr. Snyder, the orchestra, the boys for their singing, and had a few words of advice.

Diplomas were then presented to the graduates and certificates to those completing the business course, as follows:

CLASS OF 1906.

Mila Gertrude Bates
•Rina Clorinda Bizzozero
John George Bjork
Carrie Elizabeth Boll
Florence Edna Brown

Harry Gordon Campbell
Albert Gardner Coffin, Jr
Ellen Rebecca Conway
Marion Estelle Corey.
Samuel Disbrow De Forest, Jr.

Marie Josephine Duggan
Margaret Gertrude Duran
James John Elcock
•Dorothy Fay
•Ruth Simmons Ferguson

Joseph Leo Ford
Carl Gorham Fowler
Edna Hamlyn Fowler
Leo Ambrose Garity
Margaret Clare Gill

George Marstin Hanson
Gertrude Josephine Herne
John Stephen Higgins
Charles Kimball Hogan
James Harry Hooper

William Everett Howe
•Olive Louise Huston
Raymond Belmont Jordan
Anastasia Kapples
Cecilia Elizabeth Kelley

•Mary Elizabeth King
Grace Marie Lamb
Bula Lorenz Loud
Clarence Wyman Loud
James Vincent Martin
Sadie Winnifred McAuliffe

John Vincent McClure
Ernest Rowe McConnell
Joseph Henry McDonald
Joseph Ronald McGilvray
Joseph Henry McPherson

Ralph Guild Merritt
Henry Hervie Moody
Cora Estelle Morse
Cherry Luana Newell
•Elvira Francesca Packard

Warren Russell Parker
Alice Evelyn Pinel
Clara Eva Porter
Alvin Hatfield Pountney
Bessie Phebe Pratt

Florence Belle Pratt
Carl Fisher Prescott
Timothy Edward Reardon
Bertha Emma Stella Reed
•Mary Alice Reinhalter

Arthur Alfred Richardson
Leona Greenwood Robbins
Edna Earl Robinson
Archie Asel Rogers
•Eugene Sanders

•Ethel Bugbee Smith
Daniel Francis Sweeney
•Lucien Hamilton Thayer
Julia Irene Thomas
Editha Alberta Tripp

Harold Stuart Tuck
Mary Cecilia Wallace
Marion Hazel White
Caroline Wilkinson
Frederick Dunkerton Williams
Dorothy Payson Young

BUSINESS CERTIFICATES.

John Edwin Connelly
Roderick Connelly
David King Dackers
Mary Frances Ferriter
Emily McDonald
James Cameron Michael
Margaret Ellis Miller
Elsie Wilhelmina Elizabeth Mortenson
Lucy Jane Moyle
Margaret Frances Reveney
William Alexander Sandison
Nellie Clark Scott
Sarah Summers
Hattie Atwood Tilton
John Ellis Williams

It is said the class will in the fall make a presentation to the school.

Kelley---Driscoll.

Miss Katherine E. Driscoll, chief operator at the Hingham telephone exchange, was married to Thomas A. Kelley of East Weymouth, chief electrician at the Chemical Company's plant at North Weymouth at St. Paul's church at Hingham, Wednesday evening. The bride's sister, Miss Julia Driscoll of Hingham was maid of honor, and Dennis Kelley, brother of the groom was best man.

Sproul---Allen.

Mr. Herbert A. Sproul and Miss Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. William and Mrs. Isabella Allen, were quietly married Wednesday evening by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy. The ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of the bride at 25 Gordon street. A wedding supper was served.

Lawrence—Nightingale.

Mr. George W. Lawrence, one of the well known employes at the Fore River shipyard, and Miss Florence M. E., daughter of Mr. John F. and Mrs. Sarah B. Nightingale, were united in marriage Wednesday evening by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy. The ceremony, which was performed at the residence of Mr. Hardy was followed by a reception at the residence of the groom at 447 Washington street.

The District Court.

Francisco Sachetti and Girado Alfoni were fined $5 each for mutual assault at Quincy.

George E. Lynch was fined $10 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

John J. Hand was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. He was sentenced to two months in the house of correction.

Alexander McEwan was arraigned for assault on Annie McEwan at Quincy. He was put under $200 to keep the peace for three months.

John Critchett was arraigned for larceny at Quincy. Case continued until July 2.

Samuel F. Chase was arraigned for violation of the liquor law at Braintree. Case continued until July 7.

Warren C. Toddy was arraigned for assault at Weymouth. He was fined $20.

Edward B. Seaver was arraigned for exceeding the automobile limit at the Blue Hills reservation. He was fined $15.

Chester M. Moody was fined $5 for being present at a game of craps on the Lord's day at Quincy.

Paul Panchenci was arraigned for violation of the liquor law at Quincy. Case continued today.

Darrato Paquotti was arraigned for assault with a dangerous weapon on James Palucci at Quincy. He was sentenced to three months in the house of correction.

Lecigi Cruzono was arraigned for assault at Quincy. Satisfaction was acknowledged at the defendant was discharged upon the payment of costs.

Nicholas F. Clearly was fined $10 for disturbing the peace at Weymouth.

Stephen H. Talbot was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Edward F. Purley was fined $15 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Edward Sullwan was fined $10 for drunkenness at Braintree.

Parker Whittemore was arraigned for exceeding the automobile speed limit at Cohasset. Case placed on file on payment of costs, amounting to $8.46.

Charles E. Dustin was arraigned for exceeding the automobile speed limit at Weymouth. Case placed on file on payment of costs, amounting to $4.40,

The continued case of Thomas J. Rogan, for intimidating granite workmen at Quincy, was called. He was found not guilty and discharged.

William S. Tracy was fined $75 for violation of the liquor law at Braintree.

The liquors seized from Bert E. Griffin at Braintree were forfeited.

The liquors seized from Cornelius Hanley at Braintree were forfeited.

The liquors seized from William S. Tracy at Braintree were forfeited.

Charles Arbuckle was arraigned for drunkenness and carrying a concealed weapon at Milton. He was fined $10 for carrying the concealed weapon and $5 for drunkenness.

Frank L. Pratt was fined $5, and J. G. Whiting $10, for exceeding the automobile speed limit at Quincy.

Horace G. Kemp was fined $15 for exceeding the automobile limit at the Blue Hills reservation.

Births.

CARDERELLI—In South Quincy, June 26, a son to Mr. Louis and Mrs. Eleanora Carderelli of 114 Liberty street.

Marriages.

DUFF—CHICK—In Quincy, June 16, by N. B. Furnald, Esq., justice of the peace, Mr. Thomas Duff to Miss Edith May Chick.

MARTELL—CURTIS—In Quincy, June 17, by Rev. N. J. sproul, Mr. Albert F. Martell to Miss Annie M. Curtis both of Quincy.

DUNHAM—ROBBIE—In Quincy, June 20, by Rev. N. J. Sproul, Mr. Lewis R. Dunham to Miss Bessie Robbie both of Quincy.

GROSSI—DINELLI—At Quincy, June 27, by William M. Marden, Esq., Mr. Saro Grossi of North Jay, Me., and Miss Isaiene Dinelli of this city.

SPROUL—ALLEN—In Quincy, June 27, by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy, Mr. Herbert A. Sproul to Miss Elizabeth Allen, both of Quincy.

LAURENCE—NIGHTINGALE—In Quincy, June 27, by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy, Mr. George W. Laurence to Miss Florence M. E. Nightingale.

KELLEY—NELSON—In Quincy, June 27, by Rev. Edwin N.

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Poetry.

The Firing Line.

JOAQUIN MILLER.

For glory? For good? For fortune of fame?
Why, ho for the front where the battle is on!
Leave the rear to the doll, the lazy, the lame;
Go forward, as ever the valiant have gone;
Whether city or field, whether mountain or mine,
Go forward, as ever the valiant have gone.

Whether newsboy or plowboy, cowboy or clerk,
Fight forward, be ready, be steady, be first;
Be fairest, be bravest, be best at your work;
Exult and be glad; dare to hunger, to thirst,
As David, as Alfred—let dogs skulk and whine—
There is room but for men on the Firing Line.

Aye, the place to fight and the place to fall—
As fall we must, all in God's good time—
It is where the manliest man is the wall,
Where boys are as men in their pride and prime,
Where glory gleams brightest, where brightest eyes shine,
Far out on the roaring, red Firing Line.

Notes and Comments.

—President Faunce of Brown university took occasion to score the "muck-rakers" in his baccalaureate address, and Rev. Philip S. Moxon, in an address, at Cornell, declared that the "muck-rakers" were doing good service and that there was room for more of their work. And yet, both men would probably agree that "muck-raking" is an essential and profitable employment for the community, if properly done.—Haverhill Gazette.

—The Banker and Tradesman says very truly, "A good many people cannot distinguish the difference between being rich and having the opportunity to get rich. They begin to spend their money before they get it."

—Congress has settled the Oklahoma case, but the new state will not be admitted to the union until the people have held a constitutional convention and adopted a constitution, when the state will be formally admitted by a proclamation by the President. The forty-sixth star will not go on the flag until July 4, 1907.

—Boston's advertising bureau is an assured fact. It is to be hoped that it will be more satisfactory than the municipal printing plant planned by Mayor Quincy.—Boston Budget.

—At the recent postal convention of the authorities of the different countries in Rome, Italy, it was decided that the postal rates between America and the British dominion should be lessened, and the rate should be then put in action after acceptance by the nations, five cents for first ounce, three cents for second ounce, for mail letters. —Athol Chronicle.

—The Somerville Journal says: "With automobile goggles selling at a bargain for only a dollar a pair, almost anybody ought to be able to make a start toward getting an automobile and the proper outfit.

—With South Boston appropriating Evacuation day, Charlestown owning Bunker Hill day and East Boston attempting to seize Independence day, what special celebrations will long remain general in character? Turkey day, perhaps.—Boston Journal.

—Lieut.-Gen. Corbin closed his address to the West Point graduates by urging that at all times they should keep in touch with home influences, and their first visit after graduation should be to their home, and their first subscription that to their home paper, to which all editors cheerfully say, Amen!

—Until almost midnight Monday the Electric Light department of Braintree was under discussion at a town meeting. The pros and cons of the management and also the advisability of electing commissioners, were discussed without result, for the meeting adjourned without date before action was taken.

—In adopting a new Tariff law Japan took the Dingley Tariff as its general guide and pattern. Though in alliance with England in certain respects, Japan decidedly prefers Protection to Free-Trade. The Protective policy is steadily growing, that of Free-Trade is declining.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

—The action of the city of Newport in returning to the old form of town government, with a few city embellishments, inspires the Herald of that city to say: It is a noticeable fact that in all the editorials appearing in papers throughout the country, there has not been apparent a pessimistic thought regarding our new charter. On the contrary all the brainiest writers have praised Newport for its civic pride, expressed by its breaking away from all party allegiance, and it course in setting an example to the world at large."

—Fifteen months in jail at Greenfield which, with the commutation of six days a month may be reduced to an even 12 months by good behavior, and a fine of $1, is the sentence imposed upon Timothy J. Swift, former assistant custodian of the federal building, Boston by Judge Dodge in the United States Circuit Court Monday afternoon. Swift was convicted on a charge of receiving $120 for procuring a contract for post office furnishings. This was the third trial, the first two resulting in disagreement.

Guy C. Chadbourne.

The funeral of Guy C. Chadbourne was held Sunday afternoon from his late residence at 46 Wayland street, Wollaston. The services were very largely attended, Wollaston lodge of Masons being present in a body. The services were conducted by the Rev. Edward A. Chase of the Wollaston Congregational church, who is also Chaplain of Wollaston lodge. During the services the quartette of Wollaston lodge sang, "Passing out of the Shadow," "Still, Still with Thee," and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

There was a profusion of beautiful flowers including set pieces from the several organizations with which Mr. Chadbourne was affiliated. The body was taken to Bath, Maine, for burial.

May Get Contracts.

Bids were opened at Washington on Saturday for the building of the first turbine battleships for the American navy, the Michigan and the South Carolina, each of 16,000 tons.

The navy department asked for bids for a battleship to be constructed according to plans of the department and for another ship to be constructed on plans specially prepared by the bidders. The Fore River Company's bids numbered five, all for construction by special plans. The two first, which were not for turbines, were $3,945,000 and $3,820,000. No other New England company entered the competition.

Three sets of figures for Curtis steam turbines were submitted by Mr. Bowles, being respectively $3,719,000, $3,780,000 and $3,689,000, according to the kinds of plans accepted. It is not settled whether the department will authorize a turbine warship, although plans for it were invited.

The department regards turbines as still experimental, but within two or three weeks the board of construction will probably decide whether the government shall take chances.

If the decision is in the affirmative the Fore River company will undoubtedly receive the contract.

In the building of a vessel according to department plans the Cramps were the lowest bidders.

An incident of the opening was the refusal of the secretary to announce bids submitted from the New York navy yard. As no certified check and no guarantee went with the navy yard bid, it is claimed that it could not be considered. The delegation in the House from Brooklyn, however, protest against this and a resolution may be introduced calling upon the secretary to furnish the figures.

Postponed Race Sailed.

The postponed race of the South Boston Yacht club of May 30 for class D boats was sailed over the Quincy yacht club course Saturday afternoon. A wholesail easterly breeze and extremely rough sea and thick fog were the conditions.

The race was held under the rules of the Y. R. A. and counted for percentages. In addition there were prizes of $10, $7, $5 and $3.

The Houghs Neck steamboat scattered the boats somewhat at the start, but the Josephine crossed first with the Hustler on her weather side, which gave her an advantage. The Hustler made a fine showing on the windward work to the buoy off Bunkin, and she rounded first. Commodore Crane in the Iris was the fifth boat to cross at the start, but had gained second place at the Bunkin buoy. Her windward work was not up to the standard, owing to the boom of the jib breaking. On the next leg he hauled in his jib and then the Iris gave a fine exhibition of sailing into the wind.

On the second round it was nip and tuck between the Iris and Hustler and at the finish they were so close that they were but a second apart at the finish. The Iris got the gun, but on time allowance she dropped to third place.

CAPE CAT BOATS.

Name and owner	Elapsed time. H. M. S.	Corrected time. H. M. S.
Hustler, H. W. Robbins,	1 28 56	1 01 45
Marvel, L. M. Whittemore,	1 30 11	1 03 37
Iris, F. F. Crane,	1 28 55	1 04 03
Arrowack, H. C. Nickerson,	1 30 57	1 05 04
Argestes, G. H. Wilkins,	1 30 15	1 05 27
Josephine, F. H. Smith,	1 31 40	1 05 34
Dolly, Wallace Arnold,	1 39 57	1 12 11
*Sail Air, C. C. Collins,	1 37 52	
Stranger, Dr. F. E. Dawes,	disabled	
Laura N, Mr. Nickerson,	withdrawn	

POWER BOATS.

Susie, R. S. Carter,	4 24 05
Eleanor, Gould and Hamblett,	4 30 14
Jennie, J. E. Kneeland,	disabled

*Not measured.

Evans—Cook.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday June 20, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook of Nahanton street, Newton Highlands, when their daughter, Miss Tillie Fern, was united in marriage to Mr. Raymond Evans of New Jersey, formerly of Quincy, by Rev. William Brady of Quincy Baptist church.

The bride was attended by Miss Bessie Cook, her sister, as bridesmaid, and the groom by Mr. John Hill of Quincy as best men. The bride was gowned in white silk and carried bride roses. The bridesmaid carried pink roses.

After the reception ices, cakes, and frappe was served and each guest received a piece of wedding cake. There was a rich display of silver cut glass and handiwork. After the wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Evans will be at home to their friends at No. 479 Union avenue, Patterson, New Jersey.

Guests were present from Quincy, Braintree, Boston, Brookline, and Newton Center.

Found Not Guilty.

The case of Thomas J. Rogan, walking delegate of the Granite Cutters' Union, who was charged with intimidating workmen at the yard of John H. McDonnell, came up in the district court Saturday, when the court found him not guilty and ordered his discharge.

This was the case when it was alleged that Rogan intimidated the workmen at McDonnells and caused them to leave work.

The court in giving its finding said that Rogan was the agent of the union, of which these workmen were members and that he had notified them of the action of the union.

—District Attorney C. B. Morrison, of Chicago, who conducted the trial of the packers for the government, announced Monday that he had been appointed special counsel for the government to conduct the investigation into the management of the Standard Oil Company and various railroads, and had accepted the position.

Is It Your Own Hair?

Do you pin your hat to your own hair? Can't do it? Haven't enough hair? It must be you do not know Ayer's Hair Vigor! Here's an introduction! May the acquaintance result in a heavy growth of rich, thick, glossy hair! And we know you'll never be gray.

"I think that Ayer's Hair Vigor is the most wonderful hair grower that was ever made. I have used it for some time and I can truthfully say that I am greatly pleased with it. I cheerfully recommend it as a splendid preparation."—Miss V. Brock, Wayland, Mich.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. CHERRY PECTORAL.

Adams Prize Declamation.

The annual prize declamation for the Adams gold medal and other prizes by the students of the Adams Academy, were held Saturday evening at the First church. It was also the occasion for the awarding of the scholarship and approbation prizes.

Although the weather was rather inclement there was a very large attendance of the parents and friends of the students, as well as a number of former pupils of the Academy. The declamations were of a very interesting nature, the audience showing their appreciation by applauding each number.

In addition to the speaking exercises there were musical selections by two students and a former student of the academy, John Y. Hamilton presiding at the piano, and Frank C. Snyder and Charles M. Colsted playing the violins.

Dr. Everett opened the exercises with brief remarks during which he said this was the the thirty-first annual declamation. Among the gold medalists, whose names were on the last page of the program, were men who were widely known and who had given a good account of their education at the Adams Academy.

He also said that it was understood plans were under way to absorb the Academy into the general school system. This he said may be necessary some day but many hoped it would not be soon, that they will see the individuality of the school lost. That the funds of the school shall mean nothing and where the system is for both sexes. He believed that many were in favor of a school for boys exclusively as they have a schools for girls exclusively. If the school is lost it will be grieved by many, and they may be expected to express their sentiment that the school may be retained.

Dr. Everett then announced that the judges selected were Rev. E. A. Horton, F. W. Plummer of the Woodward Institute, and Charles H. Hardwick.

The order of the declamations was:

True Liberty,	Charles Mackay
William Everett Bullock, Wollaston.	
Character of Webster,	H. C. Lodge
Willis Pearl Middleton, Quincy Point	
Practical Methods of Nullification,	Webster
Joseph Frank Goodhue, West Quincy.	
The Washington Monument,	Winthrop
James Elwood Myers, Quincy.	
The Vision at Edinburg,	Scott
Hobart Adams Lawton, Quincy	
England's Duty to America,	John Bright
Earle Harmon Boyce, Wollaston.	
Peroration against Hastings,	Burke
William Murray Colman, Atlantic.	
Launching of the Ship,	Longfellow
John Girard Dineen, Wollaston.	
Defence of Rowan,	Curran
Elliott Coolidge Johnson, Quincy.	
Reply to Disraeli,	Gladstone
Ralph Hodges Marden, Quincy.	
Execution of Montrose,	Aytoun
John Young Hamilton, Atlantic.	
*On Catholic Emancipation,	Palmerston
James Leslie Kay, Wollaston.	

* Candidate for the Gold Medal only.

The prizes were awarded as follows: Adams gold medal, James L. Kay. Masters prize, Earle H. Boyce. Third prize for speaking, Elliot C. Johnson.

Alumni oration, James L. Kay.

Anderson prize, L. L. A. Moran.

Brackett essay prize, Willis P. Middleton.

Ditmock scholarship, L. L. A. Moran.

Tyler scholarship, Earle H. Boyce.

The R. C. Billings prizes for excellence in study were awarded as follows: First class, L. L. A. Moran; second class, Charles A. H. Wigren; third class, H. A. Lawton, fourth class, W. J. Nolan and J. R. Moran.

Prizes for industry and fidelity as follows, who received every approbation card during the year:—Earle H. Boyce, James E. Myers, S. S. Bates, T. A. Keohane, H. A. Lawton, D. O. N. Lindberg, W. P. Middleton. The following received all but one card:—E. B. Fitzgerald, R. C. Blake, W. J. Nolan, E. D. Fuller, W. J. Galvin.

Translation prizes, from Homer, W. M. Colman; from Livy, H. A. Lawton.

Diplomas were awarded to E. H. Boyce, W. M. Colman, J. G. Dineen, H. W. Fuller, J. Y. Hamilton, D. L. Kay, L. L. A. Moran and F. C. Snyder.

Awarded Medal.

The Patriot has been notified by the Interstate Commerce Commission that President Roosevelt has awarded medals of honor to two locomotive engineers, who performed deeds of heroism entitling them to recognition under the act of Congress approved February 23, 1905, which provides for the bestowal of bronze medals of honor upon persons who, by extreme daring, endanger their own lives in saving or endeavoring to save, lives from any wreck, disaster or grave accident, or in preventing or endeavoring to prevent such wreck, disaster, or grave accident, upon any railroad within the United States engaged in interstate commerce.

The recipients of the medals are Mr. Charles W. Haight of Utica, New York, an engineer on the D. L. & W. R. R., and Mr. George H. Williams of Braintree, Mass., an engineer on the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Mr. Haight climbed out on the pilot of his engine and picked a little child from between the rails while his train was running at a good speed, at West Winfield, N. Y., on April 26, 1905.

Mr. Williams dashed in front of an approaching train for the purpose of saving Mrs. H. H. Hill from being run over, on Saville St. crossing of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. at Quincy, on December 21, 1905. He was struck by the engine of the approaching train and sustained injuries which sent him to the hospital and kept him away from duty for nearly four months.

Only one medal has heretofore been awarded under this law; and it will still be some time before Messrs. Haight and Williams receive their medals, as the dies from which the medal is struck are not yet completed. They are being made by the engraver at the Mint in Philadelphia, from a design made by Mr. Adolph Weidman, a New York sculptor.

Souvenir Edition.

The Lynn Daily Evening Item of June 21, was a souvenir edition of forty pages. Aside from all the local and telegraphic news matter that was put before the public in a concise manner, several pages were devoted to a story of Lynn's remarkable growth and industrial prosperity in which the Item during its 58 years has been a great factor.

The edition is purposely illustrated by cuts of many of its large manufacturing buildings and pictures of its prominent citizens. Men, who with the Item, have done their mite toward the upbuilding of the city of shoes, and who are striving to hold its place among the leading cities of the Commonwealth.

One whole page is devoted to a proclamation by the business men of Lynn to the world, telling of its industrial life and pointing out some of the multifarious advantages offered the capitalist, the employer, the wage earner and the home seeker, and closes by extending a cordial invitation to all, far and near, to come and share its blessings.

The Patriot extends congratulations to the city and to the publishers of the Item.

Grammar School Graduation.

The graduation exercises of the grammar schools were held yesterday afternoon and were as full of interest as in other years. There was a large attendance at the exercises, the number only being limited by the seating capacity of the hall. As in other years the marching of the graduates and the music was a pleasing feature. As the classes came in by schools to the music of the piano and drum it gave an inspiring effect and had one closed his eyes it would not have been a very great stretch of imagination to have thought they were listening to the triumphant march of a victorious army.

It was an army, but a peaceful one. Each school carried aloft its banner and on the breast of each of the four hundred pupils was a bow of their school colors. Slowly and with measured tread they came in and took their alloted places without a mistake, although the march had not been practiced until that morning.

Then came the opening chorus, "List! The Trumpet's Thrilling sound." The voices of the graduates blended beautifully and showed the careful training they had received. The music was a rare treat, and taken with able and interesting address the afternoon was one of profit to those fortunate enough to have been present.

The decorations of the hall were confined to roses. A large bank of these had been arranged back of the platform and in each window a bouquet of the same flowers.

As a whole it was one of the best graduations that has been held for several years, and the pity is that a large enough hall could not have been secured so that all who desired might have attended and enjoyed the exercises.

The music of the afternoon was under the direction of E. Landis Snyder, and the pianists were Ernest L. Mehaffey and John D. Gourlie of the class of 1908 of the High school. The drummer, Osborne P. Stearns was of the class of 1907 of the High school.

After the speaking exercises diplomas were presented to the graduates by the chairman of the several sub-committees, The closing number was a salute to the flag and the singing of America. The salute was given with an earnestness that showed that the words came from the heart, and it sent a thrill through the hearers such as nothing else could do.

The introductory remarks were made by Supt. Parlin and were confined to statistics of the graduating classes. He said that of the total number, 174 were boys and 222 girls. The number of certificates issued were 375, or 24 less than in 1905. Of the graduates, 95 per cent intended to continue their studies, 284 had signified their intention of entering the High school, 55 to enter the Woodward, 17 were going to work, and the balance were to attend the various schools throughout the state. Of the total number, 27 completed the elementary course in seven years, 182 in eight years, 137 in nine years, 48 in ten years and 2 in eleven years; the average time was eight years and eight months, or four months longer than the classes of 1905. The youngest graduate was 12 years and 1 month, and the oldest 18 years and 1 month. The oldest was 5 months older than the oldest in 1905, and the youngest 5 months younger than the youngest in 1905. The average age was 14 years and 1 month.

Of the graduates, 44 were between 12 and 13 years, 166 between 13 and 14, 130 between 14 and 15, 46 between 15 and 16, 16 between 16 and 17, and 4 over 17.

The speaker of the afternoon was Meyer Bloomfield of the Civil Service House, Boston. Mr. Bloomfield proved to be a very entertaining speaker although he spoke but little over fifteen minutes. In opening he said that he would rather have missed the most gorgeous military parade than to have missed the music and the splendid march in of the graduates.

He said that America does not do justice to itself when it talks of its miles of railroad. The real wealth of the country, our greatest success, lies in the product of our American school system. The music you have rendered is a tribute to your teacher, and to your fathers and mothers, because you owe it to them that you come here. The price of your diploma is not merely the eight years of labor, but to listen to advice of a prophet, yet I am not a prophet.

What has your eight years profited if you prove yourself as not having the dutiful sense of responsibility? It is not so much the hard work you do but the way you thrust yourself into the work. If you have caught the spirit of the school, every piece of work will have your best efforts. The children of his neighborhood, the speaker said, have none of the advantages you have, yet they have the advantage of having to struggle and work to achieve anything. Anybody can make up their minds to this. He had no fear about their future or about his hearers, because they are of the public school.

He hoped in the future they would see the importance of being throughly American in their spirit, and thoughtful of other people. Never look down on a person. Meet people on the level, and look up to them. Cultivate the company of your superiors.

There was one thing about America that impressed the Russians. It was this. In Russia they have compulsory military service, and in America compulsory school service.

In closing, the speaker said "when you go out from here go to your parents, grip them by the hand, in a way that shall say that you understand what they have done for you, and you will have filled out one page of the great history of peace."

The last speaker was Dr. H. C. Hallowell, chairman of the School Committee, who brought the greetings of the board. He said that when he was a boy they had what was called hoodlums who would look up and say, "Don't you feel proud". Well, we did feel proud. He did not doubt but what the graduates felt proud. He did not blame them. You were never better dressed, never looked prettier, and you see your name in print for the first time. The city has expended $200 for each one of you. A sociologist has said that the average graduate of fourteen years has a potential value of $200.

Dr. Hallowell then briefly referred to the rules for the Art of living as laid down by Mr. Cummings at the Woodward exercises, and closed by urging upon the graduates that they wear a smile on their faces and a flower in their hearts.

Library Enlargement.

There is a prospect of the Thomas Crane Public Library being enlarged at an early date through the further generosity of the Crane family.

Just what the proposed enlargement will be cannot be stated. It is also uncertain when it will be done.

All that is known is that an architect was sent to Quincy, recently, from New York, by the heirs of Thomas Crane. He looked over the present building and grounds and then returned to New York.

Summer Fiction.

THOMAS CRANE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following is a list of new novels lately added to our Public Library:

Arnim, Mary A. B., Grafin, von. Princess Priscilla's fortnight.	303.40
Bacheller, Irving. Silas Strong, emperior of the woods.	329.100
Barnes, James. Outside the law.	247.42
Barr, Robert. Speculations of John Steele.	311.74
Triumphs of Eugene Valmont.	311.75
Brady, C. T. My lady's slipper.	296.77
Barry, J. D. Our best society.	325.33
Burnett, Frances H. Little princess: the whole story of Sara Crewe now told for the first time.	j 278.57
Carey, Rosa N. Household of Peter: a novel.	318.42
Chambers, R. W. Ashes of empire: a romance	247.57
Follows chronologically the author's Lorraine.	
Lorraine: a romance.	247.56
Red republic: romance of the commune.	247.58
Follows chronologically the author's Ashes of empire.	
Crockett, S. R. Fishers of men.	208.80
Davis, Norah. Northerner.	258.107
Donnell, Annie H. Rebecca Mary.	323.71
Douglas, Amanda M. Little girl in old San Francisco.	221.102
Frothingham, Eugenia B. Evasion.	253.55
Harben, W. N. Pole Baker: a novel	258.118
Hill, Headon. One who saw.	328.112
Jackson, C. T. Losers' luck: questionable enterprises of a yachtsman, a princess, and certain fillbusters in Central America.	215.36
Johnson, W. H. Sir Galahad of New France.	215.40
King, Charles. Soldier's trial: episode of the canteen crusade.	249.46
Kingsley, Florence M. Resurrection of Miss Cynthia.	253.51
Transfiguration of Miss Philura.	253.50
Lincoln, Jeanie G. Javelin of fate.	258.74
Long, J. L. Heimweh; Siren; Loaded gun; Leibereich; "Iupiter Tonans"; "Sis"; Thor's emerald; Guile.	228.75
Lynde, Francis. Quickening.	328.108
McLaws, Lafayette. Maid of Athens.	247.32
Macnaughtan, S. Lame dog's diary: a novel.	223.82
Matthews, Frances A. Staircase of surprise.	216.49
Noble, Edward. Edge of circumstance: story of the sea.	299.83
Phillpotts, Eden. Portreeve.	250.73
Richards, Laura E. Armstrongs.	j 277.66
Mrs. Tree's will. *Sequel to* Mrs. Tree.	209.67
Runkle, Bertha. Truth about Tolna.	223.68
Satchell, William. Toll of the bush.	299.80
Thorne, Guy. When it was dark: story of a great conspiracy.	231.67
Thwing, Eugene. Man from Red Keg.	299.82
Tracy, Louis. Karl Grier: strange story of a man with a sixth sense.	328.103
Vance, L. J. Terence O'Rourke, gentlemen adventurer.	328.107
Waltz, Elizabeth C. Ancient landmark: a Kentucky romance.	258.119
Weyman, S. J. Starveerow farm.	216.47
White, F. M. Weight of the crown.	254.63
Wilkins, Mary E. Debtor: a novel.	311.59

Edward L. Robbins.

Edward L. Robbins of Wollaston, a member of the Quincy City Council in 1893 and 1894, and a newspaper writer of prominence, died June 22d at his home on Lincoln avenue after an illness of several months.

Mr. Robbins was born in Plymouth April 26, 1836, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robbins. Upon leaving school he took up the shoemaking business in the days when the big factory was an unknown quantity. In a few years he turned to the printers' calling, entering the office of the Old Colony Memorial at Plymouth, where he remained for several years.

Mr. Robbins was an accomplished musician and taught singing, at one time. He joined the Plymouth band and became its leader, and the name of the organization was changed to the Robbins Brass band. He composed several marches.

He was one of the first of the three-year men to enlist when the civil war broke out. He joined the Plymouth Rock Guards and went to the front as the first sergeant. He was promoted to sergeant-major while in service, and served in the Massachusetts battalion at Fortress Munroe and Newport News during the first year of the war, and was later commissioned a lieutenant of the 2d heavy artillery, stationed near Washington.

Upon his return from the war he resumed work as a printer in the office of the Yarmouth Register, which was owned by Charles F. Swift, and when Mr. Swift went into politics he turned the management of the paper over to Mr. Robbins, who ran it successfully for about five years.

In 1871 he again returned to Plymouth and entered the employ of W. W. Avery, proprietor of the Old Colony Sentinel. Mr. Robbins, however, was more of a writer than a printer, and in 1871 he became Plymouth correspondent for the Boston Herald. A short while later he was called to the office and given a responsible position in the editorial department, being at one time musical critic and later an editorial paragrapher.

In 1884 he was chosen by the management of the Canadian Pacific railroad to take a trip over their lines and write a descriptive story for The Herald. His article was widely quoted in the United States and Europe.

He later became railroad editor of The Herald, and after several years resigned for a position with the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad under Supt. Bromley in their advertising department. He wrote many descriptive pamphlets of Plymouth, Cape Cod and other places along their lines.

About four years ago he was forced to retire owing to ill health, and he had been at home most of the time since. He married in 1861 Miss Mercy J., daughter of William and Jane Bartlett Holmes Paulding of Plymouth. They had no chidren.

He was a member of Plymouth lodge, A. F. A. M., and John Hancock lodge, I. O. O. F., of Wollaston. He is survived by a widow and two sisters, Mrs. Charles T. Holmes and Mrs. Fred K. Holmes of Plymouth.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from his late residence 71 Lincoln avenue. The services were very largely attended.

John Hancock lodge, I. O. O. F., was present in a body; also a delegation from the Plymouth Masonic lodge. There were also a number of officials of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad and from the Boston newspapers.

The services were conducted by Rev. Edward A. Chase of the Congregational church. A quartette composed of Samuel M. King, William E. Howard, Mrs. May V. Hastings Slade and Miss Alma Walner sang, "Rock of Ages," "Morning Land" and "Crossing the Bar."

The body was taken to Plymouth Monday for burial. The services there were in charge of the Grand Army Post.

Base Ball.

Fore Rivers defeated Quincy Saturday by a score of 10 to 1. Fore River hammered Dunn to all parts of the field, making 17 hits for a total of 23 bases.

Strobel brother of Albert of the Boston Nationals, was at third for Fore River and played a great game both at bat and in the field. As a whole Fore River played great ball at all stages of the game, and the crowd was greatly by theised enthur terrific hitting, Hansen alone getting two doubles and a triple besides being robbed of a homer in the first inning by having his hit called foul when it was fair by ten yards.

Black pitched a splendid game, holding his opponents to 3 scratch hits and fanning 14 batsmen. Rogers, a youngster from the Bigelows was tried out at first base by Fore River, and played the bag in a far superior way than the rooters are accustomed usually on Fore River grounds. Sanders another new man for Quincy played good ball and hit nicely as did Gildea and Rooney.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Fore River,	1	0	2	5	0	0	0	2	x	—10
Quincy,	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Two base hits,—Hansen (2), Black, Strobel. Three base hits,—Hansen. Stolen bases,—Strobel, Elridge, Rogers, Hansen, Black, Pitts, Rooney. Base on balls,—By Black, 2; by Dunn, 2. Struck out,—By Black, 14; by Dunn, 7. Hit by pitched ball,—Rooney. Umpire,—Hansen. Time,—1h. 55m.

The Merrymounts went to South Weymouth on Saturday afternoon and defeated the Norfolks by a score of 7 to 3. Kolson pitched a fine game, holding the home team to five hits, and giving no passes. He was backed up in first class style by his fielders, Kappler's fast work being especially good. White, the Norfolk pitcher, was rather wild and every Merrymount made at least one safe hit.

In the first inning Baker led off with a clean single and stole second. Stevens' out put him on third. Hoxie hit to short and Baker attempted to score but was declared out on a close decision.

In the second, with one out, Osgood singled and scored on Leaches' tap for two sacks. Leach was caught between the bases on Loud's hit to pitcher, and Loud was out on Kolson's bounder to short.

In the third with one down, Steven's worked a pass and came home when Kappler knocked the sphere into a beet patch back of right field where the fielder was unable to find it.

The Merrymounts had men on bases in every other inning in the game but did not score until the ninth, when Loud was safe on an error, Kolson beat out a bunt, and Baker was passed. Stevens singled scoring Loud, Hoxie sent up a high fly to Quinn, and Kolson sprinted home. A muff of a fly by Vargus, and Bennetts' hit, scored Baker and Stevens.

The home team did not score until the sixth when the Merrymount infield stacked three errors which with a steal and two outs was good for two tallies. In the seventh, D. White hit safely and plifered second and scored on T. White's hit. T. White tried for second on the throw in, and Leach threw by second; White dashed for third where he was nailed by Osgood's perfect throw to Baker.

In the last two innings the home team was easy, Kolson fanning two, and the others were easy outs to the infield.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Merrymount	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	—7
Norfolk,	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	—3

Earned runs,—Merrymouth, 3; Norfolk, 1. Two-base hits,—Leach, Home runs,—Kapples. Double plays,—Vargus and Quinn. Struck out—By Kolson, 4; by T. White, 5. Bases on hall,—By T. White, 4. Passed balls,—By D. White. Wild pitches,—By T. White. Umpires, Burns. Time,—1 hour, 40 minutes.

At Ward Three Playgrounds on Saturday, the South Quincy team swamped the Atlantic club by a score of 8 to 0 At no time during the game did the Atlantic team look dangerous even for a tally.

The features of the game were the batting of Forbes and Elcock, the fielding of Collins and Birnie, the pitching of Marion for the South Quincy, and the all around work of Granahan for Atlantic.

The score by innings:

South Quincy	1	1	1	0	2	1	1	1	0	—8
Atlantic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Umpire, Craig. Time, 1 hr., 45 min.

Today the South Quincy team will travel to South Braintree to have as opponents the strong Braintree club, and a very interesting game can be expected.

Quick Fire Service.

After the exhibition given by the West Quincy fire companies Monday night, residents of that ward need have no fear of there being delay in the apparatus responding to calls for their aid.

Exhibitions of the efficiency have been given by several of the fire companies and Monday night those at West Quincy had their turn. Chief Litchfield was present also District Engineers Packard and Nyhan, President Piper of the City Council, Councilman Flaherty and Foremen McKenna, Beut and Martin.

At the trial President Piper held the watch. The gong sounded and the horses jumped to their accustomed places. In 15 seconds the hitch had been made and the hose wagon was crossing the threshold of the door with the hook and ladder truck close behind.

The truck ran to the rear of the house, raised a ladder and put up a 30-foot roof ladder on the roof.

In the meantime the Hose company went to the hydrant in front of the Willard school, coupled on the hose and laid 300 feet. The nozzle was attached and the line carried up the ladder to the roof of the Hose house and water turned on.

President Piper who held the watch said the time was 1 minute and 37 seconds from the sounding of the gong until the water had been turned on.

Those present then returned to the fire station where a lunch was served, and a few remarks of a congratulatory nature were made by the officials present.

Dropped Dead.

Mrs. Minnie McCarthy, aged 21 years, of 8 Howe street, Dorchester, dropped dead of heart disease at Squantum on Sunday afternoon while climbing a hill. Mrs. McCarthy was one of a party of twenty that came to Squantum on an outing of the Wells Cycle club.

She had been out rowing with four others and upon coming ashore had started to climb the hill to join the party when she fell over. Her friends thought that she had fainted and tried to revive her but were unable to do so.

Dr. D. A. Bruce of Atlantic was called by telephone and on his arrival pronounced her dead.

Mrs. McCarthy was the wife of Charles H. McCarthy, and had been married two years.

She was in apparent good health, and had not been suffering from heart trouble as far as known. The body was removed to Hall's undertaking rooms.

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Household Receipts.

Rhubarb Sherbet. This makes a refreshing drink for a hot day. Wash a dozen stalks of rhubarb, then cut up and boil in three pints of water for ten minutes. Put into a large jug or pitcher a cup of sugar and the thinly pared rind of two lemons. Strain the liquor from the rhubarb over the sugar and lemon, stand away on the ice or cellar bottom for two or three hours, and serve. More sugar and a little nutmeg may be added if desired.

Cherry Cream. Drain off the syrup from a jar of white cherries. Line a mold with the drained cherries. Soak one rounded tablespoonful of granulated gelatine in one-quarter cup of the fruit juice, and when soft, dissolve in half a cup of hot juice, add sugar to taste. Chill one pint of thin cream and whip it with a churn. Place the pan in ice water. Stir the gelatine mixture into the whipped cream folding it in gradually and when nearly stiff pour it into the mold.

Tomato Baskets. These require sound ripe tomatoes, as near in size as possible. Wash and dry well, but do not peel. Slice off top, and scoop out contents with a silver spoon. Mix it well with bread crumbs, seasoned with grated onion, chopped celery and olives, fried up with an egg or two. Put enough of this in each "basket" to fill it, and parboil. Place them about a roast of veal or lamb for garniture, and serve with the meat gravy.

Pineapple Melange. Take one very nice-looking pineapple, with a tuft of green foliage if possible. The top is neatly sliced off and laid away. The inside of the fruit is picked out with a silver fork till nothing remains but the shell. The shredded pineapple is mixed with one-half the quantity of crushed strawberries and one-eighth of grated macaroons. Sugar to taste before putting all back in the pineapple shell and replacing top. Chill thoroughly before serving.

Norfolk County Boys' Camp.

The county committee of Young Men's Christian associations of Norfolk county are sending out circulars of Russ Island camp for the boys of Norfolk county.

This camp is on the Annisquam river, back of Gloucester, and is well equipped in every particular, including a 25 foot naptha launch. This is the third season of the camp and it is open for any boy in Norfolk county between the ages of 12 and 19. Full information may be had by writing to William J. Sholar, County Secretary, 2 Park Square, Boston.

Anecdotes.

"Mama," the little girl said, as the steamer excursionists stepped ashore at Joppa, "this is the Holy Land, isn't it?"

"Yes, dear."

"These sailors don't know it. Just bear them swear."—Chicago Tribune.

"Gracious!" said the exasperated minister; "is there no way in which I can get the feminine eyes turned in my direction?"

"There is one," replied the deacon.

"How, brother?"

"Why, hang the most gorgeous hat you can find on the pulpit."

"Sir," said the young man, "I assure you I would love your daughter just as much even if she were penniless."

"That settles you," cried old Moneybags; "I don't want a fool for a son-in-law."

Little Amzi—"Uncle Tim, I saw the word in the newspaper. What is the 'curriculum' of a college?"

Uncle Timrod—"Curriculum, eh? Why that's what them ere mop headed college students comb their hair with."

Druggist—"Pills, my dear?"

Little girl—"Yes, please, sir."

Druggist—"Antib